

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Motor Caravan Parking

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

1. Height restrictions. Are there any car parks available that would allow vehicles over 2m high and 2.5m wide to enter and their location.

The majority of car parks administered by this team fall below 2m; the exception is Victoria Park (no restriction). Some NCP car parks have increased height restrictions. They can be contacted on 0845 050 7080.

2. Requirements for parking within bay confines (including any requirement for purchasing two parking tickets where the length of a vehicle means that it overhangs a second bay at its rear).

Unfortunately no provision for paying for 2 tickets. Vehicles parked 'out of bay' would be fined.

3. Any provision of toilet

No

4. Any provision of waste disposal facilities.(such as used by coaches)

No

5. Any provision of spaces specifically aimed at motorhomes and/or caravans./trailers

No

6. Is there any ban on trailers using the parking area (category O1 up to 750kg and O2 up to 3500kg)

No ban on trailers however, as stated in Q5 there is no provision of spaces aimed at vehicles with trailers.

7. Any parking provision for disabled drivers/users in Motorhomes (Blue Badge holders) on or off street .

Blue badge holders are permitted to park according to the rules in the blue badge scheme. There are also a number of Disabled parking bays across the city centre. Parking is free for Blue Badge Holders in car parks run by the city council.

8. Any provision for (or ban on) overnight parking and whether or not sleeping/eating in the vehicle is allowed –

No bans on overnight parking
Maximum 24-hours continuous period stay in car parks

9. Restricted access caused by narrow roads/entrances.

There are narrow roads/entrances throughout the City, some of which are covered by parking restrictions and some of which are not. Could you please clarify what is considered as a narrow road.

10. Weight Limits. These vehicles range from approx. 1800 Kg maximum laden weigh in three groups. 1) up to 3500 kg, 2.) up to 7500 kg and 3.) above 7500 kg to 12000 kg maximum laden weight.

Weight limit 1500kg in car parks.

Would it be possible for you to also provide copies of, or links to, your Traffic Regulation Orders (TROs) that are currently applicable with relation to the above issues

Please see attached - off street parking order

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