

**The Norfolk County Council  
(Dereham Market Place, Various Roads)  
(Prohibition of Loading and Unloading) Consolidation Order 2026**

The Norfolk County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 1(1), 2(1), 2(2), 4(1), 4(2) and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby make the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as The Norfolk County Council (Dereham Market Place, Various Roads) (Prohibition of Loading and Unloading) Consolidation Order 2026 and shall come into effect on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 2026.

2. In this Order –

Any reference to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment. Where the context otherwise requires the following expressions have the meaning hereby respectively assigned to them.

“Civil Enforcement Officer” has the same meaning as in section 76 of the Traffic Management Act 2004;

"Disabled Person's Badge" has the same meaning as in The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England) Regulations 2000 and a vehicle shall be regarded as displaying a Disabled Person's Badge in the relevant position, if

- (a) the badge is exhibited on the dashboard or fascia of the vehicle: or
- (b) where the vehicle is not fitted with a dashboard or fascia, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle

so that the front of the badge is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle

“General Directions” means The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016;

“Market” and “Stall” shall have the same meaning as in the Dereham Town Council Byelaws for Markets Order (2009);

"Parking Disc" means a device which:

- (a) is 125 millimetres square and coloured blue, if issued on or after 1<sup>st</sup> April 2000 or orange, if issued before that date;
- (b) has been issued by a local authority and has not ceased to be valid; and
- (c) is capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting has begun;

and a vehicle shall be regarded as displaying a Parking Disc in the relevant position, if:

- (d) the disc is exhibited on the dashboard or fascia of the vehicle; or
- (e) where the vehicle does not have a dashboard or fascia, the disc is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle

so that when marked to show the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting began, that period is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle

“The Regulations” means The Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (England) Regulations 2000 and The Local Authorities’ Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England) Regulations 2000, and any statutory modifications or re-enactments thereof;

3. Save as provided in Articles 4, 5 and 6 of this Order no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform or of a Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform, cause or permit any vehicle to load or unload along the lengths of road and during the period specified in the Schedule to this Order.
4. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall prohibit a person to cause or permit any vehicle to load or unload along the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order or on the side of roads referred to therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:
  - (a) the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in connection with any of the following operations, namely:
    - (i) building, industrial or demolition operations;
    - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
    - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said lengths of road or side of roads; or
    - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning in, or near, the said lengths of road or side of roads, of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any electronic communications apparatus as defined in the Digital Economy Act 2017 lawfully kept installed in any position.
    - (v) the provision of a universal postal service as defined in the Postal Services Act 2011;
    - (vi) where the vehicle is owned by a funeral director or owner of funeral vehicles, when in use as part of a funeral cortege
    - (vii) fire brigade, ambulance or police purposes

- (viii) in the service of a local authority or a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
  - (ix) to wait when the person in control of the vehicle is required to stop by law, or is obliged to stop in order to avoid an accident or is prevented from proceeding by circumstance outside their control
5. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall prohibit a person to cause or permit any vehicle which lawfully displays in the relevant position a Disabled Person's Badge and a Parking Disc to load or unload along the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order or on the side of roads referred to therein for a period not exceeding the time specified in The Regulations.
  6. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall prohibit a person to cause or permit any vehicle to load or unload along the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order to assemble a Stall and or load and unload goods for sale at the Market.
  7. The following Orders will become revoked on the date of commencement of this Order:
    - i. Schedule 3 of the Norfolk County Council (Dereham, Market Place and Church Street) (Prohibition of Waiting and of Loading and Unloading) Order 2013
  8. Insofar as any provision of this Order conflicts with any provision of any previous Order relating to the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order, that provision of this Order shall prevail.

### **Schedule**

In the Town of Dereham

#### Prohibition of Loading and Unloading – Tuesday and Friday – 06:00 hrs – 16:30 hrs

U30187 Market Place (South Side)	-	From its junction with the C540 Market Place westwards for a distance of 17 metres
U30187 Market Place (West Side)	-	From its junction with the U30127 Ruthen Place southwards for a distance of 75 metres
Market Place The area bounded by the C540 Market Place, the U30187 Market Place and the U30127 Ruthen Place	-	For the entire perimeter of the Market Place central area  For the entire area of the Market Place central area except for the marked goods vehicle loading bay situated at the northernmost tip
U30125 Church Street (North Side)	-	From its junction with the C540 Market Place westwards to its junction with the U30127 Quebec Street

Dated this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2026

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'KH', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Katrina Hulatt  
Director of Legal Services (nplaw)