## LONDON BOROUGH OF ENFIELD

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

#### PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER NUMBER 3 of 2017 (the "ORDER")

## WITHIN THE LONDON BOROUGH OF ENFIELD, THE PARKS LISTED IN THE ATTACHED APPENDIX 1

This Order may be cited as the London Borough of Enfield, Public Spaces Protection Order Number 3 of 2017.

The London Borough of Enfield exercises its powers under Section 59, 64 and 72 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 ("the Act") and under all other enabling powers, hereby makes the following Order:

- 1. This Order shall come into operation on 15 January 2018 and shall have an effect for 3 years thereafter, unless extended by further Order under the Council's statutory powers.
- 2. This Order relates to the parts of the London Borough of Enfield, as listed on the attached appendix 1 of parks ("the designated area").
- 3. The Council is satisfied that the conditions set out in Section 59 (2) of the Act have been met. Namely, that the following anti-social behaviour and criminal activities have been carried out within the designated area:

Failure of person(s) in charge of a dog to have it on a lead at all times within the designated areas.

These activities have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality, and it is likely that the activities will be carried out within that area and have such an effect.

4. The Council is also satisfied that the conditions set out in Section 59 (3) of the Act have been met. Namely, that the effect or likely effect of the activities is, or is likely to be, of a persistent or continuing nature and that these activities are unreasonable and justify the restrictions imposed by this Order and that it is in all the circumstances expedient to make this Order for the purpose of reducing crime and/or anti-social behaviour in a public place.

#### **PROHIBITIONS:**

- 1. A person in charge of a dog in the designated area must, at all times, keep the dog on a lead, unless
  - (a) he has a reasonable excuse for failing to do so; or
  - (b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.

## AUTHORISED PERSONS:

An authorised person could be a Police Constable, Police Community Support Officer or Council Officer, and must be able to present their authority upon request.

# FIXED PENALTY NOTICES AND OFFENCES:

- 1. It is an offence for a person without reasonable excuse to engage in any activity that is prohibited by this Order.
- In accordance with section 67 of the Act, a person found to be in breach of this Order is liable on summary conviction to a maximum penalty of a level 3 fine or to a Fixed Penalty Notice up to £100.

# **APPEALS:**

1. In accordance with section 66 of the Act, any interested person who wishes to challenge the validity of this Order on the grounds that the Council did not have the power to make the Order or that a requirement under the Act has not been complied with may apply to the High Court within six weeks from the date upon which the Order is made.

#### **APPENDIX:**

A list of the parks ("the designated area") to which this Order applies.

Given under the Common Seal of the London Borough of Enfield On the

.....day of......2017

THE COMMON SEAL of the COUNCIL

Was hereunto affixed In the presence of:

.....Authorised Officer

.....Designation

# Appendix 1: List of the parks in dogs are required to be kept on a lead at all times

Angel Gardens Arnos Park - the new growing space Broomfield Gardens Bush Hill Gardens Cambridge Gardens Chase Green Gardens Delhi Gardens Firs Farm (Wetlands) Forest Road Golden Jubilee Park Forty Hall Park Estate – walled garden Gentlemans Row Minchenden Oak Gardens Pymmes Park (Wetlands) Woodcroft Wildspace Whitewebbs Golf Course