

RE Highways Network Management, Colindale Offices, 2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW 17 March 2021 Our ref: 7082620

Thank you for your request received on 3 March 2021, for the following information:

Please treat this email as a formal request for information under the Freedom of Information Act

Please provide the following information in respect of Yellow Line Parking Restrictions at Raleigh Close London NW4

- 1. Copies of all printed or electronically held policies and procedures in respect of parking restrictions
- 2. Copies of all traffic orders
- 3. Copies of all applicable local byelaws
- 4. Copies of the Policy that requires the parking restriction
- 5. Copies of the reasoned justification for the parking restriction
- 6. Evidence of the reason why the parking restriction is required
- 7. All and any documents that support the need to implement a yellow line parking restriction within this location

In short, we are seeking to understand why the yellow line restriction was originally imposed and the basis upon which the local authority can justify their refusal to countenance the placement of a builders skip upon a yellow line restriction that applies for 1 hour per day in a location with no through traffic

It is clear that the reason behind the imposition of the 1 hour per day parking restriction is to deter commuters from parking in this location, there are no through traffic or safety related concerns - on that the refusal to consider allowing the placement of a skip on the public highway outside our clients home is completely unreasonable

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We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Response

The council holds the information requested and it is attached and below.

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https://www.barnet.gov.uk/sites/default/files/assets/citizenportal/documents/parkingroadsandpavements/Parking/BarnetParkingPolicyNovemebr2015.pdf

2. Copies of all traffic orders

TMO attached (2014 120)

Follow link for Map Schedule:

https://www.barnettraffweb.co.uk/data/msched/AK17 rv1 1.pdf

3. Copies of all applicable local byelaws

N/A

4. Copies of the Policy that requires the parking restriction

Policy is not applicable. Raleigh Close NW4 is included within the HC1 CPZ which operates Monday to Friday 11am to 12midday. This CPZ was introduced in 2004. Regulations stipulate that all kerb side space must be restricted within a CPZ and as such yellow line waiting restriction were placed where it is considered parking should not take place, i.e. where parking may cause obstruction and/or safety concerns.

5. Copies of the reasoned justification for the parking restriction

Link to press notice below and statement of reasons for original cpz introduction attached https://www.thegazette.co.uk/notice/L-57261-540

Please also see section 14 of the Traffic Signs Manual-Chapter 3, in the following link:

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/782724/traffic-signs-manual-chapter-03.pdf

6. Evidence of the reason why the parking restriction is required

Committee report from 2001 pertaining to introducing a CPZ attached (hendon and mill hill east cpz)

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As above and attached

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Further information

If you are interested in the data that the council holds you may wish to visit Open Barnet, the council's data portal. This brings together all our published datasets and other information of interest on one searchable database for anyone, anywhere to access. http://open.barnet.gov.uk/

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If, having exhausted our review procedure, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you will have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF (telephone: 0303 123 1113; website www.ico.org.uk). There is no charge for making an appeal.