



London Borough of Barnet
Public Spaces Protection Order Number 2 of 2019 – High Barnet
Town Centre
Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014

This order may be cited as the London Borough of Barnet High Barnet Public Spaces Protection Order Number 2 of 2019.

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 Friday 1st November 2019 and ends on 23.59hrs Sunday 31st October 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 the consumption of alcohol resulting in behaviour that causes harassment, alarm and distress and littering.
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.

PROHIBITIONS

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

Any person drinking alcohol, or in possession of any container (sealed or unsealed) reasonably believed to contain alcohol, must not refuse to stop drinking or must not refuse to hand over the container(s) when required to do so by a constable or an authorised person.

Exemptions: the order does not apply to locations within a licensed premise or to locations which fall under a relevant temporary event notice authorisation.

OFFENCE

Any person who, in the 'Restricted Area', without reasonable excuse, refuses to stop consuming alcohol or hand over any container(s) (sealed or unsealed where the Constable or authorised person has reasonable grounds to believe it contains alcohol) 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 2 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): 23/10/2019

**Executive Director, Environment:
Mr Jamie Blake**

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The Restricted Area –

