

**STATEMENT OF REASONS**  
**FOR PROPOSING A TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER**

**GUILDFORD ON-STREET PARKING MANAGEMENT REVIEW**  
**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO PARKING PLACES, WAITING RESTRICTIONS**  
**AND PERMIT SCHEME WITHIN THE GUILDFORD TOWN CENTRE**  
**CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE**

The reasons for proposing to make an Order giving effect to the various proposals described in the Public Notice are as follows:

- to increase payment opportunities by introducing pay by phone technology,
- to introduce on street electric charging points to improve opportunities for those without off street parking to own electric vehicles,
- to improve flexibility, efficiency and reduce waste by introducing virtual permit technology,
- to accommodate an access to off street parking facilities (Mountside),
- to improve traffic flow and increase parking opportunities for residents (South Hill),
- to assist with safety, access and traffic movements in the area and make local improvements.

More detailed information about the background to the proposals is set out in the attached reports, Item 8 considered by Surrey County Council's Guildford Joint Committee at its meeting held on 18 November 2020, and Item 8 considered by Surrey County Council's Guildford Joint Committee at its meeting held on 17 March 2021.