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Dear Resident

### **Traffic Regulation Order – Electric Vehicle Charging Parking Places**

In late 2023, we let you know that Sheffield City Council has secured some grant funding to improve electric vehicle charging point availability in residential areas. This is from the national Office for Zero Emission Vehicles.

We received helpful feedback following our initial contact with residents and have developed the proposals for on-street charging further. We're now progressing them to install small number of on-street charging points across the city as a pilot project, learning lessons for future roll-out across Sheffield, and making it easier for people without driveways to own electric cars.

The charging point would be a double-socket bollard, so two electric vehicles can charge at the same time, powered by a feeder pillar nearby linking to the grid. The feeder pillar would be at the back of the pavement, with the charging point at the front on a small island. The island means the charging point isn't an obstacle to people on the pavement. There would also be signs and on-street markings for the two parking bays.

So we can introduce the electric vehicle facilities at the suggested locations, we need to make a Traffic Regulation Order. This will also mean the parking bays associated with the charging points will only be usable by electric vehicles that are being actively charged. As part of this process, we give residents and the public the opportunity to comment on and / or object to our proposals.

Please have a look at the attached plan that highlights the six on-street locations and exact positions of the electric vehicle parking places. There are also three car park locations at (1) Hope Street, Stocksbridge, (2) Freedom Road, Walkley and (3) Station Road, Darnall, where we will reallocate some bays for electric vehicle charging.

If you wish to formally object to what is being proposed in your area then, to comply with the provisions of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, please write or email

using the details below giving the grounds for your objection by **Thursday 8 February 2024**.

Email – please email [traffic.regs@sheffield.gov.uk](mailto:traffic.regs@sheffield.gov.uk)

Write – please write to Traffic Regulations Team, Tom Finnegan-Smith, Howden House, 1 Union Street, Sheffield, S1 2SH using the reference above.

We will also advertise the Traffic Regulation Order in the local press, in on-street notices and on our website here: <https://www.sheffield.gov.uk/roads-pavements/traffic-orders>

We would also like to hear from you if you support the proposals.

We will pass any objections we receive, along with all other comments, to the City Council's Transport, Regeneration and Climate Policy Committee who will make a decision at a Committee meeting on how to proceed.

**Please note:** If you comment or make an objection, you give your consent for the council to process your personal information. We will only use your information in relation to this scheme and will not share it with anyone without your permission.

If you have any questions about the proposals, other than formal comments, objections, statements of support, please contact [info@sheffield-evcharging.co.uk](mailto:info@sheffield-evcharging.co.uk) or freephone 0808 175 6975.

Many thanks,



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