GLOUCESTER CITY COUNCIL

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER (PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER 2018) (ALCOHOL PROHIBITION) EXTENSION ORDER 2024 (as varied)

Section 60, Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014

DATED: 12th NOVEMBER 2026

The Council of the City of Gloucester (referred to hereafter as 'the Council') hereby makes the following Public Spaces Protection Order. The land outlined and highlighted in blue in Appendix 2 being land in the area of the Council ("the Designated Area") is land to which the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 ("the Act") applies and is protected by the Order.

This Order may be cited as the Council of the City of Gloucester (Public Spaces Protection Order 2018) (Alcohol Prohibition) Extension Order 2024 (as varied) ("the Order").

The Council in exercise of its power under section 60 of the Act and of all other enabling powers being satisfied that that the conditions set out in section 60 of the Act have been met extended the Original Order which came into force on 30th November 2018. The Order was further extended on 30th November 2021 for a duration of 3 years and further extended on 30th November 2024 for a duration of 3 years.

The Order is varied on 12th November 2026 pursuant to section 61 of the Act by including an additional requirement at Paragraph 1 of Appendix 1 that if certain conditions are met an officer or authorised person may direct a person to leave the Designated Area. This document incorporates the variation. The Council is satisfied the conditions in section 59(2) and (3) are met as regards activities in the area.

The prohibitions and requirements, which are contained in Paragraphs 1 of Appendix 1, are imposed on the use of the Designated Area, and are summarised as follows:

No person shall consume alcohol in the Designated Area as described in paragraph 1 of Appendix 1 unless subject to the exemptions listed in paragraph 2 of Appendix 1.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. **A person who fails without reasonable excuse to comply with a requirement imposed on them by this Order will be guilty of an offence** and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale or a fixed penalty notice of a maximum of £500.

2. Authorised Person" means a person authorised for the purposes of section 63 of the Anti- social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 by the local authority that made this order.

In issuing the order the authority is satisfied that:

1 (a) Anti-social behaviour associated with alcohol consumption ('the named activities') carried out ln a public place within the authority's area have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality; or
(b) it is likely that the named activities will be carried out in a public place within that area and that they will have such an effect

2 The effect, or likely effect, of the named activities:
(a) is, or is likely to be, of a persistent and continuing nature;
(b) is, or is likely to be, such as to make the activities unreasonable; and
(c) justifies the restrictions imposed by the notice

3. It has had particular regard to the rights of freedom of expression and freedom of assembly set out in Articles 10 and 11 of the European Convention on Human Rights.

4. If an interested person wishes to question the validity of this Order on the grounds that the Council had no power to make it or that any requirement of the Act has not been complied with in relation to this Order, he or she may apply to the High Court within 6 weeks from the date on which this Order is made.

THE COMMON SEAL of **THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER affixed** hereto is authenticated by the undersigned a person authorised by the said Council to act for that purpose

THE COMMON SEAL OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER

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Sarah Farooqi
Head of Law

Authorised Signatory

Dated this 12th day of November 2026

APPENDIX 1

1.PROHIBITION OF ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION

i. Where a constable or an authorised person reasonably believes that a person:

a) is or has been consuming alcohol in breach of the Order; or

b) intends to consume alcohol in circumstances in which doing so would be a breach of the Order;

The constable or authorised person may require that person:

a) not to consume alcohol or anything which the constable or authorised person reasonably believes to be alcohol;

b) to surrender anything in their possession which is, or which the constable or authorised person reasonably believes to be, alcohol or a container for alcohol.

ii. Where a constable or authorised person reasonably believes that a person is or has been consuming alcohol or intends to consume alcohol within the designated zone and the constable or authorised officer reasonably believes that person is also likely to engage in anti-social behaviour, that person shall not refuse to leave the location specified when given a direction to do so by a constable or authorised officer, subject to the following;

If the condition in this section is met a constable or authorised officer may direct a person who is in any location on land to which this Order applies —

a) to leave the location (or part of the location), and

b) not to return to the location (or part of the location) for the period specified in the direction ("the exclusion period") unless for a pre-arranged appointment within the designated zone or

c) Not to loiter, sit, or gather / congregate within the location (or part of the location) if the individual resides within the designated zone.

A direction under this section—

a) must be given in writing, unless that is not reasonably practicable;

b) must specify the area to which it relates;

c) may impose requirements as to the time by which the person must leave the area and the manner in which the person must do so (including the route).

The exclusion period may not exceed 48 hours.

2. Premises etc for which alcohol prohibition does not apply

(1)A prohibition in a public spaces protection order on consuming alcohol does not apply to-

(a)premises (other than council-operated licensed premises) authorised by a premises licence to be used for the supply of alcohol;

(b) premises authorised by a club premises certificate to be used by the club for the supply of alcohol;

(c)a place within the curtilage of premises within paragraph (a) or (b);

(d)premises which by virtue of Part 5 of the Licensing Act 2003 may at the relevant time be

used for the supply of alcohol or which, by virtue of that Part, could have been so used within the 30 minutes before that time;

(e) a place where facilities or activities relating to the sale or consumption of alcohol are at the relevant time permitted by virtue of a permission granted under section 115E of the Highways Act 1980 (highway-related uses).

(2) A prohibition in a public spaces protection order on consuming alcohol does not apply to council-operated licensed premises-

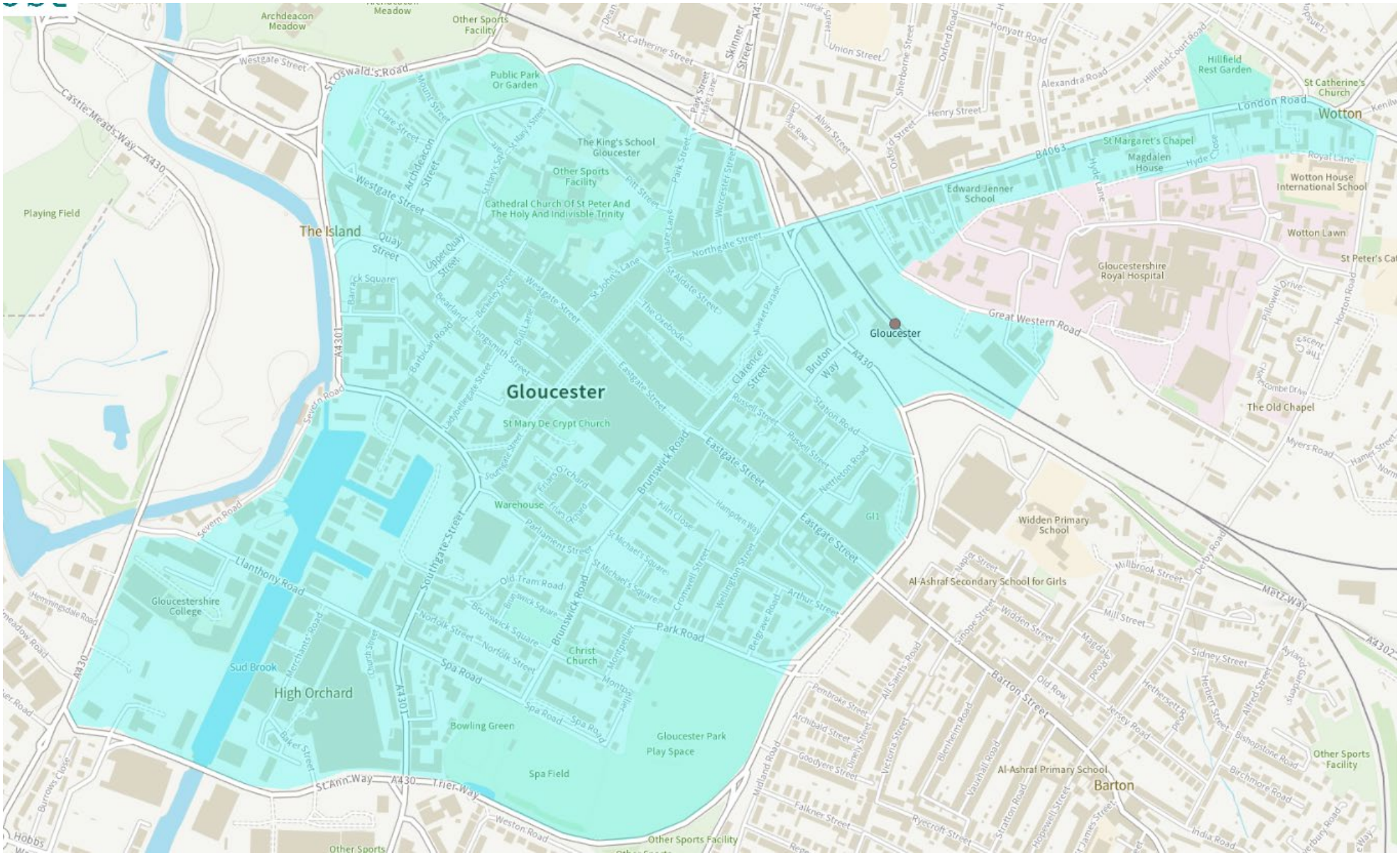
(a} when the premises are being used for the supply of alcohol, or

(b) within 30 minutes after the end of a period during which the premises have been used for the supply of alcohol.

(3) For the purposes of this section, premises are "council-operated licensed premises" if they are authorised by a premises licence to be used for the supply of alcohol and-

(a) the licence is held by a local authority in whose area the premises (or part of the premises} are situated, or

(b} the licence is held by another person but the premises are occupied by a local authority or are managed by or on behalf of a local authority.


Gloucester
The Island
Wotton
Barton
Archdeacon Meadow
Other Sports Facility
Public Park Or Garden
The King's School Gloucester
Cathedral Church Of St Peter And The Holy And Indivisible Trinity
St Mary De Crypt Church
Warehouse
Christ Church
Bowling Green
Gloucester Park Play Space
Spa Field
Playing Field
Gloucestershire College
Sud Brook
High Orchard
Hillfield Rest Garden
St Catherine's Church
St Margaret's Chapel
Magdalen House
Edward Jenner School
Wotton House International School
Wotton Lawn
Gloucestershire Royal Hospital
The Old Chapel
Widden Primary School
Al-Ashraf Secondary School for Girls
Al-Ashraf Primary School
Other Sports Facility
Castle Meads Way
A4430
A4301
A4302
B4063
Great Western Road
London Road
Westgate Street
Eastgate Street
Southgate Street
Brunswick Road
Park Road
Spa Road
Barton Street
Metz Way
St Ann Way
Trier Way
Llanthony Road
Severn Road
Northgate Street
Clarence Street
Bruton Way
Skinner Street
Oxford Road
Alexandra Road
Henry Street
Union Street
St Catherine Street
Hillfield Court Road
Hyde Lane
Hyde Close
Royal Lane
Pillowell Drive
Horton Road
Myers Road
Derby Road
Millbrook Street
Mill Street
Sidney Street
Old Row
Jersey Road
Bishopstone Road
Birchmore Road
India Road
Falkner Street
Rycroft Street
Midland Road
Vauxhall Road
Stratton Road
Weston Road
Barrack Square
Quay Street
Upper Quay Street
Berkeley Street
Longsmith Street
Bull Lane
St John's Lane
St Aldate Street
The Oxebode
Market Parade
Russell Street
Station Road
Nettleton Road
Kiln Close
Hampden Way
Parliament Street
St Michael's Square
Old Tram Road
Brunswick Square
Norfolk Street
Montpellier
Cromwell Street
Wellington Street
Arthur Street
Pembroke Street
Archibald Street
Goodyere Street
Victoria Street
Blenheim Road
Napier Street
Widden Street
Simpson Street
Herbert Street
Alfred Street
Hethersett Close
Bayliss Court
Carpenters
Ascent
Hamer Street
Norman
Burrows Close
Hobbs
Hemmingsdale Road
Meadow Road
Baker Street
Merchants' Road
Church Street
Barbican Road
Bearland
Severn Road
Mount Street
Clare Street
Park Street
Harte Lane
Worcester Street
Pitt Street
Archdeacon Street
Oxford Street
Sherborne Street
Alvin Street
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