

**London Borough of Barnet**  
**Public Spaces Protection Order Number 1 of 2019 – Dog Control**  
**Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014**

This order may be cited as the London Borough of Barnet Public Spaces Protection Order Number 1 of 2019 for Dog Control.

The London Borough of Barnet in exercise of its power under section 59 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (the Act) hereby makes the following order:

1. This order shall commence into operation **from 00.01hrs Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019 and ends on 23.59hrs Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021** (2 years), unless extended.
2. This order relates to that part of the London Borough of Barnet as shown within the red lines on the attached plan (the Restricted Area).
3. The Council is satisfied that the conditions set out in Section 59 (2) of the Act have been met in that anti-social behaviour has been carried out within the 'Restricted Area' caused by poor dog control resulting in behaviour that causes harassment, alarm and distress and dog fouling.
4. The Council is also satisfied that the conditions set out in Section 59 (3) of the Act have been met. Namely, that the effect or likely effect of the activities are persistent or continuing in nature, are such as to make them unreasonable, and justify the restrictions imposed by this order.

**CONDITIONS**

This order applies to all public places within the 'Restricted Area' as defined within the red lines marked on the map below.

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- 1. All persons must ensure that they remove all dog fouling for the dog(s) they are walking.***
- 2. A person must not walk more than four (4) dogs in the restricted area at any time.***
- 3. A person walking more than two dogs at the same time must only allow a maximum of two (2) dogs off the lead at any one time.***
- 4. All professional dog walkers must ensure they have public liability insurance and are carrying a copy of their certificate of insurance so that it can be presented to a police or council officer upon request.***

**Exemptions:** the order does not apply to service dogs such as guide dogs for the disabled, deaf or registered blind people.

## **OFFENCE**

Any person who, in the 'Restricted Area', without reasonable excuse, fails to adhere to these conditions commits an offence.

## **PENALTIES**

A person who commits an offence under this order shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale. A fixed penalty notice may be issued as an opportunity to discharging any liability to conviction for the offence.

## **DEFINITIONS**

**Authorised Person** – means a person authorised by the London Borough of Barnet for the purposes of enforcing public spaces protection orders, and who must be able to present their authority if it is requested.

**Constable** - An officer of the Metropolitan Police Service

**The Act** – The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014

**Restricted Area** – That part of the Borough of Barnet within the red lines as shown in the map attached

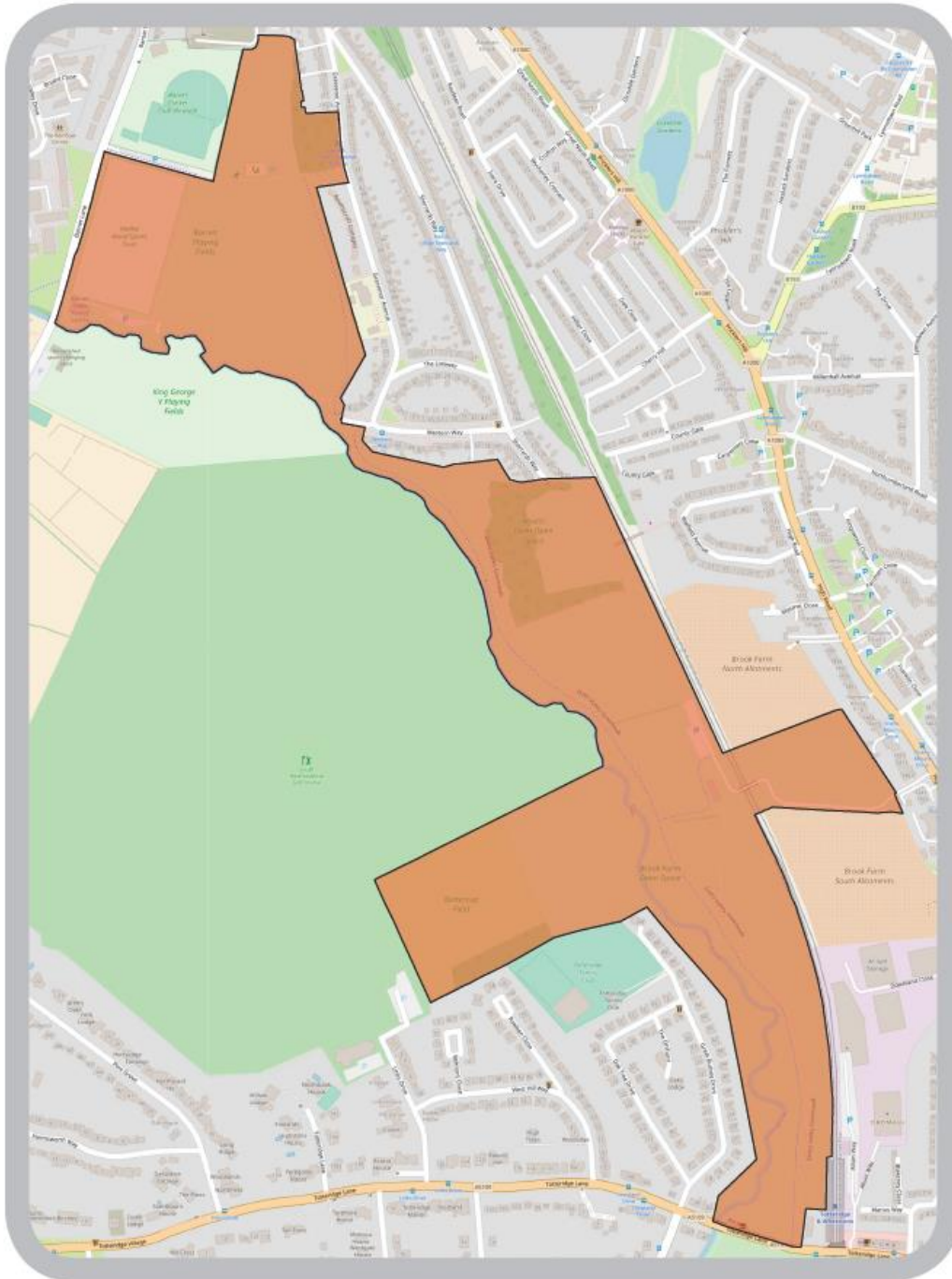
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**Barnet Council (date signed): 30/04/2019**

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## The Restricted Area



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