

# EXECUTIVE DECISION

made by a Cabinet Member




## REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY BY AN INDIVIDUAL CABINET MEMBER

Executive Decision Reference Number – SPT02 25/26

Decision				
1	<b>Title of decision:</b> THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH (ANTI-TERRORISM TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER) 2025			
2	<b>Decision maker:</b> Councillor John Stephens, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning and Transport			
3	<b>Report author and contact details:</b> Amy Neale, Highway Safety Engineer, email: <a href="mailto:trafficmanagementinbox@plymouth.gov.uk">trafficmanagementinbox@plymouth.gov.uk</a>			
4	<p><b>Decision to be taken:</b> To implement an Anti-Terrorism Traffic Regulation Order on The Hoe, for the safety of residents and visitors in Plymouth</p> <p>The effect of the order shall be to allow the Police and designated partners to close off or restrict access to certain areas and roads within the ATTRO footprint when necessary, ensuring the safety and security of residents and visitors.</p>			
5	<p><b>Reasons for decision:</b></p> <p>The Acting Chief Constable of Devon and Cornwall Police has contacted the Chief Executive of Plymouth City Council recommending that a permanent Anti-Terrorism Traffic Regulation Order (ATTRO) is enacted by the City Council on a number of roads around Plymouth Hoe.</p> <p>This area is used for a number of high profile events every year and a great deal of multi-agency planning goes into keeping attendees safe, particularly from the threat of terrorism</p> <p>An ATTRO will provide for the deployment of hostile vehicle mitigation assets and for road closures without notice although this would only be in situations where the Police advise of an immediate threat with most events subject to a public engagement process similar to that currently being used.</p>			
6	<b>Alternative options considered and rejected:</b> No other options are being considered, this is for the safety of the public.			
7	<b>Financial implications and risks:</b> The Traffic Regulation Order and associated works are being funded by the Parking Team, under code 0382-5517.			
8	<b>Legal Implications:</b> None.			
9	<p><b>Is the decision a Key Decision?</b> (please contact <a href="#">Democratic Support</a> for further advice)</p> <p>Please type an X into the relevant boxes</p>	Yes	No	<p><b>Per the Constitution, a key decision is one which:</b></p> <p>in the case of <b>capital</b> projects and contract awards, results in a new commitment to spend and/or save in excess of <b>£3million</b> in total</p>

			<b>x</b>	in the case of <b>revenue</b> projects when the decision involves entering into new commitments and/or making new savings in excess of <b>£1 million</b> annually
			<b>x</b>	is <b>significant</b> in terms of its effect on communities living or working in an area comprising <b>two or more</b> wards in the area of the local authority.
	<b>If yes, date of publication of the notice in the <a href="#">Forward Plan of Key Decisions</a></b>	N/A		
<b>10</b>	<b>Please specify how this decision is linked to the Council's corporate plan/Plymouth Plan and/or the policy framework and/or the revenue/capital budget:</b>	The Local Transport Plan (LTP) details the transport strategies and policies that the City Council has adopted and will be key in helping the city meet its Corporate Plan priorities, and growth agenda.		
<b>11</b>	<b>Please specify any direct environmental implications of the decision (carbon impact)</b>	None.		
<b>Urgent decisions</b>				
<b>12a</b>	<b>Is the decision urgent and to be implemented immediately in the interests of the Council or the public?</b>	<b>Yes</b>		(If yes, please contact Democratic Support ( <a href="mailto:democraticsupport@plymouth.gov.uk">democraticsupport@plymouth.gov.uk</a> ) for advice)
		<b>No</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>(If no, go to section 13a)</b>
<b>12b</b>	<b>Reason for urgency:</b>			
<b>12c</b>	<b>Scrutiny Chair Signature:</b>		<b>Date</b>	
	<b>Scrutiny Committee name:</b>			
	<b>Print Name:</b>			
<b>Consultation</b>				
<b>13a</b>	<b>Are any other Cabinet members' portfolios affected by the decision?</b>	<b>Yes</b>		
		<b>No</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>(If no go to section 14)</b>
<b>13b</b>	<b>Which other Cabinet member's portfolio is affected by the decision?</b>			
<b>13c</b>	<b>Date Cabinet member consulted</b>			

14	Has any Cabinet member declared a conflict of interest in relation to the decision?	Yes		If yes, please discuss with the Monitoring Officer						
		No	x							
15	Which Corporate Management Team member has been consulted?	Name		David Haley						
		Job title		Director of Children's Services						
		Date consulted		15 May 2025						
<b>Sign-off</b>										
16	Sign off codes from the relevant departments consulted:	Democratic Support (mandatory)			JS02 25/26					
		Finance (mandatory)			ITG.25.26.012					
		Legal (mandatory)			LS/2960(55)/JP/220525					
		Procurement (if applicable)			N/A					
		Corporate property (decisions involving Council owned land or facilities) (if applicable)			N/A					
		Human Resources (if applicable)			N/A					
<b>Appendices</b>										
17	Ref.	Title of appendix								
	A	Briefing report for publication ( <i>mandatory</i> )								
	B	Equalities Impact Assessment ( <i>where required</i> )								
<b>Confidential/exempt information</b>										
18a	Do you need to include any confidential/exempt information?	Yes		If yes, prepare a second, confidential ('Part II') briefing report and indicate why it is not for publication by virtue of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 by ticking the relevant box in <b>18b</b> below.  (Keep as much information as possible in the briefing report that will be in the public domain)						
		No	x							
		<b>Exemption Paragraph Number</b>								
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>		
18b	Confidential/exempt briefing report title:									

Background Papers								
<b>19</b>	<p>Please list all unpublished, background papers relevant to the decision in the table below.</p> <p>Background papers are <u>unpublished</u> works, relied on to a material extent in preparing the report, which disclose facts or matters on which the report or an important part of the work is based. If some/all of the information is confidential, you must indicate why it is not for publication by virtue of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 by ticking the relevant box.</p>							
Title of background paper(s)		Exemption Paragraph Number						
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Cabinet Member Signature								
<b>20</b>	<p>I agree the decision and confirm that it is not contrary to the Council's policy and budget framework, Corporate Plan or Budget. In taking this decision I have given due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act (2010) and those who do not. For further details please see the EIA attached.</p>							
<b>Signature</b>				<b>Date of decision</b>		30/05/2025		
<b>Print Name</b>		John Stephens, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning and Transport						