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PARAGRAPH 2

NOTICE OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION TO RE-DESIGNATE
THE STREETS IN THE BOROUGH TO CONSENT STREETS

Notice is hereby given that the Walsall Council, in accordance with the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 is undertaking a public consultation on the designation of the streets in the borough to consent streets. As per the legislation, it is a requirement for this notice to include the new resolution should the council decide to proceed with the designation. Below is the draft resolution:

“In pursuance of the powers conferred upon the council by virtue of schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) act 1982, the council hereby makes the decision that all the streets within the borough of Walsall including any road, footway, or other area to which the public have access without payment to be designated as consent streets and shall come in to force on the 01/11/2024”

The consultation will end on 30/08/2024. The consultation is to designate all the streets in the borough to Consent streets. Currently streets in the borough are designated as prohibited streets, licensed streets and consent streets.



You can view details of the consultation here:
online1.snapsurveys.com/street-trading

Representations to the consultation can be made completing the survey on the link above or by emailing: streettradingreview2023@walsall.gov.uk.

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