

NOTICE OF PROPOSAL
LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
(CHERRY CRESCENT AND HALL CARR ROAD AREA,
RAWTENSTALL, ROSSENDALE BOROUGH) (REMOVAL
AND INTRODUCTION OF BUS STOP CLEARWAYS)



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lancashire County Council propose the following:

- 1) Remove a bus stop in the following locations:
 - a) Chestnut Drive, Rawtenstall, the south side, at a point 17.75 metres west of its junction with the centreline of Lavender Hill;
 - b) Cherry Crescent, Rawtenstall, the south side, at a point 32.41 metres east of its junction with the centreline of Lavender Hill;
 - c) Lavender Hill, Rawtenstall, the east side, at a point 4.25 metres south of its junction with the centreline of Almond Crescent;
 - d) Cherry Crescent, Rawtenstall, the west side, at a point 28.67 metres north of its junction with the centreline of Cherry tree Lane;
 - e) Fallbarn Crescent, Rawtenstall, the north west side, at a point 18.21 metres south west of its junction with the centreline of Hall Carr Road ;
 - f) Fallbarn Crescent, Rawtenstall, the north west side, at a point 42.64 metres north east of its junction with the centreline of Hardman Avenue.
- 2) Remove a bus stop clearway in the following lengths of road:
 - a) Cherry Crescent, Rawtenstall, the north west side, from a point 35.46 metres north east of its junction with the centreline of Lavender Hill for a distance of 11 metres in a north easterly direction;
 - b) Fallbarn Crescent, Rawtenstall, the south side, from a point 21.22 metres west of its junction with the centreline of Hardman Avenue for a distance of 11 metres in a westerly direction.
- 3) Introduce a Bus Stop Clearway at any time (the effect of which will be to prohibit the stopping of vehicles) in the following lengths of road:
 - a) Cherry Crescent. Rawtenstall, the west side, from a point 16.84 metres south of its junction with the centreline of Cherry Tree Lane for a distance of 27 metres in a southerly direction;
 - b) Cherry Crescent, Rawtenstall, the north west side, from a point 37.81 metres north east of its junction with the centreline of Lavender Hill for a distance of 27 metres in a north easterly direction;
 - c) Cherry Crescent, Rawtenstall, the south east side, from a point 49.74 metres north east of its junction with the centreline of Lavender Hill for a distance of 27 metres in a north easterly direction;
 - d) Fallbarn Crescent, Rawtenstall, the north side, from a point 7.49 metres east of its junction with the centreline of Hardman Avenue for a distance of 27 metres in a westerly direction;
 - e) Fallbarn Crescent, Rawtenstall, the south east side, from a point 50.23 metres north east of its junction with the centreline of Hardman Avenue for a distance of 27 metres in a north easterly direction;
 - f) Fallbarn Crescent, Rawtenstall, the south east side, from a point 21.22 metres south west of its junction with the centreline of Hall Carr Road for a distance of 27 metres in a south westerly direction;
 - g) Hall Carr Road, Rawtenstall, the north side, from a point 133.96 metres east of its junction with the centreline of Bury Road for a distance of 27 metres in an easterly direction;
 - h) Hall Carr Road, Rawtenstall, the south west side, from a point 17.6 metres north west of its junction with the centreline of Fallbarn Crescent for a distance of 27 metres in a north westerly direction;
 - i) Lavender Hill, Rawtenstall, the south west side, from a point 8.73 metres south east of its junction with the centreline of Almond Crescent for a distance of 19 metres in a south easterly direction;

- j) Lavender Hill, Rawtenstall, the north east side, from a point 8.92 metres south east of its junction with the centreline of Heather Bank for a distance of 19 metres in a south easterly direction.

Statement of Reasons

These proposals form part of the Levelling Up East Lancashire project. They aim to deliver improvements in local neighbourhoods through:

- Improving local streets with better connections through new or improved crossing facilities and pathways.
- Enhancing streets and public spaces with new planting and seating.
- Creating safer street environments that makes it easier for people to walk, cycle or wheel to local places.
- Improving facilities at local parks and providing new public green spaces.
- Improving road safety by discouraging pavement parking at junctions,
- Improving sight lines for people trying to cross the road and reducing traffic speeds.

The proposals will work together to create a safer environment for pedestrians, cyclists, and vulnerable users, whilst also improving public realm in the area. The intention of the scheme is twofold, to:

- Foster a sense of pride in local communities by creating safer, greener neighbourhoods and revitalised public realm.
- Increase active travel uptake to improve health and wellbeing and reduce health inequalities.

These proposals include the following:

- Removal and relocation of the existing bus stops on; Cherry Crescent, Fallbarn Crescent, Hall Carr Road and Lavender Hill to more suitable positions to enhance user experience and provide suitable shelters for waiting and boarding.
- Introduction of additional bus stop clearways to facilitate the safe and efficient operation of bus services by preventing obstruction at bus stops and ensuring buses can enter and leave stopping areas safely

A copy of the relevant notice and plan may be inspected during normal office hours at the offices of the Rossendale Borough Council - One Stop Shop, The Business Centre, Futures Park, Newchurch Road, Bacup, OL13 0BB and at the offices of The Director of Law and Governance, Lancashire County Council, County Hall, Fishergate, Preston, PR1 8XJ, and on Lancashire County Councils Website <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/roads/roadworks-and-traffic-regulation-orders/permanent-traffic-regulation-orders/> or scan the QR code below. Any representations or objections (specifying the grounds on which they are made) relating to the proposal must be made in writing and should be sent to The Director of Law and Governance, Lancashire County Council, P O Box 100, County Hall, Preston PR1 0LD or by e-mail to tro-consultation@lancashire.gov.uk quoting ref: **LSG4/106108/AFR** before the 6th November 2026.

Heloise MacAndrew, Director of Law and Governance
9th October 2026

