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Dear Sir/Madam,

THE GLASGOW CITY COUNCIL, SCOTSTOUN/JORDANHILL, TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER 201- PARKING

Thank you for your e-mail of 16 March and the opportunity to comment on the proposals for changes to parking at road junctions in the Scotstoun/Jordanhill area.

We are very much in favour of the proposed changes; it is not only inconsiderate, but dangerous for vehicles to be left at junctions and this is confirmed by the following instruction in the Highway Code:

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DO NOT stop or park

• opposite or within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction, except in an authorised parking space"

It is not only vulnerable road users who are affected by such parking; even the most able and competent among us is at risk in these situations. The vast majority of the properties in the area have space for off-road parking so there is no reason for vehicles to be left where they present a hazard.

Of course, for the proposed changes to be effective, there must be adequate monitoring and enforcement. It would be reassuring if you are able to confirm that, should the order be approved, Glasgow City Council will make the necessary arrangements for monitoring and enforcement. We do not wish to see yet more painted lines on our roads that are simply ignored by selfish drivers.

Yours sincerely

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