

## **KIRKLEES COUNCIL**

### **(TRAFFIC REGULATION) (CONSOLIDATION ORDER PROVIDING ON-STREET PARKING PLACES, WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS AND MIGRATION TO A 'MAP-BASED' FORMAT) ORDER 2024 (AMENDMENT NO. 17) ORDER 2024**

#### **VARIOUS ROADS IN DEWSBURY, CLECKHEATON, LIVERSEDGE AND BATLEY**

##### **Statement of Reasons for proposing to make the order**

This order is proposed to introduce a number of new parking restrictions on the A638 Dewsbury to Oakenshaw corridor and side roads along this corridor, this work is being funded by a collaborative initiative between Kirklees Council and the West Yorkshire Combined Authority to reduce high traffic volumes along the A638 which contribute to congestion, reduced air quality, and safety concerns for pedestrians and cyclists.

The restrictions are to support physical changes including traffic calming and new pedestrian crossings which are designed to reduce vehicle speeds, improve safety for pedestrians and cyclists. Especially where a continuous footway/cycleway on the A638 prioritizes pedestrian and cyclist movements at side road junctions.

The implementation of these restrictions are expected to increase road safety for pedestrians and cyclists.