

# Street Parking in Northamptonshire is changing

How will the changes affect me?

my county council



Parking controls help more spaces become available to more people at peak times during the day. This helps provide better parking management throughout the county so that inconsiderate and unsafe parking can be tackled.

## 3. Residents parking

In residential areas, residents should always have priority to park over non-residents. Residents parking schemes help protect certain areas for resident only parking during the daytime. Such schemes are particularly useful around the edges of town centres and adjacent to train stations, sports grounds etc. Any new scheme will be introduced subject to funding and further consultation.

## Feedback

On the reverse of this leaflet you will see our proposals for parking controls are in your local town centre:

- Parking controls will be for your local town centre.
- Where residents parking is planned.

You can comment in one of the following ways :

- complete the attached feedback form and return it to us with your comments. There is no need to add a stamp.
- Send us an email to [parking@northamptonshire.gov.uk](mailto:parking@northamptonshire.gov.uk)
- Write to us at the address given on the feedback form
- Telephone 01604 654633 or
- Visit our website and fill in our online form at [www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/parking](http://www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/parking)

Please can we have your comments before the 30th November 2006.

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## Street Parking in Northamptonshire is changing

Historically, on street parking has been enforced by Northamptonshire police. However, the government has given all local authorities across the country the opportunity to take on this function in order to allow the police more time for policing.

Northamptonshire County Council is taking responsibility for on street parking enforcement within Northamptonshire. As part of this process we will be assessing how appropriate existing parking controls are so they best serve the needs of all who use our roads.

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### 1. Review of yellow lines and other parking restrictions

- As part of the changeover process, the county council is reviewing all of the county's yellow lines, limited waiting bays and all other parking restrictions.
- We need to ensure all parking restrictions provide adequate safety to all those who use our roads and are relevant to today's needs.
- All boroughs and districts across Northamptonshire will be affected by these changes with the exception of Northampton, where the process has already been completed.

### 2. On Street Parking Controls

Free limited waiting is good in theory but relies on people respecting limited waiting times and the pressures on availability of parking does not meet the current demand.

Parking controls are being considered in some areas across Northamptonshire where a turnover of parking is essential for the vitality of the community, as a better way to manage limited waiting proposals.

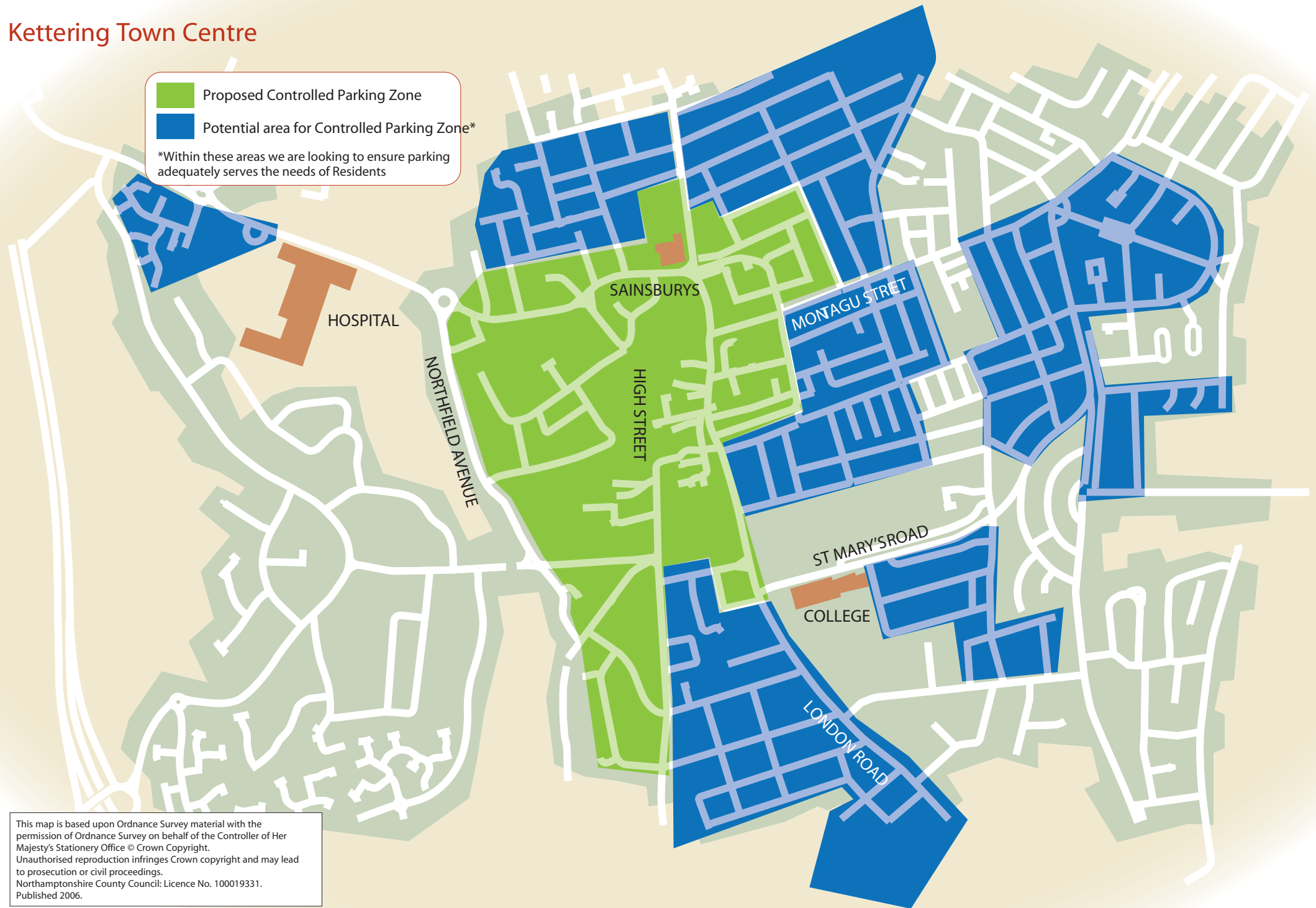
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# Kettering Town Centre



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Kettering Town Centre

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Are you a local resident    yes     no

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are you a car owner    yes     no

Thank you for your comments