

Devon County Council (Various Roads, Bovey Tracey) (School Streets) Experimental Order 2023

Devon County Council made this on 18TH October 2023 under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to come into force 3rd November 2023 for a maximum of 18 months to impose:

Prohibition of Motor Vehicles Except Authorised Vehicles

Road Name (Column 1)	Time Period (Column 2)
Abbey Road, Bovey Tracey from a point 4m south-east of the Bovey Tracey Baptist Church gate to its junction with Cromwells Way	Mon - Fri 8.25 - 9.05am and 2.45 - 3.25pm
Abbey Close, Bovey Tracey for its entire length	Mon - Fri 8.25 - 9.05am and 2.45 - 3.25pm
Cromwells Way, Bovey Tracey from its junction with Abbey Road to a point 6 metres north-east of the south-western boundary of 29 Priory	Mon - Fri 8.25 - 9.05am and 2.45 - 3.25pm

Order, plans and statement of reasons may be seen at <https://devon.cc/tro> from **26th October 2023**. Free bookable computer use is available during the opening hours of Devon Libraries. Documents are also available to view during normal office hours at the address below.

The Council will consider whether the provisions should continue indefinitely and anyone may object to the making of a permanent order within 6 months from 3rd November 2023 or if this order is subsequently varied by another order or modified pursuant to section 10(2) of the 1984 Act within 6 months of that variation or modification coming into force. Objections stating the grounds on which they are made and other comments must be in writing to the address below or via **devon.cc/tro**. Receipt of submissions may not be acknowledged but those received will be considered. If you make a submission, please be aware that comments will be anonymised prior to being sent to Highway & Traffic Orders Committee (HATOC) members for consideration or being published on the Council's website. Data may be shared within the Council and our partner agencies. Personal details will be kept confidential in line with the notice at **devon.cc/troprivacy** and will only be shared in accordance with the terms of this Privacy Notice or to comply with the Council's legal obligations.

If you wish to question the validity of the order or of any of its provisions because it or they are not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of that Act or any instrument made under it has not been complied with, you may within 6 weeks from the date on which the order was made apply to the High Court for this purpose.

26th October 2023

reference DEV001/559 website reference 6082

Director of Legal & Democratic Services, County Hall, Topsham Road, Exeter EX2 4QD

statement of reasons

School streets are roads surrounding schools that are closed to motor vehicles at drop off and pick up times, enabling children to walk or cycle to school, reducing car trips and creating more space for active travel. This

will be undertaken as an Experimental traffic order and will be monitored to see what impact it has on the surrounding roads.

The restrictions are proposed to avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising; to facilitate the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians); to prevent the use of the road by vehicular traffic of a kind 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 and to preserve or improve the amenities of the area through which the road runs.