## CITY OF NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE (OFF STREET PARKING PLACES) ORDER 2009 (ELECTRIC VEHICLES VARIATION) ORDER 2018

- 1. **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the City of Newcastle upon Tyne ("the Council") propose to make an Order under Sections 32, 35 and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 which amends the City of Newcastle upon Tyne (Off Street Parking Places) Order 2009 ("the Off Street Order"). Note – the Council is currently in the process of making a new Off Street Order ("the new Order"). If the new Order is made before the proposed Variation Order, then the proposed Variation Order will become an amendment to the new Order.
- 2. The effect of the proposed Order is to -
  - (a) remove the provision for free parking of Electric Vehicles within the Council's off street car parks (surface and multi-storey car parks). Drivers using the Electric Vehicle parking bays located in any of the Council's car parks will be required to pay the relevant parking charge for the car park. Details of the charges applicable at each car park can be seen on the tariff boards located in each car park or on the Council's website <u>www.newcastle.gov.uk</u> (under Car parks and on street parking and then using the link to Information on car parks and off street parking). There is no charge for the use of electricity whilst recharging; and
  - (b) introduce a provision that vehicles must be connected to the recharging post relating to the Electric Vehicle parking bay.

Note - There are currently Electric Vehicle parking bays in Dean Street, Eldon Garden, Grainger Town and Quayside Multi Storey Car Parks, and in Arygle Street, Civic Centre, Leazes Park Road, Sandyford Square and St Nicholas Avenue surface car parks.

- 3. Documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order (including draft Order, car park map/information and a statement of the Council's reasons for proposing to make the Order), and the Off Street Order are available for inspection at -
  - (a) Customer Services, Central Library, Charles Avison Building, 33 New Bridge Street West, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 8AX between 10.00 am and 4.30 pm Monday to Friday, and
  - (b) Newcastle Civic Centre, Barras Bridge, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 8QH between 9.00 am and 4.30 pm Monday to Friday.

Details can also be viewed at <u>www.letstalknewcastle.co.uk</u> under "Traffic related consultations". Further information may be obtained by telephoning the Council's Parking section on (0191) 2787878 ext. 28930.

4. If you wish to object to, or make other representations about, the proposed Order or any of its provisions you should send your objection or representation by **18 January 2018** quoting reference GH/P50/1076 to Newcastle Parking Services, P.O. Box 2BL, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE99 2BL, or by e-mail to <u>traffic.notices@newcastle.gov.uk</u> Any

objection or representation MUST be made in writing and where an objection is made, it must state the grounds of the objection.

Dated: 20 December 2017

L Scott, Service Manager Democratic Services Civic Centre, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 8QH