

Delegated Officer Decision

Reference	Service Grouping
DOD 4460	Place Directorate

Subject:	Delegated Officer Decision on the future of the Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) in Speen Lodge Court
Decision taken:	To discharge the PSPO
Reason for decision taken:	<p>WBC is not satisfied on reasonable grounds that the eligibility criteria required under the legislation to extend a PSPO are met; WBC does not therefore have the power to extend the Order.</p> <p>There is insufficient evidence to substantiate and justify the necessity for the PSPO to remain.</p> <p>Results of the consultation show that 53.33% of respondents supported the PSPO being discharged.</p>
Other options considered:	To extend the PSPO for a further 3 years
Decision taken by:	Eric Owens
Scheme of Delegation Ref:	15.3
Job Title:	Service Director – Development and Regulation
Those consulted:	<p>Corporate Board</p> <p>Building Communities Together Partnership</p> <p>Public Consultation - Consultation Summary Report available and was attached to the application report.</p>
Background papers:	<p>Application Report</p> <p>Consultation Summary Report</p>

I confirm that I have been fully advised and have taken account of all the relevant facts in making this decision.

Date Decision Made	Date Decision will be Implemented (5 clear days)
03/10/2023	11/10/2023

Officer:	Eric Owens	Eric Owens Service Director - Development and Regulation
Witnessed by:	Alexandra O'Connor	Acting Building Communities Together Team Manager
Date:	03/10/2023	

This decision is eligible to be 'called-in'. However, if the decision has not been 'called-in' by 5.00pm on 11/10/2023, then it will be implemented.

If you have any queries regarding this decision, please contact:

Name: Alexandra O'Connor
Job Title: Acting Building Communities Together Team Manager
Tel: 07979 852311
Email: alexandra.oconnor@westberks.gov.uk