### Annex 1: Draft PSPO Order and Plan

## **Public Spaces Protection Order**

# Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 Sections 59 to 68

# City of York Council Public Spaces Protection Order 2015

### **Brunswick Street/South Bank Avenue**

This Order is made by the City of York Council ("the local authority") under Sections 59 to 68 of the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 because it appears to the local authority that certain anti-social activities carried on at the public rear alleyway between Brunswick Street and South Bank Avenue, York (OS Grid Reference SE5950), being a public place within the authority's area, have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality. And further, that the effect, or likely effect, of the activities is, or is likely to be, of a persistent or continuing nature such as to make the activities unreasonable and which justifies the restrictions imposed by this Order. These said activities being dog fouling and fly tipping.

### BY THIS ORDER

The effect of the Order is as follows:

- 1 To restrict the use of the public right of way over the above mentioned public place ('the restricted area') the restriction being in place at all times.
- 2 This restriction shall not apply to the occupiers of premises adjoining or adjacent to the restricted area so indicated.
- 3 Access to the restricted area is to be controlled by the installation of lockable metal gates at either end of the footpath between Brunswick Street and South Bank Avenue, York, as shown on the attached Order plan. The maintenance of the gates, locks and keys will be the responsibility of the Assistant Director (City and Environmental Services), West Office, Station Rise, York, YO1 6GA.
- 4 The alternative route to the restricted highway is along Brunswick Street, South Bank Avenue and behind Nos 1-21 Ruby Street.
- 5 It is an offence under section 67 of this Act for a person without reasonable excuse to do anything that the person is prohibited from doing by a Public Spaces Protection Order, or to fail to comply with a requirement to which the person is subject under a Public Spaces Protection Order, and a person guilty of an offence under this section is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

- Access to the footpath shall be unrestricted at all times for all authorised local authority employees, the emergency services and statutory undertakers for all purposes in connection with inspection, repair and maintenance of the surface and the street lights and for any other purpose in connection with the undertaking of its statutory functions.
- 7 The Order shall have effect for a period of 3 years from the date of this Order, unless extended by further Orders.
- 8 An interested person wishing to question the validity of a Public Spaces Protection Order may apply to the High Court within the period of six weeks beginning with the date on which the Order is made.

The COMMON SEAL of the		)
Council of the City of York		)
was this day of	2015	)
hereto affixed in the presence of:		)

Assistant Director of Governance and ICT Council of the City of York

