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Our Reference: RED/PT/TM/EC/GaleRoadETRO

Dear Sir / Madam

Proposed No Stopping at Any Time Restrictions (Red Route) Experimental Traffic Regulation Order (ETRO) – Gale Road, Kirkby

Over a prolonged period of time, concerns have been raised with the Council over obstructive and indiscriminate parking problems caused by large commercial vehicles, resulting in safety concerns for pedestrians, and access and egress issues for vehicles accessing premises on Gale Road, Kirkby. As a result, the Council is receiving an increased number of complaints regarding considered, obstructive, and dangerous parking within the area.

At locations where parking is causing problems, the Council will consider implementing remedial measures. In this case, the optimum solution would be the implementation of No Stopping at Any Time (Red Route) restrictions, which will prohibit vehicles stopping at any time within the parameters of the Red Route (double red lines). The extents are shown on the attached plan no PT/TM/7360 and as described below.

• Gale Road, Kirkby – For its entire length.

The above-mentioned scheme will be introduced on a trial basis via an Experimental Traffic Regulation Order (ETRO) which will be implemented over the coming weeks and will be in place for a maximum period of 18 months.

During the first six months of the Experimental Traffic Order, we actively invite you to provide your comments and feedback to us. This will give the Council the opportunity to consider your views and in doing so, help us decide whether to make changes to the scheme, make the scheme permanent or withdraw the scheme, and revert back to the existing situation. Please send your views and feedback to Highway.consultations@knowsley.gov.uk and entitle your email Moss End Way ETRO by Monday 19th May 2025.

How will the scheme be enforced?

The proposed order will be enforced by the Council's team of Civil Enforcement Officers. It should be noted that Penalty Charge Notices (PCN's) can be issued instantly as no observation period is required with No Stopping at Any Time / Red Route orders, which will further deter abuse of the restriction. It should also be noted that postal PCNs will also be











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issued to vehicles that drive away during the process of issuing the PCN or on occasions where the PCN cannot be physically handed to the driver or affixed to the vehicle.

Details of the scheme will be uploaded onto the Knowsley Council website, which will allow the public to make comments on the proposals. In addition, the proposals will be advertised in The Metro when the order is made, and also by notices erected on site which will be maintained during the 6 month objection period. In addition, the documents will be made available for inspection on the Council's website when the advertisement is first published and will cease at the Order ceases to have effect.

Yours faithfully

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