

# Public notice

## The Essex County Council (Wake Road, High Beech, Waltham Abbey) (Prohibition of Motor Vehicles) Order 2021

**Notice is hereby given** that the Essex County Council has made the above Order under Sections 9 and 10 and Parts III of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

**Effect of the orders:** To introduce an experimental prohibition of motor vehicles on the following length of road:

Road	Description
Wake Road (known locally as Manor Road), High Beech, Waltham Abbey	Between its junctions with Wellington Hill and Pauls Nursery Road.

During the hours of operation the road will be closed via lockable gates. The times of operation will be seasonal in order to align with the shift patterns of the Epping Forest Keepers/Constables, who will facilitate the opening and closing of the gates. The pattern will be approximately as follows:

Approximate time of year	Time of restriction
Mid March - End March	5pm to 8am
End March – Mid May	6.30pm to 8am
Mid May – Mid August	8pm to 8am
Mid August – Mid September	6.30pm to 8am
Mid September – Mid October	5pm to 8am
Mid October – Mid March	4pm to 8am

The relevant timings will be clearly signed on site with the times of when the order is in operation, which will be amended throughout the year as the time of restriction changes.

Exemptions to the restriction will apply at all times to emergency service vehicles and maintenance vehicles.

**Date of operation:** The Order will come into operation on **30 April 2021** and is due to last for a maximum of 18 months.

**Further details:** All associated documents are available on the Essex Highways website for inspection:

<http://www.essexhighways.org/Transport-and-Roads/Highway-Schemes-and-Developments/Traffic-Regulation-Orders.aspx>

If you need to view a hard copy of these documents please call 07515999663 to arrange a suitable time to inspect the documents quoting the below reference number. Documents can be made available for inspection 8.30am-5.30pm Mon-Thurs and 8.30am-5pm on Friday at Essex County Council, County Hall E block main reception, Market Road, Chelmsford if so required following the current social distancing restrictions. Alternatively documents can be posted to you upon request.



**Objections:** The Essex County Council will consider in due course whether the provisions of the experimental order should be continued in force indefinitely. Within a period of six months beginning from the date on which the experimental order came into force, or if that order is varied by another order or modified pursuant to Section 10(2) of the 1984 Act, beginning with the day on which the variation or modification or the latest variation or modification came into force, any person may object to the making of an order for the purpose of such indefinite continuation. Any such objections must be e-mailed to [TrafficRegulation.Order@essexhighways.org](mailto:TrafficRegulation.Order@essexhighways.org) quoting reference **TRAF/7554** by **31 October 2021**. All comments will be welcome in order that the effectiveness of the scheme may be judged.

Dated: 22 April 2021  
County Hall  
Chelmsford

Essex County Council  
Network Assurance