

# **PARKING CONTROL BYE LAWS 2021**

for

**MULLAGHMORE VILLAGE, SLIGO** 

## (MULLAGHMORE VILLAGE)

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The County Council of the County of Sligo (hereinafter referred to as "the Council") in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 101 of the Road Traffic Act, 1961 (No. 24 of 1961) as amended by Section 6 of the Road Traffic Act, 1968 (No. 25 of 1968) and Section 49 of the Road Traffic Act, 1994 (No. 7 of 1994) and pursuant to Section 36 of the Road Traffic Act, 1994 (No. 7 of 1994) as amended by Section 12 of the Roads Act, 2007 (No. 34 of 2007) and having consulted with the Commissioner of An Garda Síochána, hereby make the following Bye-Laws in relation to the control and regulation of the parking of vehicles in Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo.

#### Interpretation

Throughout these bye-laws, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions have the meaning hereafter respectively assigned to them, that is to say;

"Authorised Person" means a person authorised in writing by the Council to carry out any

functions for the purposes of these bye-laws.

"Car Park" means the parking area provided by the Council at Mullaghmore

Promenade, Sligo and all other areas as outlined in red on the map

marked Schedule A attached to these bye-laws.

"the Council" or "Council" means Sligo County Council.

"Disabled Person" means a person who is suffering from a permanent disability that

prevents that person from walking or causes undue hardship to the

person in walking;

"Disabled persons parking bay" means a space in the car park intended for the parking of a vehicle,

the driver of which or a passenger in which is a disabled person and

so indicated by ground or other markings or signs;

"Disabled persons parking permit" means a disabled drivers permit issued by the Wheelchair

Association of Ireland or the Disabled Drivers Association or

other authorised body;

"Information Plate" means a plate accompanying a traffic sign which indicates the period

during which the restrictions or prohibition indicated by such traffic

sign applies;

"Parking Bay"

means a space in the car park intended for the parking of one vehicle

and so indicated by surface or other signs or markings;

"Public Road"

has the meaning assigned to it in Section 2(1) of the Act, 1993;

"Temporary Dwellings"

means any tent, caravan, mobile home, vehicle or other structure or thing (whether on wheels or not) which is capable of being moved from one place to another (whether by towing, transport on a vehicle or trailer, or otherwise), and

- (a) is used for human habitation, either permanently or from time to time, or
- (b) was designated, constructed or adapted for such use.

"Valid disabled persons parking ticket" means a disabled persons parking ticket which has not expired.

#### 1. Citation

These bye-Laws shall be cited as the Mullaghmore Village Parking Control Bye-Laws 2021.

#### 2. Commencement:

These bye-Laws shall come into operation on the <u>24</u> day of <u>JUNE</u>, 2021.

#### 3. Area of Application:

These bye-Laws shall apply to the area as described herein, as outlined in red on the map marked Schedule A attached to these Bye-Laws.

- 4. A vehicle shall not be parked in the Car Park except wholly within a parking bay.
- 5. Where a Parking Bay is delineated by road markings, only vehicles of the size appropriate to the delineation may use the space.
- 6. A person shall not park a bus or a coach in the Car Park save for Parking Bays, which are delineated for such vehicles by means of road markings or signs.
- 7. A vehicle shall not be parked in a Parking Bay which is a disabled persons parking bay, unless the vehicle displays a valid disabled persons parking permit.
- 8. No person shall park or cause to be parked in the Car Park a vehicle in such a position or location or in such condition or in such circumstances that it would cause or be likely to cause danger to other persons using the Car Park or to obstruct the entrance to or exit from the Car Park or to obstruct the free flow of traffic or pedestrians within the Car Park or obstruct the access way to the slipway to the beach.

9. A person shall not overhaul or carry out repairs to a vehicle while it is parked in the Car Park save where it is necessary to do so in order to enable the vehicle to be removed from the Car Park.

#### 10. Prohibition on parking of Temporary Dwellings

- (a). Overnight parking of Temporary Dwellings is prohibited within the car park which includes all other areas as outlined in red on the map marked Schedule A attached to these bye-laws.
- 11. A person shall not make any excessive noise by means of or in relation to a vehicle while it is parked in the Car Park or by means of any equipment fitting or instruments fitted to or carried on the vehicle or any loudspeaker or radio in or on or in any way connected with the vehicle.
- 12. Every person using the Car Park shall comply with any lawful direction given by an authorised person or a member of An Garda Síochána in relation to the parking of a vehicle in or its removal from the Car Park or in relation to any of these bye-laws.
- 13. A person using the Car Park shall not wilfully obstruct, disturb or interrupt any authorised person in the execution of his or her duty, including the execution of any work in connection with the laying out or maintenance of any part of the Car Park by Council staff or agents.
- 14. Where a person is requested by an authorised person or a member of An Garda Síochána to leave the Car Park he or she shall comply with such request.
- 15. Any person in breach of these bye-laws shall be guilty of an offence and shall be subject to a fine as prescribed by the Road Traffic Acts and the Road Traffic Regulations.
- 16. In accordance with the Local Authorities (Traffic Wardens) Act, 1975 (no. 14 of 1975) as amended and any Regulations passed thereunder, where a Traffic Warden is of the opinion that an offence is being committed or has been committed under any provision of these byelaws, he/she may issue a Fixed Payment Notice, specifying a fixed payment not exceeding such amount as may be prescribed by law from time to time. The Fixed Payment Notice shall specify:
  - (i). the amount of the fixed payment; and
  - (ii). the period within which it must be paid in order to avoid prosecution.

#### 17. Non-application of these bye-laws to certain vehicles

- a vehicle being used in connection with the removal of an obstruction to traffic, the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a public road, the provision, alteration or repair of a main drain, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, oil, water or electricity or of a telegraph, telephone or communications line or conduit or the provision of a traffic sign;
- (ii) a fire brigade vehicle, an ambulance or a vehicle being used by a member of An Garda Síochána or a Traffic Warden or other authorised person in the performance of his/her duties.

Present when the Common Seal of the Council was affixed hereto: -	
Cathaoirleach of Sligo County Council	COMMON SEAL OF THE COUNCIL
Enrer O Director of Services	
<u>09</u> day of JUNE , 2021	

#### **SCHEDULE A**

Map of Mullaghmore outlining Area of Application

