

ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014

CHORLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL

PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER (TOWN CENTRE) 2017

Chorley Borough Council (in this Order called “the Council”) under Part 4, Section 59 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (“the Act”), being satisfied that the conditions set out in Section 59 of the Act have been met, hereby makes the following Order:

1. The Order comes into force on the _____ and shall last for three years ceasing on _____.
2. The Order applies to the public areas shown delineated by the red line on the plan annexed to this order (the Restricted Area).

Prohibitions

3. A person within the Restricted Area shall stop and shall not refuse to stop drinking or hand over any containers (sealed or unsealed) which are believed to contain alcohol, when required to do so by a constable or an authorised officer in order to prevent public nuisance or disorder.
4. No person shall shout, swear, or act in a manner as to cause annoyance harassment alarm or distress to any person within the Restricted Area.
5. A person shall not place himself in any doorway, passageway, street, highway or any other public place within the Restricted Area with or without receptacles used to contain money for the purpose of begging for money, food or other goods.
6. A person shall not use passive and active methods including, but not limited to, verbal and non-verbal approaches, written notices and other gestures for the purposes of begging for money, food or other goods.

Offence

7. Any person who, without reasonable excuse, fails to comply with the requirements of this Order commits an offence.

Penalty

8. A person who fails to comply with paragraph 3 of this Order will be guilty of an offence under this Order and shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding level 2 on the standard scale.
9. A person who fails to comply with paragraphs 4, 5 and 6 of this Order will be guilty of an offence under this Order and shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

10. By virtue of Section 68 of the Act a constable or an authorised officer may issue a fixed penalty notice not exceeding £100 to anyone he or she has reason to believe has committed an offence in relation to this Order.

**THE COMMON SEAL of
CHORLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

was hereto affixed the

day of 202/

in the presence of:-

Authorised Signatory