

# **STATEMENT OF REASONS**

## **City of Newcastle upon Tyne Traffic Regulation (Consolidation) Order 2009 (Rokeby Street Area Variation) Order 2017**

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

Residents and refuse collection operatives have raised concerns about inconsiderate parking close to junctions within the Rokeby Street area. These parking issues mean that on occasion, refuse wagons have been unable to complete their rounds.

Residents have also raised concerns over potential issues with emergency access.

The proposals are to ensure that large vehicles (including the refuse wagon and fire tenders) can safely negotiate the streets. These restrictions will improve road safety and reduce congestion.