



## **Public Space Protection Order (PSPO)**

Crawley Borough Council is proposing to implement a Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) under Section 59 Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014, designating the area of Crawley edged in blue on the plan referred to in the PSPO as a restricted area for alcohol related anti-social behaviour, for 3 years. The PSPO will be a tool available to the police and council to reduce the impact that alcohol related nuisance and anti-social behaviour has on the community of Crawley.

There is currently an Alcohol PSPO in place which expires in October, this transitioned from a Designed Public Places Order (Consumption of Intoxicating Liquor) in 2017. The Designated Public Places Order had been in place since 2006. The new PSPO would replace the current PSPO when it expires.

The Order will prohibit the consumption of alcohol in a public place where it is associated with nuisance and anti-social behaviour or it is believed it will lead to nuisance and anti-social behaviour. The Order will give the police and authorised council officers the power to request an individual to stop drinking and hand over any open or sealed container(s) believed to contain alcohol. It will be an offence for anyone to engage in the activity prohibited by the PSPO, when asked to stop. Both the police and council officers will be able to enforce the order and issue fixed penalty notices.

If you wish to support/object to the proposal to implement a new PSPO after the current one expires, please complete our short questionnaire.

Q1 Do you support the implementation of a Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) for alcohol related anti-social behaviour?

Yes .....   
No .....

If 'No' please state your reason(s) why:

Q2 What impact do you think having a PSPO will have on:

	Positive Impact	Negative Impact	No Impact
People living in Crawley	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People working in Crawley	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People visiting Crawley	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q3 How much of a problem do you think alcohol related anti-social behaviour is in Crawley?

It is a big problem .....   
It is somewhat of a problem.....   
Not sure .....   
It isn't really a problem .....   
It isn't a problem at all.....

Q4 Which best describes you?

Member of the public .....   
Community group representative .....   
Business owner .....   
Other .....

If other, please specify:

Q5 If you have any further comments regarding the PSPO please use the space below:

Thank you for taking the time to share your views with us on this issue.

Please return your completed survey to:

Communications Team  
Crawley Borough Council  
Town Hall  
The Boulevard  
Crawley  
RH10 1UZ

If you wish to speak to someone regarding the proposal or require further information, please contact Trish Emmans on 01293 438482 or [communitysafety@crawley.gov.uk](mailto:communitysafety@crawley.gov.uk)