

# **STATEMENT OF REASONS**

## **City of Newcastle upon Tyne**

### **Traffic Regulation (Consolidation) Order 2009 (Osborne Road Variation) Order 2018 and (On Street Parking Places) Order 2009 (Osborne Road Variation) Order 2018**

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

Complaints have been received about vehicles being parked on both sides of Osborne Road between its junctions with Jesmond Dene Road and Lyndhurst Gardens.

This section of Osborne Road is relatively narrow and includes 2 bus stops and a pedestrian refuge. Parking can cause access and visibility issues, which is causing a road safety concern for larger vehicles including buses.

Residents have also raised concerns about vehicles parking on the footway, which is obstructing passage for pedestrians.

It is proposed to introduce sections of double yellow line waiting restrictions to remove the indiscriminate and obstructive parking. Where parking is permitted, it is proposed to prevent parking on the footway to maintain unrestricted access for pedestrians.

To accommodate additional parking for those residents affected by these proposals, it is also proposed to include property numbers 225 to 263 (odd) within the J2 permit parking zone.