

NORTH SOMERSET DISTRICT COUNCIL

**(VARIOUS ROADS, BACKWELL, NORTH SOMERSET) (PROHIBITION OF VEHICLES
OVER 6 FOOT WIDTH) ORDER 20****

The District of North Somerset (hereinafter referred to as "the Council") in exercise of its powers under Sections 1(1) and (2), 2(4) and 3(2) and of Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended, (hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1984") and of all other enabling powers, after consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act of 1984, hereby makes the following order:-

1. This Order shall come into place on the XXXXXXXX and will be cited as North Somerset District Council (Various Roads, Backwell, North Somerset) (Prohibition of Vehicles Over 6 Foot Width) Order XXXX.
2. In this Order:-
 - “goods” includes money and postal packets of any description;
 - “money” includes a cheque, banknote, postal order or money order;
 - “public service vehicle” has the meaning assigned to it by Section 1(1)(a) of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981;
 - “school bus” has the meaning assigned to it by Section 1(2) of the School Bus (Safety) Bill 2008-2009.
3. Save as provided in Article 4 and 5 of this Order, no person shall cause or permit any vehicle, the width of which exceeds six foot, inclusive of any load the vehicle is carrying, to enter or proceed in the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 to this Order.
4. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle the width of which exceeds 6 feet, inclusive of any load, to enter or proceed in the lengths of roads or on the sides of roads referred to in that Article if the vehicle is being used –
 - (a) for or in connection with the conveyance of goods or merchandise to or from any premises situated on or adjacent to that road;
 - (b) for the purpose of agriculture in connection with land adjacent to that road or for the conveyance or haulage of timber felled upon that land;
 - (c) in connection with carrying out on or on premises situated on or adjacent to that length of road any of the following operations -
 - (i) building, industrial or demolition operations;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said length of road or sides of road;
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in, or in land adjacent to, the said length of road or sides of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe

or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunication apparatus as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;

- (d) to proceed to or from premises which are situated on or adjacent to that road at which the vehicle is to be, or has been garaged, serviced or repaired;
- (e) in the service of a Local Authority, the Environment Agency, a water undertaker or sewerage undertaker in pursuance of statutory powers or duties and cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road;
- (f) for the purpose of collecting postal packets as defined in Section 125(1) of the Postal Services Act 2000;
- (g) any security company armoured vehicle to be used for the purpose of delivering or collecting money;
- (h) for fire brigade, ambulance or police in the execution of their duties.

5. Nothing in Article 3 of this order shall apply to –

- a. a public service vehicle;
- b. a school bus;

6. The item specified in Schedule 2 of this Order is hereby be revoked.

Given under the Common Seal of North Somerset District Council the XXXXXX.

The COMMON SEAL of)
the DISTRICT COUNCIL)
of NORTH SOMERSET)
was hereunto affixed in)
the presence of:-)

N P BRAIN
Head of Legal and
Democratic Services

SCHEDULE 1
Prohibition of Vehicles Exceeding 6 Foot Width

Backwell Hill Road – extending from its junction with the A370 Farleigh Road, to its junction with Long Lane, a distance of approximately 237 metres.

Hyatts Wood Road – extending from its junction with Long Lane to its junction with Downside Road, a distance of approximately 1691 metres.

SCHEDULE 2
Item to be Revoked

Somerset (Roads at Backwell) (Width Restriction) Order 1971, item 1 of the Schedule, referring to Downside-Farleigh Class III road, is hereby revoked.

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NOTICE OF INTENT

NORTH SOMERSET DISTRICT COUNCIL

(VARIOUS ROADS, BACKWELL, NORTH SOMERSET) (PROHIBITION OF VEHICLES OVER SIX FOOT WIDTH) ORDER 201#

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that North Somerset Council proposes to make an order under sections 1(1) and (2), 2(4) and 3(2), and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended (hereinafter referred to as the Act of 1984), and of all other enabling powers, after consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act of 1984, the effect of which will be to;

1. Prohibit the movement of vehicles the width of which, inclusive of any load on the vehicle, exceeds six foot to proceed in the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Notice.

Full details of the proposals are contained in the draft orders, which together with a map, a Statement of the Council's Reasons for proposing to make the order may be inspected at the Highways and Transport Department, Castlewood, Tickenham Road, Clevedon BS21 6FW (callers should report to Reception and ask for the Highways Section) during normal office hours. Alternatively, you can view the documents at Town Hall, Walliscote Grove Road, Weston-super-Mare, BS23 1UJ, or online using the QR code below or at the following website address:

<https://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/notices>

Should you wish to make any observations on this proposal (whether you support or object to the proposal) you should make them in writing to the Director of Development and Environment at the above mentioned address quoting reference **VR Backwell/6FW** by the **01/12/2017**, or at the email address below. Any objections must specify the grounds on which they are made. Please note that all representations received may be considered in public by the Council and that the substance of any representation together with the name and address of the person making it could become available for public inspection.

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Dated: 09/11/2017

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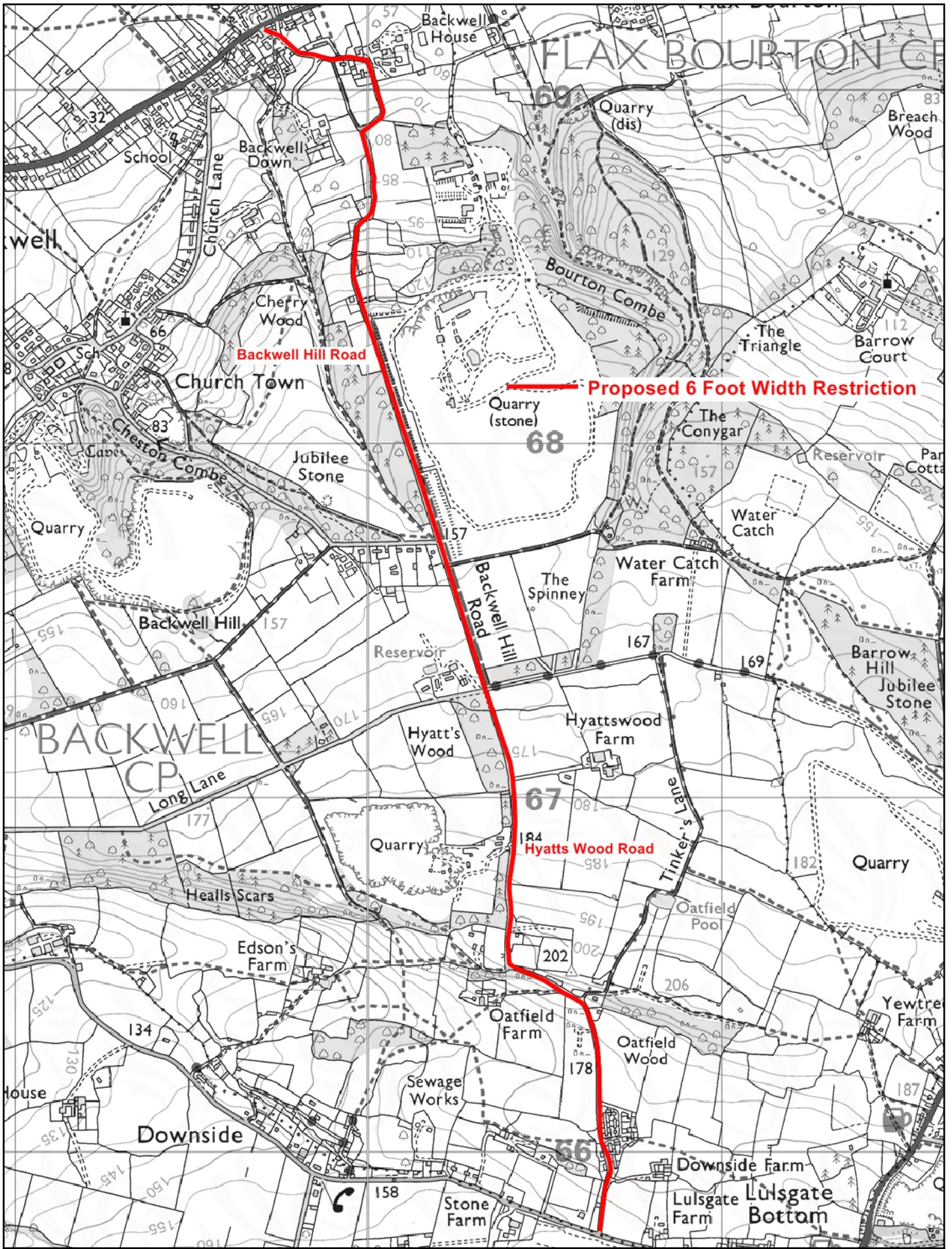


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Proposed 6 Foot Width Restriction, Backwell, North Somerset

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Statement of Reasons

Both Backwell Hill Road and Hyatts Wood Road were exempt from the Somerset (Roads at Backwell) (Width Restriction) Order 1971 due to the operation of Hyatts Wood Quarry. As this quarry is no longer operational, it is now appropriate to extend the width restriction to include Backwell Hill Road and Hyatts Wood Road.

This Order will:-

- Avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the roads, and will prevent the likelihood of any danger arising;
- Prevent damage to the roads or any building located on or near the specified roads;
- Facilitate the passage on the roads, or any other roads, of any class of traffic (including pedestrians);
- Prevent the use of the roads by vehicular traffic which, or its use by vehicular traffic in a manner which, is unsuitable having regard to the existing character of the road or adjoining property;
- Preserve the character of the roads in a case where it is specially suitable for use by persons on horseback or on foot;
- Preserve or improve the amenities of the area through which the road runs.

Highways and Transport
Development and Environment
North Somerset Council
Dated: 09/11/2017