

STATEMENT OF REASONS

City of Newcastle upon Tyne Traffic Regulation (Consolidation) Order 2009 (Westgate Road Area Variation) Order 2019, and

Westgate Road – Toucan Crossing

The Council's reasons for proposing to make the above Order are as follows:-

The scheme has been proposed by the Streets for People project, in which the team have previously consulted with residents regarding measures they would like to see in their neighbourhood to improve walking, cycling and other forms of sustainable travel.

Working with resident groups and Councillors they have put forward the proposals within this order.

It is also proposed to introduce a toucan crossing and correct anomalies and overlapping restrictions in the legal order.