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Dear Occupier,

Re: Proposed to changes to waiting restrictions on North Side of Cambridge Road.

The Council has received requests from elected members in response to concerns raised by residents and drivers regarding the parking which takes place in the existing shared use bay on northern side of Cambridge Road, just west of it's junction with Granville Road, and how it affects the vehicles accessing the junction.

The proximity of the nearby bay to the junction creates difficulties for vehicles, especially large ones, that need to access the junction and turn onto Granville Road when there are parked vehicles in the bay. Since Cambridge Road and Granville Road are one-way and part of the service road network, they are the only routes for vehicles to turn. As a result, this accessibility issue frequently disrupts traffic flow in that area. We understand that parking is highly sought after in the area, so our proposals aim to minimise any negative effects on resident parking spaces.

It is therefore proposed that the bay is reduced by 3 metres and the adjacent existing the no waiting and no loading any time restrictions extended accordingly, in the interests of improving junction accessibility and traffic flow at that location. A plan (Drawing Reference WR23/IF/CE1) showing the proposals is attached for your review.

If you wish to make a comment on the proposals, as part of this informal consultation, please contact me by telephone or email TID@watford.gov.uk. The deadline for responses is **Friday 4th August 2023**.

As local residents, your views are important and all responses received will be reviewed with your local Ward Councillors, prior to making any decision on whether to proceed to the final statutory consultation stage.

Yours faithfully,

Norma Adjepong
Traffic Engineer.

