

# PUBLIC NOTICE



**GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
(CHELTENHAM TOWN CENTRE)  
(NOTICE OF PROPOSED NEW ZEBRA CROSSINGS AND PUFFIN  
CROSSING AND REMOVAL OF EXISTING PELICAN CROSSING)  
2014**

NOTICE is hereby given that Gloucestershire County Council in exercise of its powers under Section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended), intend to place new Zebra Crossings in the places described in Schedule 1 below and a new Puffin Crossing in the place described in Schedule 2 below. They also intend to remove the Pelican Crossing described in Schedule 3 below.

## **Explanatory Note**

A Pelican Crossing is a pedestrian light controlled crossing. There is a push button which pedestrians press to make the lights change. The light indicating when it is safe to cross is placed on the far side of the road (the side to which the pedestrian is crossing). It has a standard traffic light sequence.

A Puffin Crossing is a pedestrian user-friendly intelligent crossing. There is a push button which pedestrians press to make the lights change. The light indicating when it is safe to cross is placed on the near side of the road, rather than on the far side. The system also utilises sensors which detect the presence of pedestrians waiting at the crossing and as they are crossing the road. It has a standard traffic light sequence but does not have a flashing amber stage which reduces the amount of vehicles that pull away before the lights have finished their phase.

A Zebra Crossing is an area of road painted with broad white stripes typically highlighted with the use of belisha beacons where vehicles must give way if pedestrians wish to cross.

A Signalised Pedestrian Crossing consists of signal displays and line markings. They give priority to vehicles, and pedestrians are allowed to cross only when the signals halt vehicle traffic on the through road. They rely on compliance with traffic signals. Crossings are incorporated into existing traffic signals with a pedestrian phase included.

## **SCHEDULE 1**

### **New Zebra Crossings to be installed**

1. A46 Albion Street, at its western junction with Winchcombe Street (to replace existing Signalised Junction Pedestrian Crossing).
2. A46 Royal Well Road, from a point approximately 17 metres south west of its kerb line with Crescent Terrace for a distance of 5 metres.
3. A46 Royal Well Road, at its eastern junction with St Georges Road (to replace existing Signalised Junction Pedestrian Crossing).

4. 3/9007 St Georges Road, at its eastern junction with Montpellier Street (to replace existing Signalised Junction Pedestrian Crossing).
5. A46, Bath Road from a point approximately 9 metres north east of its junction with Sandford Street for a distance of 5 metres.

## SCHEDULE 2

### **New Puffin Crossing to be installed**

A46, Bath Road north east at its junction with Vernon Place (to replace existing Signalised Junction Pedestrian Crossing).

## SCHEDULE 3

### **Pelican Crossing to be removed**

A46 Royal Well Road, from a point approximately 17 metres south west of its kerb line with Crescent Terrace for a distance of 5 metres.

The roads fall within the Lansdown Ward, College Ward and All Saints Ward within the Cheltenham Borough in the County of Gloucestershire.

A copy of the Notice together with the relevant plans, statement of reasons, draft due regard statement and other associated draft traffic regulation orders and notices may be inspected during normal office hours at the offices of Gloucestershire County Council, Shire Hall, Westgate Street, Gloucester, GL1 2TG, Cheltenham Borough Council, Municipal Offices, Promenade, Cheltenham, GL50 1PJ and Cheltenham Library, Clarence Street, Cheltenham, GL50 3JT during their normal opening hours (please quote reference JKS/52372) or can be viewed at [www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/extra/ctptro](http://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/extra/ctptro)

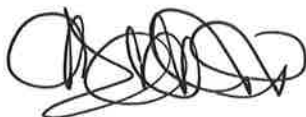
Any objections or representations in respect of the above proposal, together with the ground on which it is made, should be sent in writing addressed to the Head of Legal Services, Shire Hall, Westgate Street, Gloucester, GL1 2TG or can be sent to [TROCheltTP@gloucestershire.gov.uk](mailto:TROCheltTP@gloucestershire.gov.uk) (please quote reference JKS/52372) no later than the ~~22<sup>nd</sup> November~~ 2014.

Any representations made during the previous consultation undertaken 28<sup>th</sup> March – 28<sup>th</sup> April 2014 will remain valid for the purposes of this new consultation. In light of the amendments made further representations are welcomed along with any withdrawal of previous objections.

Any comments that you make concerning this proposal cannot be treated as confidential. For further details about how we deal with your comments and your personal details, please go to <http://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/extra/tro>

Dated ~~30<sup>th</sup> October~~

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