**THE NORFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL**

**(NORWICH CITY CENTRE CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE) (CASTLE MEADOW)**

**AMENDMENT TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER 2025**

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The Norfolk County Council propose to make the above Order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The effect of the Order will be to amend The Norwich City Council City Centre Controlled Parking Zone (Consolidation) Traffic Regulation Order 2003 (as amended), by adjusting the current waiting, loading, and unloading restrictions. These changes will affect bus, taxi, and Demand Responsive Transport (DRT) vehicles along Castle Meadow Road as follows:

Western side of Castle Meadow Road (outside of Nos. 3a & 3, opposite the British Heart Foundation):

* **Create a 19-metre bus clearway** from a point 22 metres north of the centre line of its junction with Farmers Avenue, extending 19 metres northwards.
* **Remove 12 metres of Hackney carriage taxi rank** from a point 22 metres north of the centre line of its junction with Farmers Avenue, extending 12 metres northwards.
* **Remove 8.5 metres of DRT bay** from a point 34 metres north of the centre line of its junction with Farmers Avenue, extending 8.5 metres northwards.

Eastern side of Castle Meadow Road (outside of Castle Mall entrance):

* **Create a 12-metre Hackney carriage taxi rank** from a point 40 metres north of the centre line of its junction with Farmers Avenue, extending 12 metres northwards.
* **Create a 6.5-metre DRT bay** from a point 52 metres north of the centre line of its junction with Farmers Avenue, extending 6.5 metres northwards.
* **Remove 18.5 metres of existing coach parking** from a point opposite the northern boundary of No. 3a Castle Meadow to a point 3.5 metres north of the southern boundary of No. 3 Castle Meadow.
* **Retain 22 metres of coach parking** from a point 18 metres north of the centre line of its junction with Farmers Avenue, extending 22 metres northwards.

A copy of the draft Order, a plan, the 2003 Order being amended and Statement of Reasons for making the Order can be viewed online at [www.norfolk.citizenspace.com](http://www.norfolk.citizenspace.com/). Copies are also available for inspection at Norfolk County Council, County Hall, Norwich, NR1 2DH and at the offices of Norwich City Council, St Peters St, Norwich NR2 1NH, during normal office hours. Online viewing is recommended.

Any objections and representations relating to this Order must be made in writing and specify the grounds on which they are made. All correspondence for these proposals must be received at the office of nplaw, Norfolk County Council, County Hall, Martineau Lane, Norwich, NR1 2DH, marked for the attention of Mr Hulse by 8th July 2025. They may also be emailed to TrafficOrders@norfolk.gov.uk.

The Officer dealing with the public enquiries concerning this scheme is Mr C Steil, telephone 01603 224450 or 0344 800 8020.

DATED this 13th day of June 2025

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Note: Information you send to the Council will be used for any purpose connected with these proposals and will be held as long as reasonably necessary for those purposes. It may also be released to others in response to freedom of information requests.