

The Essex County Council (Barrack Square, Tindal Square, New Street & Church Street, Chelmsford) (Prohibition of Motor Vehicles) Order 202*

The Essex County Council (hereinafter referred to as “the Council”) in exercise of its powers under Sections 1(1), 2(1) to (3), 3(2) and 4(1) and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (“the Act”) and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III to Schedule 9 to the Act, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. In this Order
“motor vehicle” has the same meaning as in Section 136 of the Act.
2. This Order shall be cited as The Essex County Council (Barrack Square, Tindal Square, New Street & Church Street, Chelmsford) (Prohibition of Motor Vehicles) Order 202* and shall come into operation on *****.
3. Save as provided in Article 6 of this Order, no person shall cause any motor vehicle to proceed in those lengths of roads in the City of Chelmsford as specified in Schedule 1 to this order (hereinafter referred to as the said length of roads).
4. Save as provided in Article 6, 7 & 8 no person shall cause any motor vehicle to proceed in those lengths of roads in the City of Chelmsford as specified in Schedule 2 to this order (hereinafter referred to as the said length of roads).
5. Save as provided in Article 6 & 9 no person shall cause any motor vehicle to proceed in those lengths of roads in the City of Chelmsford as specified in Schedule 3 to this order (hereinafter referred to as the said length of roads).
6. Nothing in Article 3, 4 & 5 of this Order shall apply so as to prevent any person from causing any motor vehicle to proceed in the length of roads specified in those Articles if the vehicle:-
 - (a) is being used for fire and rescue, police or ambulance purposes, if the observance of that provision would be likely to hinder the use of that motor vehicle for the purpose for which it is being used on that occasion;
 - (b) is being used in connection with any of the following operations to or from any premises situated on or adjacent to the said length of roads, namely:-
 - (i) building or demolition;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of those lengths of road;
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or on land adjacent to the said length of roads, of any sewer, or any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of water, gas or electricity, or any telegraphic line; or
 - (v) for removal of commercial refuse from commercial properties on or adjacent to the said length of roads;

- (c) is being used in the service of or contracted to a local authority or water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties.
 - (d) in any case where the person in control of the motor vehicle is required by law to stop, or is obliged to do so to avoid an accident, or is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond his/her control.
7. Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall apply so as to prevent any motor vehicle from proceeding along that length of road specified in schedule 2 to this order between the hours of 6pm and 9am to facilitate goods to be loaded or unloaded from that vehicle to or from premises within that length of road specified therein.
 8. Nothing in Article 4 shall apply so as to prevent any motor vehicle from proceeding along that length of road specified in schedule 2 to this order if the driver of said motor vehicle has a valid permit issued by Chelmsford City Council.
 9. Nothing in Article 5 shall apply so as to prevent any motor vehicle from proceeding along that length of road specified in schedule 3 to this order to access the Cathedral for Cathedral business purposes.
 10. 'The Borough of Chelmsford (Church Street, Chelmsford) (Prohibition of Driving) Order 1991' is hereby revoked.
 11. The Council are satisfied that for avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road to which the order relates or any other road, it is requisite that Section 3(1) of the Act should not apply in relation to this Order.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Essex County Council this ***** day of *****Two thousand and *****.

THE COMMON SEAL of the)
 ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL was)
 hereunto affixed in the presence of:-)

Schedule 1

Road	Description
Barrack Square, Chelmsford	From a point approximately 8 metres north west from Moulsham Street, north west for 23 metres.

Schedule 2

Road	Description
Tindal Square, Chelmsford	From its junction with Duke Street and Tindal Street to its junction with New Street.
New Street, Chelmsford	From its junction with Tindal Square to its junction with Waterloo Lane.

Schedule 3

Road	Description
Church Street, Chelmsford	From a point approximately 16.4 metres east of its junction with Church Lane to a point 20.8 metres west of its junction with New Street.