

LONDON BOROUGH OF HILLINGDON

THE HILLINGDON (PRESCRIBED ROUTES) (NO.) TRAFFIC ORDER 2023

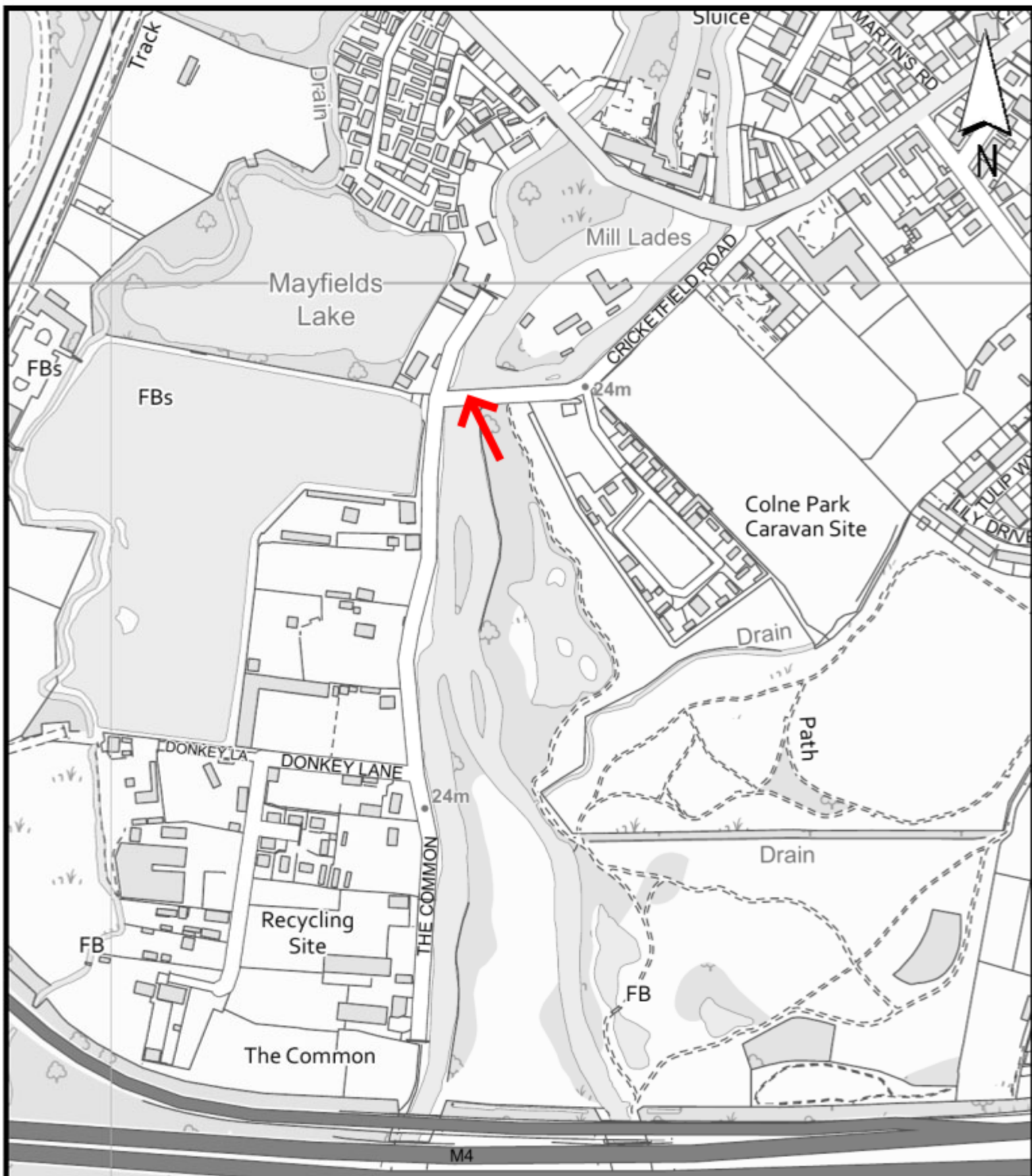
Hillingdon Council gives notice that it proposes to make this Order to **introduce vehicle weight limit of 33 tonnes MGW and total vehicle length limit not exceeding 12 metres at both abutments of the bridge on Cricketfield Road, West Drayton over the River Colne**. A copy of the notice of proposals, proposed Order together with full details, a location plan of the bridge location and the Council's statement of reasons for the proposals can be sent upon request or viewed online at <https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/improvement-schemes> until 22nd February 2023. Further information can be obtained by email [parkingmanagementschemes@hillingdon.gov.uk](mailto:parkingmanagementschemes@hillingdon.gov.uk) . If you wish to comment on, or object to the proposals please write or email by 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2023, stating grounds for objection and your home address to Transport & Projects, 3N/04 Civic Centre, Uxbridge, Middlesex UB8 1UW quoting reference 3N/04/04180/01/02/23.

Dated this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 2023.

PERRY SCOTT,  
Corporate Director of Place

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Over the years the traffic using Cricketfield Road Bridge has increased with very long and heavy vehicles going over the bridge. The traffic restrictions are required to protect the structural integrity of the bridge from vehicle collisions and very heavy vehicles causing undue damage.



**Cricketfield Road, West Drayton**  
**Proposed vehicle weight and length limits on bridge**  
**over the River Colne**

January 2023  
 Scale 1:4,000



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# London Borough of Hillingdon Traffic Management Order

2023 No. XX

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The Hillingdon (Prescribed Routes) (No. X) Traffic Order 2023

Made on XX XXXX 2023

Coming into operation on XX XXXX 2023

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The Council of the London Borough of Hillingdon, after consulting the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, in the exercise of the powers conferred by Section 6 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984<sup>1</sup> as amended by Section 8 and Schedule 5 of the Local Government Act 1985<sup>2</sup> and of all other powers enabling hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on XX XXXX 2023 and may be cited as The Hillingdon (Prescribed Routes) (No. X) Traffic Order 2023.
2. In this order “prescribed street” means that length of Cricketfield Road, West Drayton, which lies between the abutment either side of the bridge over the River Colne.
3. No person shall cause any vehicle, the overall maximum gross weight which exceeds 33 tonnes to enter that length of Cricketfield Road, West Drayton, which lies between the abutment either side of the bridge over the River Colne.
4. No person shall cause any vehicle, the overall length exceeds 12 metres (39’-4”) to enter that section of Cricketfield Road, West Drayton, which lies between the abutment either side of the bridge over the River Colne.

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<sup>1</sup> 1984 c.27

<sup>2</sup> 1985 c.51

5. Nothing in Article 3 & 4 of this Order shall apply in the section of prescribed street to:-
- (a) any vehicle being used for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency;
  - (b) anything done with the permission or at the direction of a police constable in uniform; or
  - (c) any person who causes any vehicle to proceed in accordance with any restriction or requirement indicated by traffic signs placed pursuant to Section 66 or Section 67 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984;
  - (d) any vehicle when used in the service of the local authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties provided that in all the circumstances it is reasonably necessary in the exercise of such powers or in the performance of such duties for that vehicle to enter any prescribed street; or
  - (e) any vehicle being used in connection with the maintenance, improvement, reconstruction, cleansing, or lighting of the prescribed street or any street accessible only therefrom, or the laying, erection, alteration or repair of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any telegraphic line thereunder or thereon, or the placing, maintenance or removal of any traffic sign thereon.

Dated this the XX day of XXXX 2023

PERRY SCOTT,  
Corporate Director of Place