

# PUBLIC NOTICE



**STATEMENT OF REASONS  
THE PORTSMOUTH CITY COUNCIL  
(ON-STREET PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT TO THE CHARGING HOURS)  
ORDER 2025**

This Order is being proposed for the following reasons:

- a) For avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising; or
- b) For preventing damage to the road or to any building on or near the road; or
- c) For facilitating the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians); or
- d) For preventing the use of the road by vehicular traffic of a kind which, or its use by vehicular traffic in a manner which, is unsuitable having regard to the existing character of the road or adjoining property; or
- e) (without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (d) above) for preserving the character of the road in a case where it is specially suitable for use by persons on horseback or on foot, or
- f) For preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs
- g) For any of the purposes specified in paragraphs (a) to (c) of subsection (1) of section 87 of the Environment Act 1995 (air quality)

In authorising the advertisement of these proposals the Council has given consideration to its duty under s.122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and other traffic (including pedestrians) and the provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on and off the highway (while having regard to the matters specified in s.122 subsection (2) of that Act).