Bispham Alley Gate Scheme Public Space Protection Order

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The Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Order Act 2014

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Blackpool Borough Council ("the Council"), in exercise of its powers under section 59 of the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 ("the Act") and under all other enabling powers being satisfied that all conditions set out in section 59 of the Act have been met hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order applies to the public spaces within the Borough of Blackpool described in the Schedule to this Order ("the Restricted Access Areas").
2. The Order is required due to the high levels of crime and anti-social behaviour associated with the Restricted Areas prior to the installation of lockable alley gates; and having had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those living in the locality, was persistent and continuing in nature, and was unreasonable.
3. Save for the exemptions in Article 4 below, no person shall use the public right of way over the Restricted Area at any time.
4. Nothing in Article 3 above shall apply to the following:-
    - The owners and occupiers of adjoining premises as described in the Schedule to this Order
    - Police, Fire, Rescue Services and NHS personnel in the exercise of their duties:
    - Employees contractors or agents of statutory undertakings requiring access to apparatus (water, gas, electricity and telecommunications providers) in the exercise of their functions; and
    - Local Authority officers and their contractors or agents including local Town Centre Bid Officers in the exercise of their functions
5. Gates restricting access may be installed, operated and maintained in a Restricted Area by the Council.
6. Any person using the gates referred to in Article 5 to gain access to or from a Restricted Area shall ensure that the gates are closed and locked immediately after use. Failure to do so would amount to a breach of this order.
7. The Council is responsible for maintenance of the gates. The responsible department for maintenance can be contacted on 01253 477477 or issues reported on line Report An Alley Gate Fault (blackpool.gov.uk)
8. Any person without reasonable excuse fails to comply with the requirements of this Order commits an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding Level 3 on the standard scale.
9. This Order may be cited as the Blackpool Borough Council, Bispham Ward (Restricted Access) Public Space Protection Order 2021 and applies to the public places described in the Schedule to this Order and shown on the Plans attached to the Order ("the Restricted Access Areas")
10. This Order shall come into force on 15 December 2021 and shall have effect and remain in force for a period of three years from that date, unless extended pursuant to section 60 of the Act.
11. If any interested person desires to question the validity of this Order on the grounds that the Council had no powers to make it or that any requirement of the Act has not been complied with in relation to this Order, he or she may apply to the High Court within

six weeks of this Order being made.

Alley Gate Scheme/Public Space Protection order Schedule: Bispham

Scheme 1: Beaufort Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 2-12 Beaufort Avenue
- 31-71 Red Bank Road

Alternative routes for public access are via Beaufort Avenue, England Avenue and Red Bank Road.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Beaufort Avenue.

Scheme 2: Cavendish Road 1, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 182-216 Cavendish Road
- 158-198 Red Bank Road
- 1-11 Sunny Bank Avenue

There are no alternative routes for public access.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Cavendish Road 1.

Scheme 3: Chatsworth Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 1-31 Chatsworth Avenue
- 1-29 Norcliffe Road
- 2-24 Norbreck Road
- 332-344 Queens Promenade

Alternative routes for public access are via Chatsworth Avenue, Norcliffe Road, Norbreck Road and Queens Promenade.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Chatsworth Avenue.

Scheme 4: Cliff Place Scheme, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 1-19 Hesketh Avenue
- 8-16 Cliff Place
- 7-11 Cliff Place

Alternative routes for public access are via Hesketh Avenue and Cliff Place.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Cliff Place.

Scheme 5: Daventry Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 2-28 Daventry Avenue
- 23-59 Hesketh Avenue
- 306-314 Warbreck Drive

Alternative routes for public access are via Daventry Avenue, Hesketh Avenue and Warbreck Drive.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Cliff Place.

Scheme 6: Edenvale Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 1-27 Daventry Avenue
- 7-11 Edenvale Avenue
- 4-8 Carlton Grove
- 40 Cavendish Road
- 284-298 Warbreck Drive

Alternative routes for public access are via Daventry Avenue, Edenvale Avenue, Carlton Grove and Warbreck Drive.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Edenvale Place.

Scheme 7: Haddon Road, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 12-46 Chatsworth Avenue
- 3-43 Haddon Road
- 31-37 Norcliffe Road

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Haddon Road.

Scheme 8: Melville Road, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 11-31 Melville Road
- 4-14 Bamber Avenue

Alternative routes for public access are via Melville Road, Bamber Avenue, England Avenue and Red Bank Road.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Melville Road.

Scheme 9: Norcliffe Road, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 111-121 Norcliffe Road
- 185-207 Red Bank Road
- 2-26 Rivington Avenue

Alternative routes for public access are via Norcliffe Road, Red Bank Road and Rivington Avenue.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Norcliffe Road.

Scheme 10: Norcliffe Road 1, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 14-66 Norcliffe Road
- 46-86 Norbreck Road
- 103 Everist Drive
- 37 Lanark Avenue
- 24-50 Hanover Crescent

Alternative routes for public access are via Norcliffe Road, Norbreck Road, Everist Drive, Lanark Avenue and Hanover Crescent.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Norcliffe Road 1.

Scheme 11: Oldfield Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 49-57 Sunnybank Avenue
- 22-28 Oldfield Avenue

Alternative route for public access are via Sunnybank Avenue.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Oldfield Avenue.

Scheme 12: Pennystone Road, Bispham

- Addresses contained within the PSPO:
- 1-19 Beaufort Avenue
- 1-3 Pennystone Road
- 226-250 Queens Promenade
- 1-27 Red Bank Road

Alternative routes for public access are via Beaufort Avenue, Pennystone Road, Queens Promenade and Red Bank Road.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Pennystone Road.

Scheme 13: Sunnybank Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 120-168 Cavendish Road
- 9 Oldfield Road
- 96-138 Red Bank Road
- 2-8 Sunnybank Avenue

Alternative routes for public access are via Cavendish Road, Oldfield Road, Red Bank Road and Sunnybank Avenue.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Sunnybank Avenue.

Scheme 14: Warbreck Drive, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 395-423 Warbreck Drive

Alternative routes for public access are via Warbreck Drive.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Warbreck Drive.

Scheme 15: Wolverton Avenue, Bispham

Addresses contained within the PSPO:

- 6 Lowther Avenue
- 3-5 Wolverton Avenue
- 100-106 Queens Promenade
- 1-15 Lowther Court

Alternative routes for public access are via Lowther Avenue, Queens Promenade, Lowther Court and Wolverton Avenue.

Following the consultation in December 2020 no comments or objections were received regarding the Alley Gate scheme known as Wolverton Avenue.

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