

## Due Regard for Permanent/Experimental TROs

The Council has a duty to give 'due regard to' the following three aims of the public sector equality duty (section 149 of the Equality Act 2010) during the development of the 'policy'.<sup>1</sup>

- Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited by the ACT:
- Advance equality of opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and people who do not share it; and
- Foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic

An initial assessment against each of the protected groups is provided below – any issues highlighted through the consultation process will be considered and reported at the end of the consultation period.

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| <b>Scheme name</b>                                 | <b>Waiting and Stopping restrictions, Various Roads, Abbeydale, Abbeymead and Barnwood Wards, Gloucester</b>                                                 |
| <b>Protected group</b>                             | <b>Challenge or opportunity considered and what we did</b>                                                                                                   |
| <b>Age(A)</b>                                      | <b>The No Stopping on School Entrance Marking restrictions will improve road safety for school age children in the vicinity of Abbeymead Primary School.</b> |
| <b>Disability (D)</b>                              | <b>The No Waiting proposals will not prevent Blue Badge Holders from waiting for a maximum of 3 hours if it is safe to do so.</b>                            |
| <b>Sex (S)</b>                                     | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Race (including Gypsy &amp; Traveller) (R))</b> | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Gender reassignment (GR)</b>                    | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Marriage &amp; civil partnership (MCP)</b>      | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Pregnancy &amp; maternity (PM)</b>              | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Religion and/or Belief (RAOB)</b>               | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Sexual Orientation (SO)</b>                     | <b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>                                                                        |

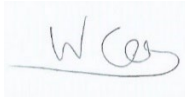
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<sup>1</sup> For 'policy': any new and existing policy, strategy, services, functions, work programme, project, practice and activity. This includes decisions about budgets, procurement, commissioning or de-commissioning services, service design and implementation.

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**Dated: 12<sup>th</sup> September 2025**

**Signed:**



Scheme officer  
On behalf of Gloucestershire County Council

**Name: Hannah Bassett-Louis**

**Dated: 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

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### **Monitoring and Review**

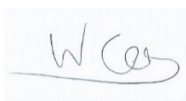
Please identify any aspects that require reconsideration following the TRO process, identify any amendments made in relation to due regard and give reasoning.

Representations were received regarding people with mobility issues having to park far away from their property. If these objectors or family members are a blue badge holder they would be able to apply for an advisory disabled bay marking. Whilst this would not be able to be placed in the areas which the restrictions are proposed, it could be placed in an unrestricted section of carriageway adjacent to the restrictions and near to their property. Information and the application form can be found here: [Disabled Marked Bay and H Marking - Highways \(pplprojects.co.uk\)](https://pplprojects.co.uk). Disabled Badge Holders are permitted to park on Double Yellow Lines for up to 3 hours provided that it is safe to do so. Loading and Unloading are also permitted on No Waiting at Any Time restrictions. Therefore, the existing arrangements would be permitted under the proposal and would have no impact on the objectors. Additionally, unrestricted parking will remain nearby on-street outside of the areas restricted by the proposals, continuing to provide on-street parking in the vicinity

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