## ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014

## **OLDHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL**

## **CROMPTON MOOR, CROMPTON**

## **PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER 2018**

Oldham Borough Council ("the Council") in exercise of its power under section 59 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 ("the Act") and of all other enabling powers being satisfied that the conditions set out in section 59 of the Act have been met hereby makes the following Order:-

- 1. This Order applies to the public place known as Crompton Moor, Crompton shown edged in red on the plan annexed to this Order ("the Restricted Area").
- 2. A person who brings to, or is in control of, more than three dogs in the Restricted Area on any single occasion, shall be guilty of an offence.
- 3. If a dog defecates at any time in the Restricted Area and a person who is in charge of the dog at the time fails to remove the faeces from the Restricted Area forthwith, that person shall be guilty of an offence.
- 4. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they deposit waste or leave any other article in the Restricted Area in any place other than waste bins or receptacles designated for the disposal of waste items.
- 5. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they do not comply with an instruction given by a Police Officer or other authorised person not to consume alcohol or to surrender alcohol or a container for alcohol, within the Restricted Area.
- 6. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they are found to be camping within the Restricted Area without the written consent of the Council.
- 7. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they are in the Restricted Area with any air propelled weapon.
- 8. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they hunt any animal or bird within the Restricted Area.
- 9. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they light a fire within the Restricted Area.
- 10. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they drive or bring any mechanically propelled vehicle in the Restricted Area, without the express consent of the Council, save for motorised wheelchairs, mobility scooters or any other device designed to assist an individual with a disability.
- 11. A person shall be guilty of an offence if they cause harm to any trees, shrubs or woodland within the Restricted Area.

- 12. A person shall be guilty of an offence should they be found to be in possession of nitrous oxide containers or any other psychoactive substance within the Restricted Area.
- 13. For the purposes of Articles 2 & 3;
- A person who habitually has a dog in his possession shall be taken to be in charge of the dog unless at that time some other person is in charge of the dog;
- b) Placing the faeces in a receptacle in the Restricted Areas which is provided for that purpose or for the disposal of waste, shall be sufficient removal from the Restricted Areas;
- c) Being unaware of the defecation (whether by reason of not being in the vicinity or otherwise) or not having a device for or other suitable means of removing the faeces shall not be a reasonable excuse for failing to remove the faeces.
- 14. Any person who, without reasonable excuse, fails to comply with the requirements of Articles 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12 of this Order commits an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.
- 13. This Order shall come into force on 23 April 2018 for a period of three years.

THE COMMON SEAL of OLDHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL was hereunto affixed on 18 April 2018 in the presence of: -

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