STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING

THE BOROUGH OF WATFORD (VARIOUS ROADS, PART A WATFORD) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2025

- 1. The general effect of the order would be to provide 'No Waiting At Any Time' waiting restriction at the following locations.
 - On north side Middle Way from its junction Middle Ope
 - On west side of **Gade Avenue** on approach to the junction with Rickmansworth Road
 - On the west side of **Sheepcot Lane**, between property no. 88 92
 - On Sheepcot Drive from its junction with Sheepcot Lane
 - On Munden Grove from its junction with Balmoral Road
 - On Hill Farm Close from its junction with Hill farm Avenue
 - At the junction of Avon Close and Severn way
 - Around the turning circle on Farmers Close
 - At the junction of the vehicular access into property no.12-42 with **Haines Way**
 - 2. The effect of the order is to provide 'No Loading At Any Time' waiting restriction at the following locations:
 - Around the turning circle outside the North Watford Cemetery Entrance (A41)
 - At the junction of **Briar Road** and **North Approach**
 - 3. The effect of the order is to provide a single yellow line operating 'No Waiting Monday Saturday, 8am 6.30pm' waiting restriction at the following location:
 - On the north side of Balmoral Road, between Sandown Road and Bradshaw Road

The implementation of the proposed waiting restrictions within the above-named order are necessary for the following reasons:

- For avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising, through restricting parking around junctions.
- For preserving or improving the amenity of the area through which the road runs.
- To ensure roads do not become over congested with parked vehicles causing difficulty for statutory and emergency service vehicles navigating the road
- To prevent traffic from obstructing access points/areas which would otherwise pose a safety issue or raise difficulties with access.

The Council reserves the right to produce an amended or further statement in the context of any public enquiry or judicial proceedings to these proposals.

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