

THE CITY COUNCIL OF CARLISLE
(RICKERBY PARK) (RESTRICTIONS TO OVERNIGHT PARKING)
EXPERIMENTAL ORDER 2022

The City Council of Carlisle in exercise of its powers under Sections 9 and 10 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and of all other enabling powers and after consulting with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order shall come into operation on 10 May 2022 for a period of not exceeding 18 months and may be cited as "The City Council of Carlisle (Rickerby Park) (Restriction to overnight parking) Order 2022."
2. Whilst this Order remains in force no person shall be permitted to park any motor vehicle (with the exception of emergency vehicles) between the hours of 11.59pm and 5.01am on the car parks detailed in Schedule 1 to this Order.

Dated 27th day of April 2022

EXECUTED AS A DEED by the
CITY COUNCIL OF CARLISLE
by affixing its common seal
in the presence of

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~~Corporate Director of Governance and
Regulatory Services/ Head of Legal
Services~~

Head of Legal and Democratic Services

Schedule 1

Riverside Car Park shown for identification purposes edged red on the plan annexed to this Order "the Plan".

Cenotaph Car Park shown for identification purposes edges red on the Plan.

Linstock Car Park shown for identification purposes edged red on the Plan.

Playing Field

Rickerby Car Parks

Riverside Car Park

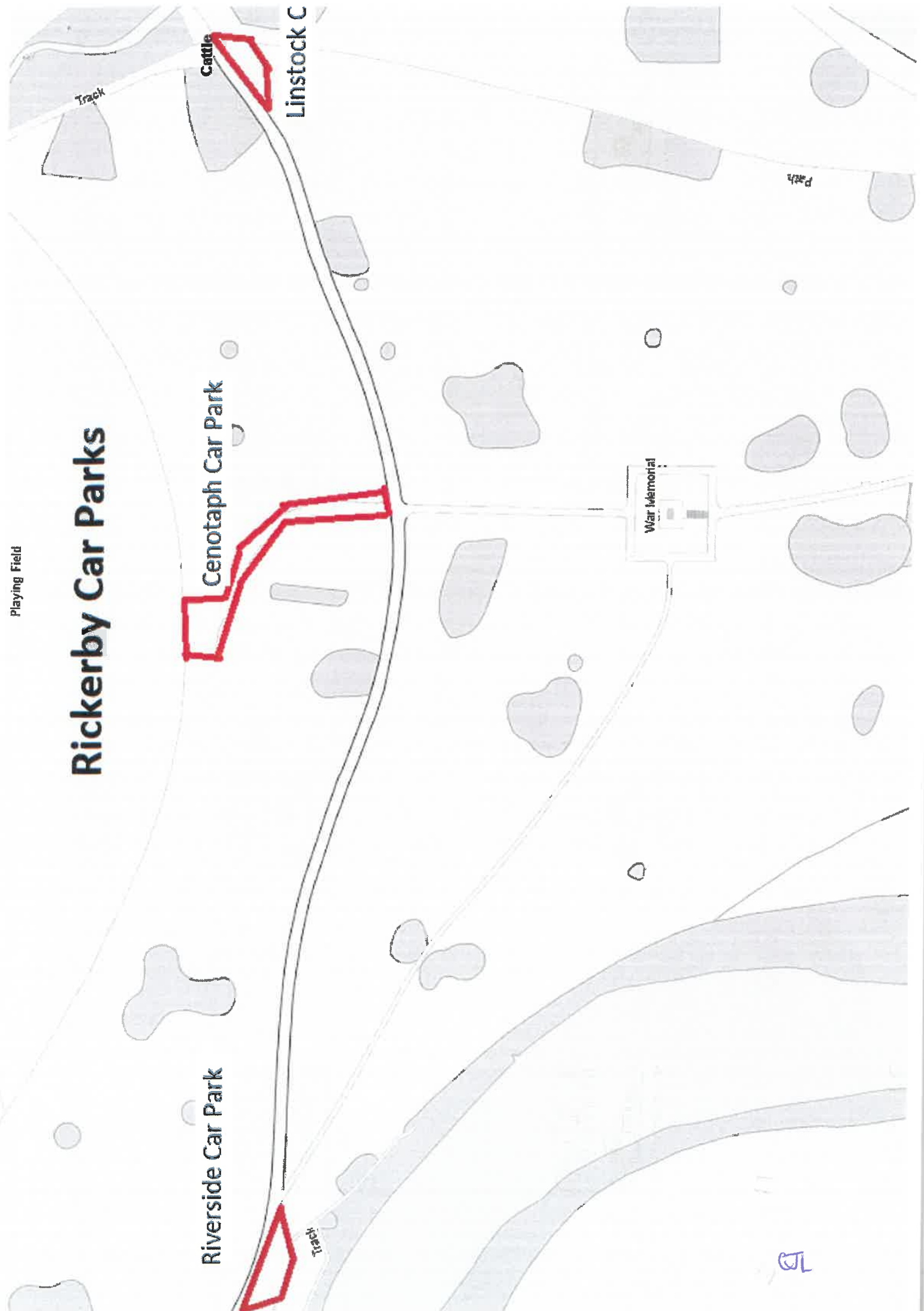
Cenotaph Car Park

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THE CITY COUNCIL OF CARLISLE

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure)

(England and Wales) Regulations 1996

Section 6 and Paragraph 2 of Schedule 2

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Name of Order:

The City Council of Carlisle (Rickerby Park) (Restrictions to Overnight Parking)

Experimental Order 2022

THE AUTHORITY'S REASONS for proposing to make the above mentioned Order are as follows:

Background:

1. Rickerby Park has open access to the park off the highway that runs from Brampton Road to Linstock. This open access from the highway has unfortunately meant that in recent years the park has been used repeatedly for overnight camping and overnight parking by campervans in the three car parks of Rickerby Park namely the Riverside car park, the Cenotaph car park, and the Linstock car park - "the car parks". There is currently no way to legally enforce no overnight parking. Therefore, there is a requirement for the City council of Carlisle "the Council" to create a Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) to allow 'No overnight Parking' to be enforced.

Proposed Scheme:

1. The proposed scheme is to create an Experimental Traffic Regulation Order (ETRO) to restrict parking in the car parks to the hours of 5.01am and 11.59pm "the permitted hours" and allow no parking between the hours of midnight and 5am (save for emergency vehicles).
2. The Council considers and experimental order to be appropriate as parking has not previously been restricted in the car parks and it will allow the Council to regular review and monitor the impact of the ETO.
3. The ETO will last for a maximum of 18 months. During the first six months of the experiment, there will be an opportunity for people to contribute their views and anyone who is opposed to the restrictions continuing on a permanent basis to submit an objection. Such representations will be considered carefully and may lead to revisions to the Scheme and will help determine whether a permanent order should be made, either modified or in like terms to the ETO.

Reasons:

The Council considers it expedient to make the Order:

1. To prevent overnight parking in the car parks where no facilities for overnight camping are available.
2. To avoid damage to the park from the impact of overnight camping such as burned grass from campfires.
3. To avoid the litter and associated waste that comes with overnight camping.
4. To allow the car parks to remain uncongested from overnight campers and available to be used for the purpose of parking during the permitted hours.