

WESTMORLAND AND FURNESS COUNCIL

(VARIOUS BRIDGES AND STRUCTURES – EDEN AREA)
(TRAFFIC REGULATION) ORDER 2024

1. Westmorland and Furness Council hereby give notice that on 16 April 2024 it made the above Order under Sections 1 and 2 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.
2. The Order will come into operation on 6 May 2024 and its effect will be to: -
 - i) Prohibit all traffic (including pedestrians and cyclists) from proceeding along the U3117 Garrigill Alston (Meadowhill Culvert);
 - ii) Introduce a 3 Tonnes maximum gross vehicle weight limit on the following Bridges;
 - a) U3149 Fothergill Bridge, near Kirkby Stephen;
 - b) C3032 Millhouse Wath Bridge, Millhouse;
 - c) U3477 Mill Bridge, Threlkeld.
 - iii) Introduce a 10 Tonnes maximum gross vehicle weight limit on the following Bridges: -
 - a) C3080 Galebards Railway No. 9 Bridge near Waitby;
 - b) C3047 Cliburn Mill Bridge, near Cliburn.
 - iv) Introduce a 13 Tonnes maximum gross vehicle weight limit on the U3290 Smardale Bridge, near Newbiggin-on-Lune;
 - v) Introduce a 18 Tonnes maximum gross vehicle weight limit on the following Bridges:
 - a) C3057 Ousenstand Bridge, near Temple Sowerby;
 - b) C3079 Lowmill Bridge, Hartley Road, Kirkby Stephen.
 - vi) Introduce a 26 Tonnes maximum gross vehicle weight limit on the A685 Roger Howe Bridge, Tebay.

(NB: There are no exemptions to the above restrictions).

PLEASE REFER TO THE DOCUMENTS ON DEPOSIT AND ON THE COUNCIL'S WEB-SITE FOR FULL DETAILS.

3. Full details of the Order, together with plans showing the lengths of road concerned, and a statement of the Council's reasons for making the Order, may be: -
 - (i) viewed on the Council's website using the following link: -;
<https://www.westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk/parking-streets-and-transport/streets-roads-and-pavements/road-maintenance-closures-and-improvements/proposed-traffic-regulation-orders-tros>
 - (ii) on deposit at;
 - (a) Kirkby Stephen Local Links, The Old Grammar School, Vicarage Lane, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4QX; and
 - (b) Alston Local Link Library, Front Street, Alston, CA9 3RF; and
 - (iii) at the offices of the undersigned; and
 - (iv) may otherwise be obtained by emailing
TROconsultation@westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk

4. If you wish to question the validity of the Order or of any provision contained in it on the grounds that it is not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or on the grounds that any requirement of that Act or any instrument made there under has not been complied with in relation to the Order, you may within six weeks of 16 April 2024 apply to the High Court for this purpose.

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Dated 27 April 2024