

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE – 23 August 2005

INTRODUCTION OF WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS ON ROUTE A735 QUEEN'S DRIVE, KILMARNOCK

Report by Executive Director of Development and Property Services

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to seek approval to introduce no waiting, no loading/unloading at any time on Victoria East Access Road, Victoria West Access Road and on A735 Queen's Drive, Kilmarnock.

2 BACKGROUND

- 2.1 There is extensive indiscriminate parking on the Victoria East Access Road throughout the day, which hinders safe access to the car showrooms and potential development land. It is proposed to prohibit waiting and loading on Victoria East Access Road to provide safe access to the frontages of the developments and adjoining areas. Similar restrictions are also proposed along A735 Queen's Drive to avoid the displacement of parked vehicles onto this important arterial road which leads to Kilmarnock Town Centre and on the nearby Victoria West Access Road.

3. PROPOSALS

- 3.1 **Prohibition of Waiting and Loading/Unloading at Any Time** – it is proposed to prohibit waiting and loading/unloading at any time on both sides of the Victoria East Access Road, the Victoria West Access Road and Queen's Drive (except for the existing bus bays). No waiting at any time restriction will cover the bus bays (See Appendix 1).

4. PROCEDURES

- 4.1 **Prohibition of Waiting and Loading/Unloading at Any Time** - The draft Order has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedures) (Scotland) Regulations 1999. The Notice promoting the Order was published on 1st June 2005 and the 21 day period for objections ended on 22nd June 2005. No objections were received for this Order.
- 4.2 **Publication of Proposals** – the draft Order was published in the Kilmarnock Standard. Full details of the proposals with plans and Statement of Reasons were available for inspection at

- Council Headquarters, London Road,
- The Roads & Transportation Division offices, Greenholm Street

4.3 Consultation – the organisations, representative groups and individuals consulted during the preparation of the Order are detailed in Appendix 2. The Chief Constable has no objections to the draft Order and no objections or adverse comments were received from any of the consultees.

5 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 None

6. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

6.1 The promotion of the Order has been in accordance with the requirements of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended and the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1999.

7. RECOMMENDATIONS

7.1 It is recommended that the Committee:

- (a) Approves the proposals to prohibit waiting loading/unloading at any time on Victoria East Access Road, Victoria West Access Road and the A735 Queen's Drive, Kilmarnock

James Lavery
Executive Director of Development and Property Services

26 July 2005
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REFERENCES

Appendix 1 – Plan showing the extent of the no waiting, loading/unloading restrictions.
Appendix 2 – List of parties consulted.

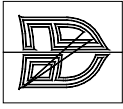
BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 1 **The East Ayrshire Council (Route A735 Queen's Drive, Kilmarnock) (Prohibition of Waiting, Loading/Unloading) Order _____**

Copies of the above named draft Order are available from the Head of Roads & Transportation.

For further information on the contents of this report please contact Keith Orton on 01563 555714

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PROPOSED ORDER

**THE EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL
 (AT 735 QUEEN'S DRIVE, KILMARNOCK)
 (PROHIBITION OF WAITING, LOADING/UNLOADING)
 ORDER**

KEY

NO WAITING AT ANY
 TIME/NO LOADING AT
 ANY TIME



NO WAITING AT ANY TIME

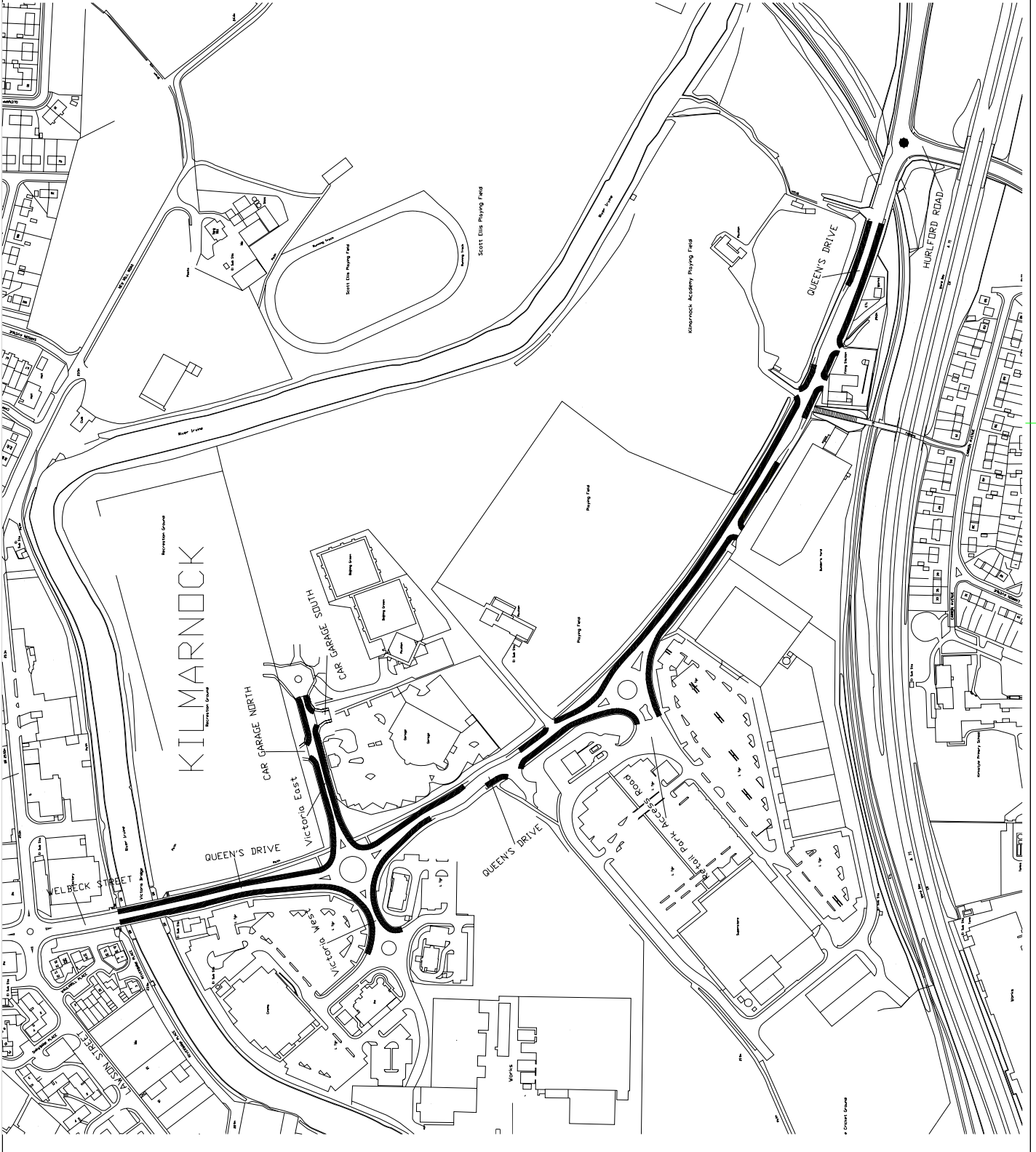


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Appendix 2

Consultation List

The following organisations, representative groups and individuals were consulted during the preparation of the draft Order.

Strathclyde Police
Strathclyde Fire Brigade
Ayrshire & Arran Acute Hospitals NHS Trust
Ayrshire & Arran Primary Care NHS Trust
Scottish Ambulance Service
Strathclyde Passenger Transport
Freight Transport Association Ltd
The Road Haulage Association Ltd
Stagecoach Western Buses & A1 Service
HAD Coaches Ltd
Royal Mail
Scottish Power
Transco
British Telecom
Scottish Water
Royal Automobile Club
The Automobile Association Ltd
C.T.C
Cycling Scotland
Kilmarnock Forum on Disability
Kilmarnock and Loudoun Access Panel
Scottish Taxi Federation
East Ayrshire Taxi Trades Council
Bellfield Community Council
Piersland and Bentick Community Council
Chair, Development Services Committee
Councillor A. Walsh (Kilmarnock Central South)
Chair, Kilmarnock Central Local Committee
Chair, Northern Area Local Committee
Chief Executive, East Ayrshire Council
Executive Director of Development and Property Services
Chief Engineer (Operations)
Head of Planning and Building Control
Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services