

## LONDON BOROUGH OF WALTHAM FOREST

### PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER

1. This Public Spaces Protection Order ('Order') is made pursuant to Part 4, Chapter 2, section 59 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 ('ASBCPA 2014').
2. The order takes effect on [INSERT DATE] and has a duration of 36 months.
3. It applies to the public place: As marked in red on the attached map. This will be known as "The Restricted Area".
4. The Council is satisfied that activities have been carried out in this Restricted Area which have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality. Further, it is satisfied that the effect of these activities is or is likely to be of a persistent or continuing nature and is or is likely to be such as to make the activities unreasonable and the effect justifies the restrictions imposed.
5. The activities carried out are as follows:
  - a. Consumption of alcohol in a public place;
  - b. Begging in an aggressive or intimidating manner;
  - c. Individuals or groups causing or engaging in behaviour which is likely to cause harassment, alarm or distress to others;
  - d. Urinating, defecating, spitting or littering in a public place; and
  - e. Parking motor vehicles on zig zag markings outside school premises during operative hours
6. The Council therefore under section 59 (4) prohibits:
  - a. [Being in possession of an open container of, or consuming alcohol, save in premises falling within section 62 of the ASBCPA 2014]; or [failing to cease consuming alcohol or surrender any unsealed containers of alcohol which are reasonably believed to contain alcohol, when required to do so by an Authorised Officer in order to prevent public nuisance, anti-social behaviour or disorder];
  - b. Begging in an aggressive or intimidating manner;
  - c. Behaving in a manner which is likely to cause harassment, alarm or distress;
  - d. urinate, defecate, spit or litter in a public place; and
  - e. park or otherwise cause a motor vehicle to stop on zig zag marking outside school premises during operative hours.
7. The Council also stipulates the following requirements:

Any person directed to leave an area by any officer authorised to make such a direction by the Council or Police, shall do so. Such a direction may be given where the officer is satisfied that the person concerned has breached this order either by:

- a. consuming alcohol in the manner described in paragraph 6a above; or
  - b. by behaving in a manner which is likely to cause harassment, alarm or distress; or
  - c. Begging in an aggressive or intimidating manner.
8. Failure without reasonable excuse, to comply with the prohibitions or requirements imposed by this Order is a summary offence under section 67 of the 2014 Act. A person guilty of an offence under section 67 is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.
9. A constable or an authorised person may under section 68 of the 2014 Act issue a fixed penalty notice to anyone he or she has reason to believe has committed an offence under section 67 in relation to this Order.

Signed  
Dated