

Tell us what you think

PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER (PSPO) REVIEW 2024

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About This Survey

The Public Spaces Protection Order Survey ran from 9 September – 2 December 2024.

The 12-week consultation period gave residents, businesses, and visitors the opportunity to comment on the current Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) that is due for renewal March 2025 and the proposed prohibitions that Hull City Council would like to add at the request of partners.

Overall, 847 respondents have completed this survey.

Hull Postcode	598	70.6%
East Riding Postcode	137	16.2%
Other Postcode	3	0.4%
No postcode Provides	109	12.9%

598 responses came from individuals who provides a Hull postcode.

This is a valid sample for residents of Hull aged 16 + and Hull specific results have a **confidence level of 95% with a confidence interval (margin of error) of approximately 4.0%**, which is within the corporate standard of a maximum confidence interval of 5%.

This survey, and its results, meet the Corporate Standards for Research and Consultation.

Respondent Characteristics Overall

Q. Which of the following age ranges are you in?

Under 16	0.2%
16 - 24	4.1%
25 - 34	9.1%
35 - 44	12.9%
45 - 54	18.2%
55 - 64	23.4%
65 - 74	22.9%
75+	9.0%

Q. Which of the following best describes you?

Male / Man	50.2%
Female / Woman	48.7%
MTF	0.0%
FTM	0.0%
Gender fluid	0.2%
Non binary	0.7%
I would describe myself some other way	0.0%

Q. Which of the following best describes your ethnic background?

White - British / English / Welsh / Scottish / Northern Irish	95.0%
Other white	1.5%
Black / Black British	0.6%
Asian / Asian British	1.5%
Mixed / Multiple ethnicities	0.9%
Arab	0.1%
Other	0.5%

Q. Are your day-to-day activities more difficult because of an illness or impairment?

Yes, a little	19.0%
Yes, a lot	12.5%
No	68.5%

Q. Have you ever served in the Armed Forces?

Yes	6.5%
No	93.5%

Relationship To The PSPO Area

Q. Which of the following describes you?

I live in the city centre	53	6.3%
I live in the wider PSPO area	363	43.0%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	239	28.3%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	79	9.4%
I own a business in the city centre	39	4.6%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	11	1.3%
I visit the city centre	429	50.8%
I visit the wider PSPO area	274	32.5%
None of these	38	4.5%
Other	27	3.2%

Overall Results At A Glance

Q. How much do you support a PSPO to tackle?

	Strongly oppose	Oppose	Neither	Support	Strongly support	% Who Support
<p>Begging:</p> <p>No person shall make any verbal, non-verbal or written request for money, donations or goods, including the placing of hats, clothing or containers so as to cause or is likely to cause harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance, or annoyance. This applies at all times. This PSPO does not include buskers.</p>	5.0%	3.2%	8.6%	23.0%	60.2%	83.2%
<p>Loitering:</p> <p>No person shall loiter, sit or lay on the floor or on temporary structures in or adjacent to doorways or around pay machines (including banks, supermarkets) in a manner causing or likely to cause harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance to any person. This applies at all times.</p>	3.4%	3.2%	5.1%	23.6%	64.6%	88.2%
<p>Street Drinking:</p> <p>No person shall consume alcohol in any public place other than at licensed premises or shall be in possession of any opened vessel containing or purporting to contain alcohol in any public place. This applies at all times except where street markets / events / festivals have obtained Temporary Event Notices, so will in effect be licensed premises for the time they are there.</p>	3.5%	2.5%	3.9%	21.1%	69.0%	90.1%
<p>Anti-Social Behaviour in the City Centre With A 48 Hour Dispersal Order:</p> <p>No person shall, after being requested to leave by an authorised officer due to them behaving in a manner causing or likely to cause harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance to any person within the City Centre without reasonable excuse, remain or return to the City Centre within a period of 48 hours. This applies at all times except for those individuals who are rough sleeping when this prohibition will only apply if they have access to alternative accommodation or have refused support.</p>	3.1%	1.8%	5.2%	23.3%	66.6%	89.9%

PSPO 1: Begging

Q. How much do you support a PSPO to tackle begging in this area?

	Strongly oppose	Oppose	Neither	Support	Strongly support	% Who Support
Overall	5.0%	3.2%	8.6%	23.0%	60.2%	83.2%
Hull Residents Only	5.2%	3.2%	8.0%	23.6%	60.0%	83.6%
I live in the city centre	9.4%	5.7%	1.9%	18.9%	64.2%	83.0%
I live in the wider PSPO area	4.4%	3.6%	9.6%	23.7%	58.7%	82.4%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	6.7%	2.9%	4.6%	14.2%	71.5%	85.8%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	8.9%	6.3%	8.9%	13.9%	62.0%	75.9%
I own a business in the city centre	2.6%	0.0%	2.6%	10.3%	84.6%	94.9%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	9.1%	0.0%	9.1%	27.3%	54.5%	81.8%
I visit the city centre	4.7%	3.5%	10.5%	23.8%	57.6%	81.4%
I visit the wider PSPO area	3.6%	4.4%	8.8%	25.2%	58.0%	83.2%
None of these	10.5%	5.3%	18.4%	31.6%	34.2%	65.8%
Other	8.3%	12.5%	12.5%	29.2%	37.5%	66.7%

Above Average Levels of Support: -

Below Average Levels of Support: None of these, Other

Q. Which of the following describes your view of this PSPO?

	Keep it as is	Change it	Drop it completely
Overall	78.1%	16.0%	5.8%
Hull Residents Only	78.3%	16.1%	5.7%
I live in the city centre	72.5%	19.6%	7.8%
I live in the wider PSPO area	78.9%	14.6%	6.5%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	75.3%	19.6%	5.1%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	60.5%	27.6%	11.8%
I own a business in the city centre	78.9%	18.4%	2.6%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	90.9%	9.1%	0.0%
I visit the city centre	78.4%	15.1%	6.5%
I visit the wider PSPO area	79.0%	13.9%	7.1%
None of these	76.3%	18.4%	5.3%
Other	62.5%	16.7%	20.8%

Significantly Different Groups:

- I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area:* Significantly lower than average proportion saying keep as is, and significantly higher than average proportions saying either change it or drop it completely
- Other:* Significantly higher than average proportion saying drop it completely

PSPO 2: Loitering

Q. How much do you support a PSPO to tackle loitering in this area?

	Strongly oppose	Oppose	Neither	Support	Strongly support	% Who Support
Overall	3.4%	3.2%	5.1%	23.6%	64.6%	88.2%
Hull Residents Only	3.5%	3.2%	4.9%	24.0%	64.5%	88.4%
I live in the city centre	11.3%	5.7%	0.0%	15.1%	67.9%	83.0%
I live in the wider PSPO area	3.3%	4.1%	5.2%	24.0%	63.3%	87.3%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	4.6%	3.3%	2.1%	13.4%	76.6%	90.0%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	7.6%	6.3%	3.8%	19.0%	63.3%	82.3%
I own a business in the city centre	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%	10.3%	87.2%	97.4%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	9.1%	0.0%	9.1%	36.4%	45.5%	81.8%
I visit the city centre	3.0%	3.0%	4.9%	25.5%	63.5%	89.0%
I visit the wider PSPO area	2.9%	4.0%	4.0%	26.4%	62.6%	89.0%
None of these	2.6%	2.6%	21.1%	26.3%	47.4%	73.7%
Other	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	24.0%	52.0%	76.0%

Above Average Levels of Support: -

Below Average Levels of Support: None of these

Q. Which of the following describes your view of this PSPO?

	Keep it as is	Change it	Drop it completely
Overall	80.7%	14.8%	4.5%
Hull Residents Only	81.3%	14.6%	4.1%
I live in the city centre	76.5%	13.7%	9.8%
I live in the wider PSPO area	80.3%	14.3%	5.3%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	78.3%	17.4%	4.3%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	64.5%	27.6%	7.9%
I own a business in the city centre	89.5%	7.9%	2.6%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	90.0%	10.0%	0.0%
I visit the city centre	81.8%	14.8%	3.3%
I visit the wider PSPO area	79.8%	15.7%	4.5%
None of these	78.4%	16.2%	5.4%
Other	64.0%	16.0%	20.0%

Significantly Different Groups:

- *I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area*: Significantly lower than average proportion saying keep as is and significantly higher than average proportion saying change
- *Other*: Significantly lower than average proportion saying keep as is and significantly higher than average proportion saying drop it completely

PSPO 3: Street Drinking

Q. How much do you support a PSPO to tackle street drinking in this area?

	Strongly oppose	Oppose	Neither	Support	Strongly support	% Who Support
Overall	3.5%	2.5%	3.9%	21.1%	69.0%	90.1%
Hull Residents Only	3.5%	2.9%	3.4%	20.3%	70.0%	90.3%
I live in the city centre	9.4%	3.8%	0.0%	9.4%	77.4%	86.8%
I live in the wider PSPO area	3.9%	3.6%	3.6%	21.8%	67.2%	89.0%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	3.4%	2.1%	3.8%	11.0%	79.7%	90.7%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	6.3%	1.3%	2.5%	19.0%	70.9%	89.9%
I own a business in the city centre	5.4%	2.7%	0.0%	13.5%	78.4%	91.9%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	9.1%	0.0%	9.1%	18.2%	63.6%	81.8%
I visit the city centre	3.7%	2.3%	3.0%	23.8%	67.1%	90.9%
I visit the wider PSPO area	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%	21.9%	68.2%	90.1%
None of these	0.0%	0.0%	13.2%	31.6%	55.3%	86.8%
Other	8.0%	8.0%	4.0%	36.0%	44.0%	80.0%

Above Average Levels of Support: -

Below Average Levels of Support:

Q. Which of the following describes your view of this PSPO?

	Keep it as is	Change it	Drop it completely
Overall	80.9%	15.3%	3.8%
Hull Residents Only	81.7%	14.7%	3.6%
I live in the city centre	74.0%	18.0%	8.0%
I live in the wider PSPO area	82.1%	13.4%	4.5%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	76.1%	20.0%	3.9%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	72.7%	22.1%	5.2%
I own a business in the city centre	86.1%	8.3%	5.6%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	90.0%	10.0%	0.0%
I visit the city centre	82.5%	14.2%	3.4%
I visit the wider PSPO area	80.5%	15.4%	4.1%
None of these	81.6%	18.4%	0.0%
Other	62.5%	20.8%	16.7%

Significantly Different Groups:

- *Other*: Significantly lower than average proportion saying keep as is and significantly higher than average proportion saying drop it completely

PSPO 4: Anti-Social Behaviour In The City Centre

Q. How much do you support a PSPO to tackle anti-social behaviour in the city centre with a 48-hour dispersal order:

	Strongly oppose	Oppose	Neither	Support	Strongly support	% Who Support
Overall	3.1%	1.8%	5.2%	23.3%	66.6%	89.9%
Hull Residents Only	3.4%	1.7%	4.7%	23.9%	66.4%	90.3%
I live in the city centre	9.4%	3.8%	3.8%	13.2%	69.8%	83.0%
I live in the wider PSPO area	2.5%	1.1%	4.7%	26.2%	65.5%	91.7%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	4.6%	2.1%	3.8%	13.0%	76.6%	89.5%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	3.8%	1.3%	10.1%	19.0%	65.8%	84.8%
I own a business in the city centre	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	13.2%	81.6%	94.7%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%	45.5%	45.5%	90.9%
I visit the city centre	2.6%	2.1%	6.1%	25.0%	64.3%	89.3%
I visit the wider PSPO area	2.2%	2.9%	5.8%	23.4%	65.7%	89.1%
None of these	0.0%	2.6%	7.9%	36.8%	52.6%	89.5%
Other	3.8%	3.8%	15.4%	26.9%	50.0%	76.9%

Above Average Levels of Support: -

Below Average Levels of Support: Other

Q. Which of the following describes your view of this PSPO?

	Keep it as is	Change it	Drop it completely
Overall	81.6%	15.2%	3.2%
Hull Residents Only	82.1%	15.3%	2.6%
I live in the city centre	73.9%	17.4%	8.7%
I live in the wider PSPO area	84.4%	13.0%	2.6%
I work / go to school college in the city centre	81.1%	15.9%	3.1%
I work / go to school college in the wider PSPO area	75.0%	22.2%	2.8%
I own a business in the city centre	84.2%	10.5%	5.3%
I own a business in the wider PSPO area	90.0%	10.0%	0.0%
I visit the city centre	81.3%	16.3%	2.4%
I visit the wider PSPO area	80.2%	16.4%	3.4%
None of these	78.9%	18.4%	2.6%
Other	58.3%	20.8%	20.8%

Significantly Different Groups:

- *I live in the city centre*: Significantly higher than average proportion saying drop it completely
- *Other*: Significantly lower than average proportion saying keep as is and significantly higher than average proportion saying drop it completely

PSPO 1: Begging - Open Text

Q. What would you change about this PSPO?

A complete no drinking zone within the boundary of the PSPO.

A few can be quite verbally rude

A more visible and proactive approach is needed

actually remove them, then enforce help

Add excessively noisy & persistent amplified busking, eg in Victoria Square

Add that there is no drinking of alcohol within public spaces of the PSPO zone regardless of any ASB etc

Add the consumption of alcohol. Use the highest category of sanctions as the university ward is a mess!

Add what steps people can take who feel they need to beg

Ban begging

Be specific about buskers - do they need permission? A licence?

Beggars are always outside Bugens and Tesco' Express on Spring Bank and the street drinkers have taken covered bus

Begging is a real issue and needs to be addressed

Bring no drinking in the area

Businesses/Planning/enforcement need to take responsibility of how they operate their business/regulations from times they open to when they close - I say this living in an area where anti social behaviour is the norm and serving of alcohol and other associated addictions can be easily acquired because businesses will advertise their opening hours by only saying til late - so what official time is that?

Change it in accordance with the suggested amendments

City centre during the day - newland avenue outside Tesco often homeless person sat there asking for money

Cover all areas

Cover more areas

Deal with the homelessness

delete the words 'alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance' - they are too subjective and anyone can claim these if they are unsympathetic

do it more effectively

enforce it!!!!!! That is all anyone wants. We no longer shop on Newland Avenue because of the number of beggars, thieves and drunken people who have been seen having sex on the benches and urinating in full view of the street and children!

Enforcement required

Especially in the City Centre

expand the PSPO to include street drinking.

Extend the PSPO to more areas in the city.

Give the homeless an alternative so they can survive without begging

I am not opposed to written requests.

I don't mind people having signs and donation bowls but I dislike being asked for or challenged to donate money on the street.

I feel inoffensive polite beggars can be tolerated

I haven't been affected by this and would not wish to skew results

I often give to homeless people. To criminalise it would be bad

I think the section about placing hats, etc on the floor should be removed. It's not intimidating to have clothing on the ground.

I think this is overly prescriptive regarding behaviour and activities. Surely some of the things listed as prohibited are already covered by current laws and bylaws?

I'd personally add busking, they should require a permit because some of them are atrocious!

Include buskers

Include buskers

Include Vibration & noise from commercial properties ie AC units (excessively powerful and/or excessive amounts of them).

Inclusion of buskers.

Increase powers to eliminate it, to a ZERO tolerance

Insert the word 'which' between 'so as to cause or' and 'is likely to cause.'

It needs to be enforced

It needs to include buskers....some are truly shocking!

I've just been asked for money, sick of it, 21/10/24, Sainsbury's Princes Avenue Hull

Keep people off the streets makes the city less desirable for tourists and even people from surrounding areas

Make begging an offence

Make buskers and street traders wear lanyards with their ID and permit number, so we can see at first sight who is who

Make changes due to experience and need, as felt necessary.

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Make it as above, not allowed
Make it so it is against the PSPO to sit on the floor
Make it so there's now police presence as people are walking round drugged up begging etc.
Make more visible
More effort is needed to get the drug addicts who sit outside the shops removed.
More enforcement
More enforcement of the PSPO
More police in the area
More restrictions
More restrictions
More support to keep homeless people and beggars away from the city centre as transitions through the city centre is intimidating when approached by homeless people and beggars. Most of the time threatening behaviour can occur when the person is ignored or refused.
Needs clarity. See comment below. Big issue seller should also be exempt
Needs more deterrents
Needs more powers to handle
Needs to also include a zero tolerance on scooters, and ebikes been ridden on the pavement as this is totally asb
Not enough been done currently
Once the beggar has been seen or heard begging, they are removed from the whole area and fined.
People need to beg sometimes and be more lenient
Please do not allow alcohol
PSPO's should be out and about been visible to the public in all areas of the city mainly the town centre where people go to town for a number of reasons it prevents shop lifters anti social behaviour and drug dealing and drug activities along with drinking problems
Remove begging from the street
Sounds like good idea
Still needs tackling.
Stop beggars
Stop them around supermarkets and cash machines
street drinking and anti social behaviour should be monitored and PCSOs/hu;; should be available in these areas more than currently- especially on a Sunday in the city centre
Stricter measures
Strong enforcement
Tackle it head on & stop then begging
The current PSPO is not working as nothing is being done to tackle these issues in the city centre. I don't recognise my city anymore, it is in a terrible state.
The police need more power to move people on or confiscate alcohol
There is too much begging in the area making me feel uncomfortable when out on my own.
there should be more PSPOs in more areas.
They need to patrol Holderness road more
too many beggars, hassling me
Ugghave concerns it maybe misused
Unsafe, lots of homeless
Use of the wording 'must not approach people' may need adding - or something similar as people can be quite intimidating/aggressive in certain states.
We need more active street presence
Widen the area that it covers !
Work closely with other organisations and voluntary groups to identify needs of individuals.
Would like more enforcement

Q. Is there anything else you would like to say about this PSPO?

Absolutely needed, as begging is rife outside food retailers in the centre
Actually enforce it
All it will do is move the problem to a different area, without addressing the underlying cause
Anything that helps with the problems of today can only help to improve things, improvement are sorely needed these days in many situations.
As a Hull Family business the City Centre has become an intimidating place, when I speak to my wider friends and family they simply say they won't come into Hull Centre due to the begging and intimidation from drunk's and beggars .
As long as they are non-threatening I think it is ok. They need more services to help them get off the streets.
Beggars must be stopped
Begging around cash machines is particularly worrying and makes myself and others very nervous. There should be zero tolerance to this.
Begging in the city centre is the worst I have known it.

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Begging is a city wide problem everywhere in the city so it should ban begging everywhere
Bit difficult for the homeless. They are more likely to get some official and unofficial help in the centre of the town than in the outskirts and they undoubtedly need some help. I would expect that if you are going to ban them from the city centre you will be making provision for them which resolves their difficulties.

Brilliant idea!

Buskers, Big Issue sellers with permission should be allowed but begging should be banned

Busking is just as offensive to me as street begging, especially if an electric amplifier is used, because it can disrupt the quiet ambience of a place.

Can there also sort out the sales people who bother you while in town or the shopping centers

Change it to cover no alcohol zones e scooter and e bikes

Criminalises poverty and excludes people from areas, possibly areas they live or need to access to. Social problems need to be resolved with social programs not restrictions

Currently ineffective in its current form, as persons are allowed to drink unless it is directly linked to ASB. This inevitably just leads to the police and partner agencies having to deal with persons after they have become increasingly intoxicated and anti-social.

Disgusting proposal

Does it include charity shops or people fundraising for charity? If so, I disagree with that.

Does nothing to help people who are clearly at the fringes of society

Doing great work

Don't persecute homeless

Don't understand the potential responses as my understanding is that this isn't in place yet ????

Doing it's best, though feel system is creaking.

Enforce it and hold hostels which house/provide services accountable to those caught breaching it.

enforce it!!!! Most of these people are not homeless, but they are intimidating and rude and sometimes violent.

Enforced more

Enforcement is key a very hardline stance Newland especially is becoming rife with beggars and street drinking

Essential for basic decency

Extend the areas to cover every area

For genuine people I don't mind helping them, sometimes it's hard to know who genuinely needs the help.

For the transportation speed the pavement

Frankly, I thought it already the law not to cause a public nuisance by begging etc or to hang around for the purposes of doing the same.

Fully support

Fully support the efforts to make the city a safer environment for people to enjoy and feel safe in. Mike Rice.

Heavy drinkers in gipsyville area and drug users

help to sort the street drinking at top of old stead avenue near the bin and groups of druggies that sit on the bench on endlike outside boots pharmacy

Homeless are trying to get money for food why should we deny them of that

homeless people take money

How would this impact on Big Issue sellers. Will they be exempt? They should be allowed to sell. How will it be decided if it is likely to cause harassment alarm or distress etc. does it just mean a blanket ban all together or does it have to be proved it's likely to cause this. If it's a total ban just say so. Otherwise it's open to interpretation what is being proposed.

however the problems of the beggars need addressing adequately

Hull City Council has become more criminal than anything you see around

I accept that begging can make people uncomfortable but that should not mean that we then prevent someone from trying to support themselves in the only way that might be available to them at that time. I also understand that people can manipulate others or beg to get money for drug use etc. Stopping all begging prevents those who need legitimate help from getting support.

I also think more support around the city centre is vital to combat this progression situation as more people from the city and surrounding areas outside of the city are coming in to or city as beggars.

I am a little worried I go shopping in Hull and love to see people singing in the square really talented you don't have to give money your choice they never bother you and they are spotted by talent scouts so please don't stop this they add to the soul of the city also homeless people are generally harmless it is the other people walking about carrying knives that worry me so be kind to the homeless please

I am writing to express my strong support for the proposed Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) in Hull City Centre. As a resident and a professional working in the area, I have witnessed firsthand the impact of anti-social behaviour on our community's safety and well-being. The increasing incidents of public intoxication, aggressive panhandling, and disruptive gatherings have not only undermined our sense of safety but have also deterred both locals and visitors from enjoying what our vibrant city centre has to offer. The implementation of a PSPO would be a significant step towards addressing these issues, ensuring that Hull remains a welcoming and safe place for everyone. The restrictions proposed under the PSPO, such as prohibiting alcohol consumption in public spaces and managing groups causing disturbances, are critical. These measures will help reduce the instances of anti-social behaviour that have been particularly troubling for businesses and residents alike. Ensuring compliance through clear signage and enforcement can serve as a deterrent and foster a more respectful and responsible

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community environment. Moreover, the introduction of a PSPO can enhance the attractiveness of Hull City Centre as a destination for shopping, dining, and cultural activities, contributing positively to our local economy. It is imperative that we support initiatives that not only address immediate concerns but also promote long-term community welfare and economic prosperity. I appreciate the efforts of the council in consulting with the community and considering our feedback for the proposed PSPO. It is a testament to Hull's commitment to democratic and community-focused decision-making

I do feel disturbed by beggars, to the point that I may avoid using a shop or facility rather than go past a person asking for money.

I do not shop in Hull city centre because of the overall appearance of neglect and the number of people begging and foreigners and people in groups are intimidating to me.

I do not, necessarily, consider begging to be anti social, more a failure of support. Young people getting drunk, zooming about on scooters, antisocial driving, letting fireworks off etc etc I do find problematic

I don't see begging where I live

I find them intimidating

I find begging intimidating

I have always been concerned over the number of beggars on Newland Avenue, Prince's Avenue, and the town centre. The numbers are increasing and the pestering for money getting worse. Apart from occasional comments when I ignore requests which I am capable and happy to deal with, I have reprimanded some that I have seen urinating against walls in the area after drinking all day. The sooner the better thank you.

I have rarely felt harassed, alarmed, distressed or annoyed by people begging, more mild embarrassment. I have tried to help people on the streets by giving them food, speaking to them or giving them clothing/sleeping bag/hats etc. I have once felt harassed by someone wanting to borrow my phone and he shouted at me when I would not give it to him, though I tried to help him in other ways. Mostly people begging come across as friendly and also mildly embarrassed that they are asking for help. If it can be ensured that these people will be helped, then it is better to stop them having to beg on the streets. Also, how will these people be informed of the PSPO? Are they likely to feel targeted and harassed themselves if they are removed but do not know there is a PSPO in place - this might cause more distress.

I have worked in the centre of Hull for over thirty years and for many years it felt a safe place to be. In more recent years it has become a far less welcoming place to be and can now often be an intimidating environment to be in. I welcome this proposal and if accepted it will hopefully go a long way towards making the area feel safe again

I support homeless people sitting peaceably outside a shop and accepting donations, but not aggressive beggars.

I think the problem is bigger than a PSPO. We will still have homeless people and drug users. Is there any possibility of securing more funding for homes and drug therapy. Also, the Police could do with more money to get drugs off the streets and deal with the importers and others higher up the chain of command.

I think this just another form of control over people, beggars unless they demand with menace or are a general hinderance to the area or people moving through it then the police should be notified to disperse them especially if affecting local businesses or the local communities but not a cart blanche you can't do it

I think this will waste police time. Aggressive or obstructive begging can already be dealt with.

I understand that some people are desperate but sometimes begging feels threatening.

I work at a beautiful hair salon on Anlaby Road, we daily have street drinkers, sitting in neighbouring external doorways, and the nearby European shops, they constantly litter and urinate, spit and have no respect for anyone anything around them it's awful, something needs to be done as it is very intimidating

I would love to see them on Chanterlands Avenue

I would rather more support was given to people with drug and alcohol problems, more help, more education, etc, than enforcement with no begging rules.

Idiotic idea....totalitarian..have you gone mad,?more police on roads, more visibility of police would be adequate, eg controlling bicycles on footpaths

If it's already in force why do I often pass people who are begging within the town centre.

If not there would not feel intimidated

If people are struggling and feel the need to beg, it should be up to the individual to decide if they want to gift them money.

If the PSPO officers go about their jobs properly and was allowed to arrest people and sort incidents out with not make silly excuses for the perpetrator,s to the victims,as i have encountered myself from PSPO when crime took place at my home and property-- pspo ,s came about to support Police to lessen the load but never see them out on foot only driving in cars more foot work and visibility in all areas like estates and towns would make every one feel safe on the streets again other wise why have them waisting public money

If there opportunities to improve the PSPO, consider their implementation during this review.

In a rich country like the UK there should be no homeless people. The government should put their needs before those of the newly arrived.

In the current situation PSPO isn't working and not effective and has largely been ignored by the public, unfortunately the city centre residents and visitors accept the antisocial behaviour as part of being in town, I myself live down Sykes Street and work at central library and have huge antisocial behaviour problems around where I live and where I work.

Is it really going to be enforced or just ignored as usual

Is that all you are concerned about as far as public safety is concerned?

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It is my experience that desperation is the reason people beg, whatever their need to beg, if only to get by for a moment in time who are we to stop that. Imigrants who land here are supported We should support our own above all.

It is not causing distress or alarm it is showing the reality on how people is struggling and the lack of resources to support very vulnerable people by shamming them does not bring solution

It is time to include the PSPO in wider area because we are literally connected in such a small area, that you can easily access & get from A to B. By doing this kind of reform /targeting it will help reduce such behaviours and hopefully at the same time hand out support/education not only in words, but also by actions. The NHS, Police and amenity all suffer at a huge cost - I have lived in the area long enough to see the good times, bad to now uglyIt has truly become a dive in so many parts, these are sad times. The opening of later hours anywhere across the city has backfired and feel it should only be aloud in the city centre to save on resources and hopefully easier to monitor.

It needs enforcing. The police presence isn't high enough. I am aware there is only a small number (3) police patrolling the university ward. This isn't enough!!

It needs to be enforced more rigously and combat a wider area

It really isn't clear what this whole q&a is regarding, anti social behaviour, begging, sleeping rough is plaguing the City Centre so more needs to be to tackle it in general across the City Centre!

It requires resource to enforce. The current wording is enough but without positive action people continue to breach the pspo

It will be awesome if the council can put in place a supportive department to help people who might be in need, so that instead of begging for money to get basic needs, they can have access to few basic needs as provided by the council and other agencies.

It would be beneficial if it helped support inside the shops as we get harrassed everyday i work at greggs and its a constant everyday every hour and we are powerless to stop them from coming in.

It would be good if it was tied into public schemes to help these people get off the street!!

It's about time , sick to death of beggars in particular out side Lidl

It's attempting to criminalise homelessness and is unjust

It's my feeling that PSPO's are seen by youngsters as a badge being clever & somebody to look up to. My personal feeling is, that it's time to show these youngsters where they could end up. I know some states in America, as well as some European countries did it, completely changed their attitudes. Maybe that would work!

It's ok having it but who's going to enforce it

Its long overdue but would also require vigorous eforcement, hitherto lacking.

Just like a restraining order it requires people to respect the rules and the police and residents to uphold the rules. Otherwise it's just another pointless order or sign. In my experience it does not actually make a great deal of difference to antisocial people they do what they like where they like.

Just nice to visit these areas with no worries.

keep people off the streets makes the city less desirable for tourist and even people from surrounding areas
Leave information leaflets in public places giving their the information required to donate to registered charity if they wish to help, and information on where they can point any "beggars " too so they can get support
Lets catch some of those people painting evrything that they see, not it is not art if it is not supposed to be there.

More enforcement of order

More enforcement officers to tackle begging drinking and drugs .

More help needs to be available to people its a shocking reflection on society today that people need to beg i am in support of some measures for people causing a nusiance to others asking for money directly but sitting quietly with a hat should not be seen as a problem. People drunk and high on drugs however are another thing and should be dealt with. The city centre is a scary place theses days.

More visible presence would be nice.

Most people I see begging are completely harmless. Those who actively harass people should be dealt with appropriately. We need better community policing, not targetting and criminalising vulnerable people. The level of street homeless has grown enormously recently, but this is not the way to deal with it.

Must be policed at all times.

My problem is with people *needing* to beg, not them doing so

Needs acting on much more.

Needs extending to the wider community such as Bransholme and holderness road

Needs more actioning.

Needs to be better imposed

Needs to be in place ...very scary going out n about as a lone female

Needs to be strongly reinforced. Also include Charity Representatives as these can unfortunately be too aggressive and unwilling to accept no as an amsae.

Needs to be tackled more than it has been

No as I don't live in Hull!

No really I think it's working ok.

Noise & vibration is having a detrimental effect on my life as well as others in my area, Effecting sleep as well as causing unnecessary stress. I have reported the premises responsible but nothing has been done. (I know this

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isn't what you want in this survey but I'm hoping if I make enough noise someone will take notice, Because this is driving me insane). The address is 201-203 Belvoir St

Not at this time

Not currently enforced.

Not guarded

Nothing needs to be changed

Over friendly and not moved on for hours at a time far to often over the covered bus stop near old Tap and Spile pub.

people on the streets are vulnerable people too. they should be housed in hotels and gave food and shelter for free, like some other people, not treated like vermin and not even allowed a shop doorway for shelter.

Please do not allow any drunk like alcohol

please do this as quickly as possible, and also look at ASB in general, Princes Ave, Newland Ave and the city centre are particularly bad for this

Please don't allow any booze

Please ensure that this PSPO is enforced, as many of times across Hull. we have signs, notices etc telling people not to do certain things, like ride motorbikes down bike tracks yet these signs have been damaged, removed or people do not listen to them.

Preventing people asking for money in these areas will do nothing to stop people from needing the money and instead will just drive them out of the city centre and surrounding areas where a lot of necessary facilities are, such as walk in medical centres, libraries, council support services, welcome house and other community hubs etc. Rather than trying to hide those who are potentially rough sleeping or homeless we should focus on providing services that support them to get back to a stable life. 'Out of sight, out of mind' is not the response of a city who cares for their population. Those that feel discomfort when face to face with poverty shouldn't have their comfort prioritised over another persons need for basic provision of care and the means to sustain their life at a basic level. PSPO should listen to the affected people and address their problems.

Put a stop to street drinking especially congregation near schools, parks including pocket parks.

Remove unnecessary telegraph poles which are blighting this area.

Require more investigation into whys & wherefors of people begging

See more of them on the beat?

Should include sitting in doorways of shops as they may not directly ask but makes it uninviting to go into shops

Sitting on the floor should not be allowed, and begging in any manner should be against the PSPO

Sledge-hammers and nuts come to mind. Spend the money on something worthwhile.

So long as it is enforced.

Some of the people on the street are in genuine need, others are chancers / professional beggars. It would be good to give some support those in genuine need or at least point them in the right direction. The chancers / professionals should be on a 3 strikes and you are out / busted system

Some people have no choice but to beg but I dont like being asked or pressured. If they are just sat not asking then i dont mind

Sort out the people making the city centre their own begging bowl

Start doing it. Bring it in. Do it. Enforce it. This comment suggests something is already being done. I would like to know where and when and how as it is rife.

Start of with zero tolerance word will soon get out of likely punishments

The more the better and give them as much training, powers within their powers - listen to them, so that they can improve any weaknesses in their job that they have seen, come across...

The one at the minute is not worth paper it's written on. This will stop the drug users in the town

The people who are entertainers should be licensed to allow and encourage they're contribution to making the city welcoming, however, the "beggars" that come from far and wide are a Nuisance and should be deterred from begging!

The police/ council don't enforce this. I can't find a cash point in the Avenues area where I'm not harassed by a begger. These people are often drunk and Street drinking. You don't have the resources to police this and the police would not have enough cells if you did.

The PSPO is redundant in that it is already illegal to cause harassment alarm and/or distress. It is dangerously authoritarian to target people on the basis that they are causing "annoyance". Annoyance is a subjective viewpoint. People are frequently annoyed by people based on feelings of bigotry. The targets of "annoyance" include being a target because of Age, Disability, Gender Reassignment, Marriage or Civil Partnership, Pregnancy and Maternity, Race or Ethnicity, Sex, Sexuality. These are all historically targets of "annoyance" which resulted in historic systemic discrimination. This is why they are legally protected characteristics under equality laws. It should always be expected that anyone with these characteristics will be disproportionately affected by the proposed PSPO. The targets are individuals and groups without institutional power, resources to defend their legal rights and civil liberties, groups they can turn to relieve their distress, and appeals to tolerance against those who use power and resources to behave intolerably towards them. In short, they lack power. This should be reason to question why they are being targeted in the first place, with plenty of numerous and horrific examples of the consequences of targeting them being shown in the 20th century.

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The sooner it is implemented the better. Beggars and antisocial have totally destroyed our town centre. It's a nightmare to go shopping and the same goes for the Holderness Road area. Even on a busy main road at 8.30 you are not safe (attempted mugging in the last week alone)

The wording implies that ALL charities are barred from collecting money on the street. I appreciate the need to deal with begging but the wording is very crude and catch all. It needs to be reworded to allow genuine collections. There are many people in dire straits currently and I do not agree with criminalising them for no good reason. There are no resources to tackle this even if it was in place and if there was the help for these people / they were willing to help themselves then they wouldn't be begging. All it takes is a polite no or even a yes or an offer of drink or food. How is this helping anyone?

There are still regular instances of people sitting outside shops, cash points on Newland avenue begging, street drinking is a regular occurrence both there and on Beverley road. City centre especially near McDonald's regular occurrence of anti social behaviour , drug dealing and begging .

They are a nuisance and intimidating they should have more powers.

This doesn't bother me - I feel sorry for people begging and they do not cause harm to people by asking. This is a punishment for poverty and the solution is not punishing people, it is implementing better support for people forced to beg. It's putting pressure on the government for money to build social housing, providing more bespoke support for vulnerable people, etc.

This should also include all preacher's or anyone pushing any form of religion or beliefs on the general public. Unless help can be provided to people who are homeless and have to resort to begging in order to survive. I do not want to support any action that would make their lives even harder than they already are!

Unless there is housing available for those sleeping rough, i dont feel that it is fair to stop people from begging. Walking around Hull it is not uncommon to be approached and asked for money. The people doing so are often visibly homeless or in poverty and when I am able I am happy to offer them money or to buy them something from the shop. Please do not criminalise this behaviour.

We all know where the majority of beggars come from on the avenues ward. Work with Westbourne house to tackle this

we do not have a begging in my area ,but it could work with other things going on in the area

We get very few beggars on Holderness Road, so I'm not really bothered about this.

What does it do? What does it achieve? How much does it cost?

Why are these people begging? I found an old at the services, thin and emaciated, all he wanted was food. I obliged and he was satiated, he caused no harm.

Will this include charities trying to fund raise? I think it ought to. You never know whether they're legitimate or not. You cannot solve homelessness and the surrounding issues by "banning" it. What happens when people are "caught"? How will they be dealt with? What will the consequences be? Would it not be better to invest in services to work with these issues rather than fighting?!

PSPO 2: Loitering - Open Text

Q. What would you change about this PSPO?

(PSPO) for Hull City Centre is vital for mitigating some of the most common and impactful forms of anti-social behavior in our public spaces. Alcohol often plays a significant role in disturbances that not only intimidate residents and visitors but also lead to increased violence, vandalism, and public disorder. By restricting the consumption of alcohol in designated areas, the PSPO would help in significantly reducing these incidents, thereby enhancing the overall safety and ambiance of the city centre. This measure would not only improve the quality of life for all who frequent the city centre but also promote a more family-friendly environment that is conducive to business and tourism, further supporting the local economy.

Actively stop gangs loitering on the streets

add churches to list

Add this

Agree with the above to change it

As above

As previously stated

As proposed

Be more lenient

Better enforcement

Bit daunting when beggars are sat near cash machines

Bring in no drinking

delete the words 'alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance' - they are too subjective and anyone can claim these if they are unsympathetic

Do more

Do not allow alcohol

Don't allow booze

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Empower the police and partner agencies to move people on when loitering outside shops.
Enforce it
Enforcement
Even the sight of community offers around would be some sort of deterrent.
Extend the area to include East Park
Extend to other areas in the city.
Feel intimidated when at cash machine sainsburys Princes avenue Hull
Feeling safer
Get tougher in drinking on the family benches outside my store. This shows a bad view of Hull & they often come into my store causing disturbance and stealing
Get tougher with them , Get them off the streets altogether.
Give more powers to move people from city centre
How is 'annoyance' being described here? I find noisy teenagers annoying at times but they should be free to wait for their friends outside a local Sainsbury's. Intent is the important thing here and the above risks sweeping up innocent people.
I agree that areas around pay machines should be kept clear, but otherwise, rough sleepers need to have somewhere to sleep. Maybe accomodate them better?
I feel that 'offenders' may need support rather than blame.
I find them aggressive at times
Include the groups who sit outside betting shops and low walls.. and harass women of all ages, including my autistic 13 and 14 year olds and my 11 year old on their way to and from school!
Increase powers for ZERO tolerance
Increase the hullbid presence especially around banks
Increase this
It needs to be enforced
keep all PSPO out on foot doing their jobs correctly not dossing in cars or sat in police stations, spending time marking bikes or giving out leaflets
Keep it around cash machines, for the safety and security of vulnerable people using them, otherwise lose it
keep it as described but if the situation increases into neighbouring wards, then enforce the laws outside of the area as well
keep people off the streets makes the city less desirable for tourist and even people from surrounding areas
large groups especially in the newland ward- beverley road- every day large groups loitering at petrol stations and bookmakers, big groups of men- this is intimidating to women and they also leave lots of rubbish in the street
Loitering adjacent to doorways could apply to waiting for someone near a doorway - not sure how to word it in a better way.
Make it a no drinking alcohol zone in public spaces
Make it so theres no alcohol street dinking at all
Many locations suffer from loitering in the PSPO area, clearly insufficient is being done currently.
More active street presence
More effective solve the issue than drop it.
More enforcement
More enforcement officers to tackle this growing problems
More needs to be done
More people
more police
Near cash machines maybe and doorways if causing an obstruction but sitting in a closed locked doorway to keep dry it seems a bit harsh keep dry it see
Need less hostile architecture so these people don't feel the need to sit in doorways to stay warm/dry
Needs clarity see comment below
Needs enforcing more as this is still happening
Needs more powers to handle
Needs to be actually enforced
No loitering
No loitering
See below
Some people sleep in doorways in a city of numerous empty buildings. A disgrace for this council
Stop beggars
Stricter measures
Strong enforcement
Support the homeless with accomadation
Tell them to move on away from the banks and door ways
The current PSPO is not working as nothing is being done to tackle these issues in the city centre.
The underlying problem needs addressing otherwise it just moves the problem to another area
The wording - in a manner causing or likely to cause harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance to any person - doesn't sit well with me. Does the person/ people have to actively be doing this? It seems like this will

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apply to any homeless person who is sleeping or sitting in a doorway minding their own business, and I don't think that's fair.

There is no such offence / law pertaining to 'Loitering' its no longer on the statute books.

They need to patrol Holderness road more

they should have more powers.

this should apply to the entire city

to include a section in regards to 'a period of time which would be considered to be loitering for the purposes of causing/likely to cause harassment alarm or distress.

Too many people making a nuisance of themselves

Totally agree and enforce it ,

we do have this in my area ,so it could work

We have a right to feel safe and not intimidated by loitering.

We need a more visible police presence to deter the offenders

Would like loitering at cash points etc to be discouraged, as it's often intimidating, especially from those who are drinking, or drug taking.

Q. Is there anything else you would like to say about this PSPO?

'Lay on the floor' is grammatically incorrect - the correct usage is 'Lie on the floor'.

Absolutely need this

Actually do it. Enforce it. You should not have allowed it to go on in the first place and certainly not for as long as it has done. It is alright creating these surveys and wanting people to do them but you say one thing and then either do nothing or something else. Start doing it. Bring it in. Do it. Enforce it. This comment suggests something is already being done. I would like to know where and when and how as it is rife.

Again as long as you emphasise nuisance. If they are polite they should be left alone. Too much description here is open-ended and open to misinterpretation by overzealous authority. It needs monitoring carefully.

Again this is a use of resources that could be offered to fund more projects that could support those vulnerable people

Again, as far as I was aware, "loitering" has always been a word that has been used to describe an offence. I find it frankly quite shocking that you need a temporary law. "Loitering" within the meaning here usually leads to all manner of antisocial behaviour: you name it, you're the experts: drugs, prostitutes hanging around, people sleeping rough and leaving all manner of "waste" behind, drunks, etc, etc.

Again, currently there is NO apparent enforcement of street drinking, drug taking/dealing or loitering in large groups on the street and in the Park. When out and about with Grandchildren this makes the environment unsafe and unpleasant.

All well and good adding more stuff to these PCSOs, but who is going to enforce it? We are plagued with electric scooters and bicycles on the pavements, and nobody ever does anything about it.

Are they causing harassment, or likely to cause harassment though or is it just perceived as intimidating. If they're harassing people the law around harassment should be enough to tackle that shouldn't it? If they're just standing there what's the issue?

As a single female, who walks to and from work and social events, I find it incredibly intimidating that there are men hanging around at the top of my street, lining Beverley Road and Spring Bank. I have been followed around here in the past and feel anxious when I go out and there are lots of men loitering. They're not friendly men and are usually dodgy dealing in tatty unroadworthy vehicles and littering. I recall in my youth, being moved on from parks as a teenager by the local police officer, even though I was doing nothing wrong. No one seems to want to tackle all of these suspicious men who are hanging about and I don't know why.

As I said in the last PSPO 'sledge-hammers and nuts'.

As in previous answer. Provide them an alternative provision. Problem solved!

As per previous comments - remove the incentive

Bicycles often hinder, and consider including animals as dogs are often abused

Cover public areas such as parks etc

cruel. I agree with banning alcohol drinking on the street, but even beggars have to live. Without an address they get no money, so what are they supposed to do? change nationality so they can have a free hotel bed and food and warmth and shelter?

Desperate people choose desperate measures, they choose a place where they will find a captive audience in the hope of basic essentials. We should do better in supporting people before loitering becomes necessary

Dispersal orders are needed

Don't just aim this at beggars or homeless people. This should also be aimed at large groups of people (men) who loiter/sit/stand outside shops/restaurants along Springbank and Beverley Road

Enforce it and hold hostels which house/provide services accountable to those caught breaching it.

Enforce it! The legislation is already there and no one does a thing.

Ensure that it is enforced.

Extend to every area across the city not just those currently in the PSPO

Fully support

Give poor people more support. Don't come after them with PSPOs. I agree with supporting families in the area to not feel threatened by people begging, as does sometimes happen.

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Good idea

Good in a way not in another you are in danger of taking soul out of the city it is a double edged sword really difficult one

Had several incidents with nothing really done

HELP THOSE WHO NEED SUPPORT!!!

hope it applies to the dozens of men that hang around the betting offices on Beverley Rd and Newland Ave at all hours of day and night and sit on the wall outside the garage dropping litter all over

How are you going to police this

How can the likelihood of loitering potentially causing harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance be assessed? As part of my job I have to wait for students that I support at the University (e.g. around Salmon Grove/Cranbrook Avenue) and technically I would be loitering adjacent to doorways - would I have to do something to make it clear that I am not going to cause potential nuisance? Would this be policed? I would be happy to explain why I was loitering and show my University staff card but I might be slightly anxious about it. How will it be decided if it causes harassment alarm etc. It seems open to interpretation. I agree it shouldn't be allowed near cash machine.

I have concerns it may be miss used

I do not know the answer to this but do some homeless people have a choice of whether to sleep on doorways or is there somewhere they can go without restriction? What if a doorway is their only choice?

I don't have a problem with people doing this if they are passive and just looking for help.

I don't have any issue with people hanging out as long as it isn't being done in a polite way without unsolicited interaction with passers-by

I feel like they should be given greater power so they can tackle the problem more effectively

I personally am not intimidated but can imagine older people are.

I've seen people picking women in cars from addresses in my street, Clearly not bf/gf's 14 Newstead is very suspicious with what I have heard being said outside late at night.

I'd like to know what you propose to do with the homeless? It's all very well saying that you don't want these people loitering etc. But that's no good if there are no plans to help these people!

I'd only support the change if the homeless were found elsewhere to go

If people begging are out of sight, they may be out of mind but they still exist.

If there opportunities to improve the PSPO, consider their implementation during this review.

If you want to stop loitering, people need a decent alternative place to be.

Include drinkers

It needs to have more stronger deterrent

It would be ideal if this element was supported by measures to help rough sleepers/homeless into safe accommodation

It's doing a good job under extremely challenging circumstances. SILVER st almost out of control, Whitefriargate being given over to the odd tacky bar seeking licence extensions into the early hours, with Lowgate/Market Place given over to taxis, boy racers, and even HGVs. I support positive attempts to approve the situation, and this is one.

It's a blight on the area

Keep it as it is but also provide help and support to these unfortunate people!

Keep it going and extend it to other areas.

Keep people off the streets makes the city less desirable for tourist and even people from surrounding areas

Keep the drunks out of the car park adjacent to the Bonus arena, the place stinks and is disgusting, shocking first impression for people visiting the City and Bonus arena.

Let the public know how to report it and how quickly it was dealt with

lets get it started

Loitering is becoming excessive on Newland large groups

loitering is not a crime! Who is going to 'Police' it. We do not want private, money making pseudo security people / company's operating on our streets. I have seen lots of instances where there are gangs of them 'Patrolling' the streets looking to create offenses and charge people. Very threatening, not wanted in a 'Friendly' city.

Make changes where it is felt to be necessary, base on experiences.

Make sure it is policed and adhered to, arresting the loiterer and removing them from the area as this does not happen.

Moral corruption thrives within hull city council

More needs to be done about the masses of drug users and day drinkers who sit outside and make Hull unpleasant and unsafe for families and businesses

More of them

More patrols and notices would help

More visual officers to tackle this problem . I was in hull town centre few weeks back in the Sunday morning people sat on the seats near the fountain at Victoria statue drinking alcohol been loud and peeing in full view of the public against the hull guildhall wall.

Must be policed at all times

N/A

Need more enforcement officers

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Needs further enforcement in avenues ward. I can't think of a time there isn't someone outside Sainsbury's on princes avenue and Newland avenue. The street drinking on the drag between Westbourne house and the shops on princes avenue is also a constant problem throughout the day, every day.

Needs to be in place

Needs to be stronger imposed

No PSPO needed, treat on a case by case basis

Not at this time

Not having to avoid them would be good

Not just target kids

Nothing needs to be changed

Over the top...need more people with decent incomesabsolutely crazy.ideas...more police enforcing existing rules of decent behaviour needed

people are allowed to go where they want

People are often loitering because there is no other place to go because they are homeless. I agree that they should not cause problems but the city is not providing adequate provision for homeless people.

People avoid areas where there is loitering as it feels intimidating and unsafe. This PSPO is much needed .

Please ensure that this PSPO is enforced, as many of times across Hull. we have signs, notices etc telling people not to do certain things, like ride motorbikes down bike tracks yet these signs have been damaged, removed or people do not listen to them.

Police it more.

Preventing people from 'loitering' including resting on the floor in these areas will do nothing to stop people from needing the money and instead will just drive them out of the city centre and surrounding areas where a lot of necessary facilities are, such as walk in medical centres, libraries, council support services, welcome house and other community hubs etc. Rather than trying to hide those who are potentially rough sleeping or homeless we should focus on providing services that support them to get back to a stable life. 'Out of sight, out of mind' is not the response of a city who cares for their population. Those who feel discomfort at seeing the results of poverty and systemic failings shouldn't have their feelings prioritised over the need to rest and remain close to necessary facilities. Without secure income travelling in and out of the city centre is difficult, and forcing this repeated travel could lead to health issues and exhaustion.

Prominent CCTV and patrolling PCs and SPCs are more useful

PSPO should be given more training and having to keep up their training to do their jobs more effective if not scrap PSPO,s and bring more proper policing into place bring back old policing style were they was stronger and did not let criminals get away with things

Remove the manner likely to cause harassment. Just make it against the PSPO to sit on the floor

Romanian or Eastern European men street drinking, spitting urinating , shouting , smoking, sitting in neighbouring doorways and gathering outside the Eastern European shops , it's very intimidating

Same as earlier comments.

Same as previous comment

same as previous.

See previous comments

See previous note

So long as it is enforced.

Some gathering mainly young people around Bricknell shops in evenings I suppose nowhere else to go

Still we have this issue.

The 'Just Eat' and 'Deliveroo' delivery men outside of McDonald's make the area look terrible. They look like they're loitering and get in people's way. There should be a designated space away from this area for them to wait, away from the public space.

The loitering near the banks is the worse and the doorways when they cluster together

The PSPO is redundant in that it is already illegal to cause harassment alarm and/or distress. It is dangerously authoritarian to target people on the basis that they are causing "annoyance". Annoyance is a subjective viewpoint. People are frequently annoyed by people based on feelings of bigotry. The targets of "annoyance" include being a target because of Age, Disability, Gender Reassignment, Marriage or Civil Partnership, Pregnancy and Maternity, Race or Ethnicity, Sex, Sexuality. These are all historically targets of "annoyance" which resulted in historic systemic discrimination. This is why they are legally protected characteristics under equality laws. It should always be expected that anyone with these characteristics will be disproportionately affected by the proposed PSPO. The targets are individuals and groups without institutional power, resources to defend their legal rights and civil liberties, groups they can turn to relieve their distress, and appeals to tolerance against those who use power and resources to behave intolerably towards them. In short, they lack power. This should be reason to question why they are being targeted in the first place, with plenty of numerous and horrific examples of the consequences of targeting them being shown in the 20th century.

There are groups of immigrants standing around all day on Spring Bank and Newland Avenue. Why are they not working ?

There is a bigger picture to the above questions & PSPO cannot resolve above problems until they enforce the organisations who allow this to happen in the first place. Fine, Enforce, Change & Apply.....FACE - it.

OFFICIAL

These people should be moved on surely there is no need for them to be obstructing everyday golf doing they're business, it is not a good look in our city!

They should also take their belongings with them.

this again seems like a desperate measure, most of the areas you are mentioning banks supermarkets doorways are private property and so in fact the culprits are trespassing and dispersal by the police should be simple This is a particular issue in Park Road/cycleway areas. Nothing much is done to remove people drinking/drug taking!

This is absolutely ridiculous there are people whom this is their own shelter if you have concerns build more temporary housing or temporarily house them like you did through covid

This is an excellent proposal and long overdue.

this is another horrifying proposal.

This is enough to stop aggressive or obstructive begging without stopping begging completely. I would like to say the previous pspo - number 1 - could be used against charity collections

This is over-policing, people who beg are desperate they need support not punishment

This needs enforcing not just lip service

This should be city wide no one should be allowed to loiter around bank machines or supermarket doorways to harass people using the facilities it is frightening and intimidating

This would work but also need to do this on all roads into city centre ie hessle road , anlaby road , princes avenue and holderness road , Princess avenue outside sainsburys is terrible

Too subjective in its description and will lead to homeless people potentially being harassed rather than supported when no criminal offence has taken place.

Town centre is intimidating with groups of men hanging about and beggars and druggies. I do not go there for that reason and also there's many empty shops giving the appearance of unkeyand dereliction.

Upgrade to using this immediately.

What facilities will be provided for these people? This will only move them elsewhere.

Where are these people going to go. What help is there for them

Where do people with no where to go go to? How will they be moved on or treated? What options do they have?

Where do you expect them to go? Who is going to police this?

Who is going to enforce this PSPO?

Why have you sent this to a Hessle resident?

Will the PSPO mean other areas will have these people coming into them?

You cannot sweep away these people like dirt, they need a place to sleep, a doorway isn't the place. Down to the police again to move them on, but to where. Why isn't the council providing temporary sleeping facilities and security officers to move them on to said alternative accommodation. This situation is getting worse as it's being ignored, the system of turfing people away isn't the solution.

PSPO 3: Street Drinking - Open Text

Q. What would you change about this PSPO?

Add above

Add any open alcohol vessell

Add drug users to this not just people drinking

Again enforcement and education. Key -

Again give the police the right to do something or more about this problem

Allow it in public green spaces in the summer months between 12-6pm where people are having picnics

Any person caught drinking shall be removed from the area and the drink poured away.

As above

as before

As proposed

Aslong as people don't abuse if .. nice sitting outside having a drink in parks ect

Ban drinking inbthe street all together

Be able to take the substance aways and dispose of it

Clearly define the boundaries as members of masters bar will walk over to the bin to put out there cigarette but under these guidlines would put them under risk of breaching

Complete no drinking zones to proactively tackle ASB linked to street drinking.

Could a specific exemption be made for The Sailmaker's Arms historic pub?

different way to stop it.

Do more to stop it

Do not all them to have any alcohol

Enforce it rather than waiting for people to become violent. It is disgusting the number of drunk/drugged people staggering down the street from first thing in the morning. begging and urinating in public. It is disgusting.

ENFORCE IT!!!

Enforce this problem don't just have it on a piece of paper

OFFICIAL

Enforcement required

Extend it to East Hull.

Get tougher in drinking on the family benches outside my store. This shows a bad view of Hull & they often come into my store causing disturbance and stealing

Groups congregating on benches

Having a beer on a bench or in a park isn't necessarily bad, but being drunk and loud and potentially violent as an effect from drinking excessively in public and not should be prohibited.

Having a glass of wine on a sunny day in Pearson Park, for example, should not be an offence. There is a difference between this and nuisance drinking.

I do not think there's anything wrong with street drinking, providing it is done sensibly and without causing harm to others.

I think alcohol on the street should be dealt with as people under the influence are more aggressive and intimidating towards families.

I think in principle this is correct but it needs to be carefully imposed

I think this needs to be changed it is extremely dangerous for youths to walk around safely also it is know that people who drink in the city centre leave alot of clutter about the streets for other people to clean up after and its unfair

If anti social use yes but ordinarily no

Implement this across all Hull and for everyone not just for problematic street drinking or agains people with social and health needs

Include East Park

Increase powers for a ZERO tolerance

It leads to trouble, bottles and cans littering the area

It puts other customers off from coming into town

It should be allowed in pubs and restaurant also the area own by them.

It would just get people to smuggle it more than anything

keep people off the streets makes the city less desirable for tourist and even people from surrounding areas

Make rule stronger and take alcohol off street drinkers

Make improvemnets where it is felt to be necessary based upon experiences.

More patrols

more police

More visible pcsos

Needs enforcing more as this also is still happening

Needs more police presence to change it

Needs more policing. Ambulance called twice last week to drinkers in Victoria square

Needs to be enforced more

Needs to state solely within defined Festival boundaries. Living to the west of the Marina, we get litter & ASB from street-drinking spillover east of it.

No booze so they can't drink

No drinking

No drinking

No street drinking at all

Norhing to do with me I don't pay Hull City Council Tax

Not to include parks and recreation

obviously if it a function or event outdoor then thats fine

PSPO should be able to deal with every situation keeping our areas,streets and town,s safe all the time that,s why PSPO,s jobs came about

Refer to my response on loitering.

Refreshing to not witness the scenes that drink can bring about.

See comment below. It's too wide ranging. Needs clarity

Should be prosecutions, especially of people who clearly have a home to go to.

Should just refer to busy areas where this is an issue rather than the whole area.

Sort out the antisocial elements

Stop drinking

Street drinking and drug taking has increased massively especially in the Newland Ave area. Often drinkers are intimidating, sometimes aggressive.

Street drinking leads to people being drunk and hassling passers by, including violent behaviour.

street drinking prohibited at all time sin all wards

Stricter measures and more police presence

The consumption of alcohol leads to litter being strewn on pavements and verges - specifically cans and bottles.

This is a constant eyesore.

The current PSPO is not working as nothing is being done to tackle these issues in the city centre.

There should be an allowance for people to drink if they choose to in public parks or open spaces, as there are a large number of residents who do not have gardens to do this in.

they should have more powers.

OFFICIAL

they should stop drunken people harrasing other people

This must stop along Princes avenue Hull

This phrasing would include someone having a glass of wine with a picnic in the park which doesn't harm anyone.

To include shops etc

Q. Is there anything else you would like to say about this PSPO?

A big problem of street drinking around Princes Ave, Newland Ave, Beverley Rd and the park. Groups of drunks are regularly in public places. As a response, seating has largely been removed from bus stops, shopping areas etc

A no drinking drug tolerance needs to be enforced

A wider prescence of officers like back in the day is probably the only way to deter this, however i doubt in this society that will happen

Again see previous comments

Again where is the resources to police this?

Again- the issue of street drinking will not be solved by banning alcohol consumption. People do not drink because it is legal or illegal- they are likely drinking to deal with trauma or complex emotional issues- this will not help anyone and could just be used divisively

Alcohol free zones

As before though to add as I have driven in the area I have had to quickly avoid drinks who aimlessly walk into the road in front of traffic.

As before!

Be inclusive to all open spaces

Better enforcement

Business, licensing and council to only allow city centre events/festivals and not in residential areas - again easier to monitor in a central location and less impact - it's time for a return to safe, calm zones.

Clean it up

Could be more lenient you could take the soul out of the city

Dispersal orders required

Do not see much drinking in the streets but never go out after dark

Domestic violence perpetrators have been released en masse because there's no spaces in prisons and you want to harass people further now, because you did such a poor job at helping the homeless in the first place. Makes sense

Don't know 'How it is' at the moment. Are you trying to turn the world into a prison or just Hull?

Enforce it and hold hostels which house/provide services accountable to those caught breaching it.

Even with this the drinkers still seem to be always there in groups

Extend to every area in the city not just the current PSPO areas

Fully support

How is this going to be policed and what can be done to prevent them going on the street

i feel this statement could be abused quite easily and be misunderstood by the police.i also feel support for the Alcoholics needs to be put in place

I haven't seen this enforced, I have seen plenty of people drinking and smoking weed outside my home day and night. It's ok popping this stuff onto bits of paper but unless you actually DO these things it won't make one jot of difference and just becomes an exercise in writing with no action.

I hope this will not affect licenced premises etc., who have enough troubles already, but yes I strongly agree to enforce street drinking especially in the City Centre.

I see no harm in people consuming alcohol in public if they are not causing harm or distress to other people. I myself enjoy taking a can of beer with me on a walk sometimes.

I support this in principle. People drinking alcohol can be intimidating to others. Especially the elderly!

I think exceptions can be made on public parks. There may be instances were people would like to sit on a nice, Summer's day in the park and enjoy a few alcoholic drinks with a picnic.

I think we need to think about why there are so many street drinkers. And just a blanket no one is allowed to drink feels like trying to crack a nut with a hammer. can I not enjoy a beer in the park with my friends? Let's please apply this logic to other areas - the number of men I see hanging around - lets put a curfew on all men.

If individuals or groups were dispersed consideration must be given to where they would relocate and potential consequences.

If there are large groups of Drinkers they should also be dispersed

If there opportunities to improve the PSPO, consider their implementation during this review.

Include people openly smoking weed. This is a basic accepted standard.

Intimidating when groups of people drinking on street corners etc

Is it a no drinking zone or alcohol controlled zone? There is a difference and this needs to be made clear on any signs if the PSPO continues/is granted.

It feels too severe and controlling. I agree with the idea behind it of reducing street drinking and tackling drunken mistakes behaviour in public but the way it is phrased is too controlling and strict.

It looksnawful ns can be scary. Drug use is still a much bigger probelm though.

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It should be made permanent

It should be vigorously enforced

Make it more restrictive

Missing being able to have a picnic in parks with a glass of wine is a sad but small price to pay for recent years need to combat nuisance drinkers.

Modify public spaces to discourage street drinking. Approach them more professionally. Currently, I have seen many times PSPOs or police officers come and chat with them. The other day I don't see officers but I saw they are still drinking and throw their bottle. This is not an effective way.

more action and visibility on the street

More of them

More support for homeless drinkers.

Move street drinkers

Must be policed at all times

N/A

Nanny needs to find a new state to live in. How many more 'freedoms' does the state / council want to remove and how many more laws does it want to impose. Does it matter if the litter is beer cans or coke cans? Drunkenness in public takes care of the above without going overboard with policing.

Need more enforcement officers

need to crack down on this a lot more especially around Prospect street and King Edward

Needs further enforcement on Princes Avenue.

Needs to be enforced in a sensible manner, having a quiet beer whilst having a picnic in the park with your family is clearly different to gangs of folk drinking on street corners

Needs to be extended to the wider community.

No alcohol in city

No open container laws

Not currently enforced and discriminates against people who are causing no harm.

Nothing needs to be changed

Nuisance drinking is a consequence of wider social failings, such as poverty. Tackling to root causes of poverty and addiction should be the priority, rather than punishment.

People might have to be reminded of it in parks - some people have picnics and may be enjoying alcoholic beverages responsibly. I imagine some people might try to hide the fact they are drinking alcohol and the PSPO might cause them to do this - e.g. put the beverage in a different container/water carrier. How would this be policed?

People should be allowed to drink in public spaces like parks as long as they are not causing issues these proposals are attempting to reduce freedoms

Planning/councillors/Licensing need to re-evaluate why in any one area that you can clearly see that you have allowed too many/over saturation of one type of high impact businesses selling alcohol/late night opening types of businesses, which creates anti social behaviour where vulnerable people can easily get & maintain their addictions, as other illegal suppliers soon cotton on this is an easy place to sell their wares.

Please do something regarding the street drinking on Anlaby road, it's a daily occurrence, the street drinking is out of control

Please enforce the rule.

Please ensure that this PSPO is enforced, as many of times across Hull. We have signs, notices etc telling people not to do certain things, like ride motorbikes down bike tracks yet these signs have been damaged, removed or people do not listen to them.

Provide the manpower and support to properly use these powers

PSPOs jobs got created to support and back up the policing

Public houses could have an area outside that's cordoned off so smokers can still enjoy their drinks without being spiked etc

Public who drink alcohol in public places should be banned from public spaces. Teenagers are influenced by those who drink and use drugs. Stopping alcohol drinking around the city centres will help reduce crime in the cities and reduce violence.

Pubs are the place to drink where age restrictions apply. Kids seeing people drinking on the street sends the wrong message out to impressionable teenagers

Sadly some innocent people like get caught out by this rule

So does this mean I couldn't sit in the park with a beer on a sunny day. This is too wide ranging

Start doing it. Bring it in. Do it. Enforce it. This comment suggests something is already being done. I would like to know where and when and how, as it is rife. There are always people drinking on the streets and nothing is ever done. There are groups of people drinking, daily, outside Asda on Beverley Road, in the alley/on the corner just past the big shop just past Asda on the left hand side. In the area outside Grove House / Grove House View. In the city centre where the fountain is. All of this is done in broad daylight and has been going on for years and what has been done-nothing.

Street drinkers often urinate in the archway to Prince Street. Unpleasant for the many tourists and residents in the Trinity Square area.

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Street drinking is terrible in the Princes Ave and Beverley Road area. I walked into town on Sunday during late afternoon and encountered so many people on spring bank who were falling about, shouting and loitering outside the shops. It's not a nice walk. Princes Avenue is the same and you can hear the screaming and shouting on most nights, coming from outside Westbourne House and Pearson Park. I can't imagine what people with families think when they have to take their children through these streets.

Tbh I didn't think that there was a PSPO in force as it is there isn't any noticeable enforcement

The adoption of this PSPO is long over due. Everyone I know supports it.

The current conditions in place for the city centre need to change. From what I understand alcohol can be consumed up to the point a person's behaviour becomes anti social. Queen Victoria square is a place drinkers gather and more often than not they are intimidating when they are drunk. Local businesses serve them with alcohol which they then drink on the streets so they are responsible for this issue too. Shops need to stop serving them and the council needs to adjust the condition of the pspo to include this latest condition then the police and council can have more support in tackling the problems

The problem is exacerbated by having Wilberforce House, Renew And Westbourne house drop in centre, all within a 1 mile square.

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There had been an increase in street drinking in the Endike Lane (University ward) area and this is affecting residents and local businesses. In years gone by prior to the legislation changes and introduction of PSPOs this area was in fact a designated 'no drinking/Alcohol' zone. A PSPO covering this area would help in trying to deal with this type of behaviour.

There is already one in place on newland corner & the street drinkers sit under the sign & drink and nothing is done

There is no point in these things unless they are enforced!

There is no reason to be drinking in the street. Agree.

These problems need tackling, because they are not going away by themselves, they are getting worse by time.

This again is crudely worded as it bars things such as having a glass of wine at a picnic.

this does happen in my area

This does not get enforced so needs to be actioned.

This has been in place years but never seen any enforcement

This is a constant issue in my area. CCTV is needed!!!

This is a difficult one, as there is a clear difference between a few mates getting together on a summer's evening with a couple of cans in a park, and some of the alcohol-affecting anti-social behaviour displayed by others. A blanket ban may be a hard one to enforce

This is constant along Spring Bank and Princes Ave - particularly in large groups near the park/Westbourne Ave. My young children and I have to walk by - sometimes around teatime. They can be intimidating and aggressive at times and there is nowhere we can cross safely to walk away from them. Also, they can zigzag like zombies across the road which is dangerous and unfair for drivers. Dispersal orders simply move them elsewhere for a short time. They're a pain.

This needs to be implemented harder with more patrols in old town, specifically in the Minster courtyard. They're people streeting drinking on the benches here every day. Trying to use bars as public toilets, and once they're refused they can be aggressive.

This PSPO is being ignored by police officers, there is a real problem with groups of men and women drinking and using drugs on the corner of Endyke lane and oldstead avenue, police do nothing about it, this included drinking alcohol, drug use including buying/selling, public urination, loitering.

Walk through town daily and see drinking every day

We all know this will not be equally enforced. Stop targeting homeless people, absolutely vile proposal.

We have a lot of drinking along the old Stepney Rail Track. Behind the residential areas.

Will it drive them underground as they will still drink

Wonder where this idea comes from...hope bot party politics.if so,. Which party?

Would stop aggression that you see and antisocial behavior

You don't need to be Oliver Cromwell to agree with this. Again, I was under the impression it was already the law. If you're gonna drink, it's either in a private place or if public it's licenced. Simple as that. I am amazed that you're even asking the question.

You need to deal with the problem of badly behaved people another way. This would prevent decently behaved people having a few glasses of wine at a picnic.

PSPO 4: Anti-Social Behaviour In The City Centre - Open Text

Q. What would you change about this PSPO?

72 hours

72 hours instead of 48

Add above

Add cycling and electric scooter riding

Add other areas to it

Agreed that a lot of the time it is obvious when someone is behaving in such a manner but the wording 'likely to cause', is completely open to subjective interpretation. I think the wording needs to be that they are explicitly causing such things or there is no doubt they are about to. In such cases I strongly support the PSPO.

As above

As proposed

Dislike drunks any where especially cause trouble outside

Dispersal order in place always

Dispersal order in place at all times

Dispersal orders are a useful tool to have , and the police have good hands on discretion to use them as they see fit.

Enforce dispersal

enforce it and have clearer consequences for those breaking the order.

Enforce it but provide meaningful support for the individuals concerned.

Ensure that all of Stepney cycleway area is included.

Extend it throughout all wards

Extend the area some more

Extend the eastern boundary to include the land between Tower Street and the River Hull where the new East Bank regeneration development is due.

For some this needs to be increased

How does this ensure people are helped and not just moved to another area

I think people making a scene in the middle of the centre can be quite intimidating and sometimes offensive with the things they can say i think maybe there should be an order in place where they get a warning and then if breached further action will take place

I think the 48 hour order should be changed to a 7 day order and if they offend again a longer consequence should be given.

I'm neutral about this one, *except* for it being used to disperse or contain legitimate protest; I am strongly against such suppression

If rough sleepers have "refused" support why should they be allowed to go back into an area and sleep rough.

Increase it to ban them indefinitely from the area.

Increase powers for a ZERO tolerance

Increase the area to include marina & old town

Increase the included area

Increase the time limit & include broader public areas

Is there any planned response to repeat offenders?

It is over used sometimes

It should apply to every area shown above as once banned from one section they will destroy the next only moving an issue doesn't solve it

It wouldn't be possible for offenders that living or working within the city centre borders

It's time to widen your PSPO area this is not big enough - You should have stats from a Police/PCSO, NHS etc to show how some areas have deteriorated and then see what type of businesses are now in that area

Keep people off the streets makes the city less desirable for tourists and even people from surrounding areas

Longer than a 48 hour period

Make it a longer period of dispersal

Make it longer

Many rough sleepers are afraid of hostels

Maybe they work in the city centre so they might have to go to work the following day's more police

Must be constantly improved according to circumstances

Need more police to move street drinkers on

Needs to be actioned sooner than 24 hours not 48

Needs to be harsher penalties

Needs to be properly enforced.

OFFICIAL

Often people refuse support because they are being put in hostels with drug users when they are trying to stay clean. In this instance they would be penalised when they might not have anywhere to go.
Perhaps for violent crimes or threatening behaviour but I imagine other measures would be used in those cases.
People begging or loitering should not be dispersed.
PSPO should be dealing with anti social behaviour and those drinking on the streets plus those who take and deal drugs in public places
Reduce to 24hrs
Rough sleepers refusing support should not get away with doing what they want
See below comments @ 13
Should be banned completely along with all the delivery drivers congregating in Jameson Street.
Should be the whole of Hull
Should include rough sleepers
Sort out the issue
Stricter measures in place, find accommodation for homeless people
The area needs to be widened.
The current PSPO is not working as nothing is being done to tackle these issues in the city centre.
The more power the police have to allow them to deal with this problem as all preceding problems, the better
They should get banned from going into the shops as well
they should have more powers.
They shouldn't be allowed to refuse support.
This could be changed to include areas on the outskirts of the city centre as people tend to move from the city to areas such as Princes Ave and cause further nuisance in residential areas
This PSPO is rendered toothless by the exemption on homeless people.
This should cover the whole of the city centre not just the blue area
This should not be used to prevent legal protest
Town Center is putting off visitors to this city
what if the accommodation is in the city centre? How soon to disperse?
Why does this not apply to rough sleepers who contribute to this issue. This will not deal with the issues the rough sleepers contribute
Widen the area
Widen the area. There are a lot who use the Bean Street to Boulevard area.
You need a solution!!

Q. Is there anything else you would like to say about this PSPO?

action speaks louder than words
address their problems too
Again how is it policed are we having a separate force to deal with this
Again will only move problems elsewhere
Although, this kind of intimidating, threatening, aggressive behaviour is everywhere not just in the centre. Why is the centre getting preferential treatment-is it a case of out of sight, out of mind?
Apply it to those who have support say at a hostel but arrive late as can't be bothered or urinate in streets. Include wider public areas used by young people who may be unsafe
As a person who lives just outside of the PCSO area, I know the problem just moves to adjacent streets/areas. In the avenues, Beverley road, Newland area we have A LOT of alcoholics. I have frequently seen people passed out in front of shops on Newland Ave., or arguing drunkenly in the street, at all times of the day.. Its unnerving
Been living in the city centre for 47years have seen the drinking and antisocial behaviour growing each year
But make sure it is policed as we see the same people every day, regardless of when they are told to leave.
Causing people harassment, alarm or distress is never acceptable- but it depends on how these rules are used as to their effectiveness
Change it to all areas
Complete ban on street drinking, loitering
Consider letting the musicians stay in the city centre please
Does this not just shift the problem?
Don't exclude rough sleepers, there has to be a way of dealing with them as this will encourage them to refuse support or accommodation
Enforce it and hold hostels which house/provide services accountable to those caught breaching it.
Enforce it!
Hopefully it will include drug taking or under the influence of them
How easy would it be to monitor this ?
How would that even be policed? All public would feel unwelcome and watched with police and cctv trying to check if they're banned
I approve of the clarification around rough sleepers. I'm not sure how this would be policed and enforced though.
I don't know

OFFICIAL

I don't think a 48 hour dispersal is enough of a deterrent for people acting in an antisocial manner. An on the spot fine might be more of a deterrent.

I don't think this should be permanent. I think it should be for six months and then reassess. If this is permanent then the majority of my answers would change

I have heard many rough sleepers are afraid of having possessions stolen, or of violence in the hostels, so this would need to be coupled with more security in those hostels.

I think this is a great idea but not sure how effective it is.

If it's working than Keep it going.

If not policed, it will be a waste of time. Just moving the problem elsewhere.

If there opportunities to improve the PSPO, consider their implementation during this review.

If they leave without causing a fracas, great! If not the problem is only being moved elsewhere.

Include rough sleepers - they have other places to go they choose not to so they can beg

It appears to address the issue well if it is enacted by the council.

It may be difficult and time / resource consuming to enforce, again discretion is probably required

It should apply to all the areas. But I understand that this would be difficult to enforce!

It should be permanent

Make the punishment stronger

Might make the city feel safer

Need more enforcement officers

Needs to be imposed in a wider area

Needs to be wider

No but on a separate issue; the cycle paths everywhere need urgent attention to deter loiterers and more urgently; their condition and maintenance, some becoming unsafe.

No.

Not at this time

Nothing needs to be changed

Nothing to do with me

Officials need to review any occasion when this has been used to ensure has not been abused.

Only visit city centre on rare occasions and never in the evening

Only visit town centre once a week but have been pestered at car parks by beggers

Planning, licensing & PSPO go hand in hand to be the change for the better..... F.A.C.E it to change it - (Fine.

Apply. Change. Enforce)

Please ensure that this PSPO is enforced, as many of times across Hull. we have signs, notices etc telling people not to do certain things, like ride motorbikes down bike tracks yet these signs have been damaged, removed or people do not listen to them.

Provided it is an unbiased order issued without prejudice and is wholly warranted

PSPO been present all the time may help to cut these drunks and drug takers and dealers away from public places i have seen on a number of times visiting the town these people been aggressive and falling out with each other making us feel unsafe

Remove hull city council from city centre permanently, it's a punch to the eye walking past it, let alone going inside it

Same considerations as previous stated.

Should be longer than 48 hours

should have been done years ago

Should see the evaluation till this time.

So is this suggesting that if an individual is caught asking for a cup of tea or sitting on the floor they then have to stay away from the city centre for 48 hours? there is worse behaviour than that going on in the city centre and nothing like this in place for those individuals. Again who is going to police this?

The above does not make the problem go away, it only moves it out of sight.

The application of Anti social behaviour law is being expanded to the extent that it is used as an excuse to ban anything which any 'Individual' doesn't like depending upon their whim. It is subjective and the ban is far too long.

Who is going to enforce it? (Private wardens working for the council enforcing the LAW???????) NO. There are already far too many people thinking they control Citizens and too many petty local restrictions. If someone has BROKEN the law charge them. If some 'anti anybody or anything' person complains and decides to be offended BAN THEM. They have no business being in public!

The area should be extended in 3 ways and include = 1- The area east of the River Hull bounded by Great Unions Street and Roger Millward Way so that it includes the new development proposed; 2- The northern side of Spring Bank (i.e. so that all properties on that road are included); 3- The area around Kingston Retail Park, Hull Ice Arena, Odeon Cinema and Nuffield Health – ideally encompassing the whole of the English Street area but at least up to St James St/Alfred St. I do not support the exception for those rough sleeping. I'm simply not clear why this exception exists when support and help is available via currently provided means via the respective authorities. I believe this exception should be removed because the PSPO applies to a very limited area of the city. If, by choice, they are rough sleeping then they should do so outside of the PSPO area.

The one on newland Avenue is not policed so if this one is does that mean the even more street drinkers will move to newland ave

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The police need to be able to enforce this, bigger teams at local stations, it's pointless if there is nothing there to deal with those breaching the dispersal notices

The PSPO is redundant in that it is already illegal to cause harassment alarm and/or distress. It is dangerously authoritarian to target people on the basis that they are causing "annoyance". Annoyance is a subjective viewpoint. People are frequently annoyed by people based on feelings of bigotry. The targets of "annoyance" include being a target because of Age, Disability, Gender Reassignment, Marriage or Civil Partnership, Pregnancy and Maternity, Race or Ethnicity, Sex, Sexuality. These are all historically targets of "annoyance" which resulted in historic systemic discrimination. This is why they are legally protected characteristics under equality laws. It should always be expected that anyone with these characteristics will be disproportionately affected by the proposed PSPO. The targets are individuals and groups without institutional power, resources to defend their legal rights and civil liberties, groups they can turn to relieve their distress, and appeals to tolerance against those who use power and resources to behave intolerably towards them. In short, they lack power. This should be reason to question why they are being targeted in the first place, with plenty of numerous and horrific examples of the consequences of targeting them being shown in the 20th century. There are plenty of good reasons to not take up "alternative accommodation" or refuse "support". These standards are decided by people with power, not by the people under their power. Therefore, they are most convenient to those with power, not the rough sleeper. Reasons may include a history of being a victim of sexual and physical abuse, abandonment by society, psychological difficulties. Just because something is convenient to the powerful does not mean it is legal, moral or just.

There is a concern that by forcing this behaviour out of the City Centre the problem simply migrates... usually to the Avenues and Newland area

These are to protect the public, and they are useful but they don't address the issues of people sleeping rough or over drinking. The police don't have time to faff with these issues! Slapping PSPO on every piece of town to protect people is only pushing the problems to the suburbs... isn't it? Then what do we do, extend the PSPO to the suburbs, then the countryside? There's plenty of dereliction land in Hull to provide a gated area, with bivvys and such to give the transient people a place where they are safe and away from the public.

These people may need to be in the city centre for various reasons. They should be allowed access if they need it. They need to be more done as they get there and then 48hrs later they are back so its not stopping it. This could be legitimate, lawful peaceful, political demonstration and I would not trust the police to use this fairly. There is a massive difference between a trade union demo and a fascist one, for example, but the chances are the police would just treat both by issuing this type of order.

This kind of measure only pushes the problem to other areas of the city.

this needs to happen at all other areas too

This phrase Harassment Harm or Distress is being far too widely used and interpreted to be anything that 'one or two' people don't like. Its far too ambiguous, even the police have a hard time defining it. For instance we have people being fined / imprisoned for silent prayer. Too many people restricting too many freedoms.

This should be included in the whole of the PSPO boundary.

This should not be used to prevent legal protest

This will then spread antisocial behaviour to the outskirts of the blue area. More needs to be done to tackle antisocial behaviour, street drinking and public drug taking.

To cover more areas across the city, there are plenty of green spaces and areas where people gather to and cause ASB, only covering the areas on the map will push people just outside of those areas, it needs to cover much wider areas, possibly every area in the city

University ward must be included, the police should enforce the order

Useful

We would like it to cover the Trinity Quarter...

What criteria was used to create this PSPO and the author?

When the antisocial behaviour comes from children under the age of 18, as I have seen after dark in the city centre, the parents or guardians should be held responsible.

Where else will they go?

Who could object to a copper asking someone to leave an area if they're being a nuisance? What's the alternative? If you can't do this, we might as well get rid of the police altogether. Maybe we should have Johnny Rotten and anarchy in the UK.

Who will enforce

Who will enforce this? The beleaguered police

Why the exception?

Wish it would expand to Spring Bank

Yet another horrific suggestion. Shelters are full and or dont allow pets. City centre has places for healthcare and other necessities especially for someone who is homeless. Whoever wrote this proposal should be banned from public life, this is an outrageous suggestion.

Further Comments

Q. Are there any other types of Public Space Protection Orders that you think we should consider to tackle specific problems in this, or any other areas of the city?

An example my Mother & her friends used to come into the City centre for shopping & hospitality they are all elderly and because they now get approached and pestered for money they now go to Beverley and refuse to come into Hull City Centre .

A huge problem with electric scooters and cycles. Walking has become dangerous! Also, the cyclists who fly by on the pavements feel they have every right to do so. I have been shouted at, sworn at, and threatened. There are more cyclists on the pavement than ever before, and they're getting more aggressive.

A PSPO to tackle the issue of waste and bins being left on the public highway.

Adult males loitering in parks where you get children are especially up west hull and central town. Loitering outside of shops in masses

Alcohol

Alcohol and consumption on Beverley Road, especially near Jet Garage. This causes significant ASB

All parks after or during night time

All PSPO should be permanent to protect the safety of visitors and residents of Hull. Maybe with these in place we might have some hope of regenerating the city.

All shopping centres either on estates or the outskirts of town and most estate pubs

All the whole length of Hull River

Any area where beggar's drunkards and drug abusers frequent and intimidate the public going about their private business

Any food establishment & shopping precinct

Any where that young people gang together, that makes other feel threatened

As mentioned earlier, some of the buskers are really terrible and an annoyance. They should require permits so we don't have to listen to them all day every day.

As well as properly enforcing the existing PPSO's more consideration needs to be given to social housing and hostel provision for those with drug and alcohol problems. Currently in the Avenues, Newland Ave, Spring Bank area we have a very very high concentration of this population which does not seem to be helpful in tackling the problem. Could this accommodation not be spread more equitably across the city?

Back of St Stephens and Prospect Street Outside Greggs

Ban e-bikes and e-scooters around the city centre

Ban electric bikes in pedestrian areas, particularly delivery bikes outside McDonald's.

Ban the use of electric bikes and e-scooters in pedestrianised areas and parks/open spaces

Behind shops on Hessle Rd the ten-foot off Ribble St prostituting leaving condoms I've grandkids that play down there and also caught a foreigner crapping down there caught with his shreddies down

Being harassed by groups of people collecting for charity etc. feels like running into a barrage. Not taking any notice when you say no or not interested. Following you still trying to stop you.

Better spaces for fast food delivery drivers on bicycles.

Beverley road is a massive issue right now. Especially near the Asda where all the drink and drug users gather.

Bikes, electric scooters, electric bikes that are not disability carts on public pavements. I have lost count of the number of times I have seen senior people narrowly avoiding being knocked over by people riding these things on footpaths. Children on small bikes (OK) I'd rather see them on the path than on the road. But grown, 15st men, no. I've nearly been hit three times this week by these people. At one point I saw a youth on an electric-ped cycle, on the path, OVERTAKING the cars, which were travelling at around 30 mph.

Busking - some kind of regulation would be welcome. At the moment, they can suddenly appear out of nowhere, usually with very loud amplification, and cause a real nuisance through the level of noise created. Sometimes, inside the shop, we can't hold conversations with customers due to the sound coming in from outside.

Busking license

Can something be done about the mass congregation of e-bikes/riders outside McDonalds? It creates an off-putting presence in that area, and the riders seem to have little to no regard for pedestrians in what is a pedestrian area

Car meets in evenings in City car parks and retail car parks

Charity collectors who accost you as you are walking by

Children with antisocial behaviours going to and leaving school.

Curfew and other restrictions on men committing low level sexual offences e.g. flashing etc

Curfews should be put in place for unvetted asylum seekers, convicted rapists and sex offenders.

Cycles on foot paths and electric scooters

Cycling / e-bikes & scooters on pavements / footways and in the road are becoming a significant problem. Also there seem to be a craze for long sustained wheelies on pedal cycles & motor cycles on public roads. The outcome is probably Darwinian but it needs to be strongly discouraged

Cycling and "Deliveroo" on electric bikes and scooters and members of the public using footpaths at ridiculous speeds

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Cycling and e scooters should be banned in all pedestrian areas and enforced

Cycling on footpaths is a serious issue

Cycling on public footpaths when adequate cycle lanes are available. Clearer legislation regarding mobility scooters!

Cycling scooters e bikes should be stopped using the pavements also ban from riding around hull city centre cyclists riding on pavement should be tackled strongly

Cyclists using the pedestrian areas within the city centre.

Definitely the drug addicts in town. Off their heads, dancibg around etc.

Derringham

Despite clear signage, people (especially kids) still vaping in bus and train station. Increase powers for a ZERO tolerance

dog fouling

Dog fouling

Dog fouling and littering are also present in the city centre and should be reduced and enforced via a fine

Dog fouling should not be allowed and neither should littering. Clean spaces are as important as safe spaces.

Don't know if this counts but the amount of abandoned cars just left in car parks and on side roads for years taking up valuable parking spaces and making areas look run down.

Don't know enough about the orders to comment

Drinkers on Newland avenue

Drinking behind cashino on sefton street needs to be sorted. My elderly grandmother lives here and the drinkers on the wall is all day and night

Driving in an inconsiderate way causing cars to pop and bang. Its as loud as fireworks and happens on Albion Street, Bond street and percy street every night.

Drug dealing and drug taking in the city centre. Alcohol abuse should be stopped. I have seen Alcohol being consumed on and near the hull city centre cenotaph. Which is an absolute disgrace.

Drug dealing frequently occuring near Oak Road and Oak Road Playing fields Street drinking rife on Beverley Road Anti social behaviour on city centre

drug dealing in parks, harassment in the city centre, Spring Bank, BeverleyRoad and Anlaby Road.

drug dealing. harassment (in terms of lewd behaviour, cat calling etc)

Drug use - so frustrated at having to inhale other people's drugs when walking by them. My children's little lungs are also having to do the same. Also, urinating on the street and in daylight with no care for others watching/walking nearby. They don't even find somewhere discreet or check around. Disgraceful.

Drug users down baker street next to the library

drug users needs to be included. Seeing adults passed out in their own vomit or staggering about like zombies is no different to seeing them drunk. Keep these antisocial people out of the public parks where my daughters are sexually harassed, have been offered money for sexual favours and have been followed. If you are not enforcing any of these policies what is the point of having them.

Drugs, begging, shop theft, Drinking

Drunks shout on the street, scaring women and families with children, so families don't prefer to come to this street often.

E bikes, just eat deliver drivers congregating.

E-scooters and bikes banned in city centre

E-scooters and e-bikes...people speed down the Arcade which is incredibly dangerous.

Educate the Eastern Europe community how to behave with manners respect for the area they live in, wear day clothing instead of night wear in the streets, not dump rubbish on the streets and not street drink Anlaby road

Electric bikes and now electric scooters, are increasing in use around the city centre and outskirts, they are very quiet, fast and as far as I am aware scooters are illegal to be used on public places, yet I have regularly seen them around the city, the law on these types of transport needs enforcing, and selling these electric scooters should be banned in my opinion, very dangerous!

Electric bikes down Jameson street. They come speeding down nearly knocking people over no consideration

Electric bikes/ scooters. Cyclists riding through the city centre.

Electric scooter and cycling in pedestrian areas and the electric scooters on the roads.

Electric scooters and dirt bikes and having BBQ in po unlic space

Electric scooters seem to be used throughout the city on roads, cycle ways and pavements even though they are illegal, a stronger enforcement needs to be made to take them off the streets. Also motorbikes are constantly using the cycle / footpaths that go from the centre (Witham) to Sutton and Bransholme, nothing has been done to stop or deter these.

Enforce the ban of electric scooters and enforce the laws for banning riding bikes on footpaths

Enforce the order. Illegal e bikes been used by just eat workers . Speed limits on shared space with pedestrians for e bikes and normal bikes

Enforcement action in partnership with the police regarding illegal electric scooters. Pavement cyclists.

Ensure alcohol is more robustly dealt with and been under influence of alcohol or drugs

Expanding PSPOs across the whole of Hull Area ASAP

Female only spaces should be for biological females not Trans/identify females

Fix the smell, start fining industries and improve the sewage. It is rotten.

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Gangs of people hanging around , as a women it is very intimidating, it puts me off going into town. I usually only go into town now at Christmas or if I go to the theatre. I am too nervous and scared.

Groups of men in particular hanging around areas, eg spring bank, creating an intimidating atmosphere

Groups of youths on bicycles seem to cause much comment. There should be alternative activities/premises for them to congregate at rather than criminalising/penalising them with such orders

Hold hostels which house/provide services accountable to those caught breaching PSCO's, particularly for drink, drug and ASB.

Homelessness, drink and drugs problems , mental health problems .

housing estates, parks,dog walking areas,residential areas

How about stopping all the electric bikes using footpaths and pedestrians precincts, they are a danger to pedestrians, or why not stop all pavement cyclists all together,I fear for my life when they go whizzing past , are they insured if they cause an accident? I think not ..

I believe something needs to be done about e-bikes, e-scooters and cyclists. As someone who works in the city centre, i find it very unnerving walking around with them been ridden in pedestrian areas and on the pavements, they are silent, and seem to be ridden with no consideration to the wider public walking around their daily business. They seem to be ridden in the manner that they own the paths and pedestrians should get out of their way. I have on a number of occasions had to move out the way to avoid been hit. I do believe i am not the only one who has issue with cyclists and e-scooters

I don't know how this might happen, but I'd also like to see traffic measures to minimise the trouble going on presently, which has already led to fatalities previously.

I hate the begging in beverley from drug addicts, who are gouching and i know for a fact! That they are not homeless. Taking advantage of the elderly.

I have seen people bullying the homeless. I have also seen a girl being escorted by 2 boys and she looked to be carrying a knife. I would think both are crimes. I worry about the coercion of vulnerable young teenagers by older people and their peers. And there seems to be a lot of young men cruising round in cars. I am sure the majority are fine but what if they were targeting young people to groom. Can PSPO cover any of these things? Are there ways of following up on people after they have been dispersed?

I know of no other type of popovers I know of no others

I KNOW the police are underfunded and under manned(apologies for gender specific term) but I have NEVER seen anywhere like Hull for cycling, at speed on pavements. I wish for one day police could be deployed for a few hours to issue on the spot fines or confiscate bicycles Those doing it don't even do it at a slow pace with grudging apologetic looks at pedestrians but race along uncaring as if they own the pavements

I live in Priory Drive, HU5. There are regular drug exchanges taking part at the telephone kiosk at the top of the drive. It has been reported previously but is still happening.

I think if you get the model right on these areas you can roll it out to other areas that are having issues There are many people often begging on Holderness Road,Kingswood Shopping Park and Beverley Road

I think Spring Bank near towards town and Beverly high road needs monitoring

I think the designated area should also include something that mandates dogs must be kept on leads at all times when being walked along streets. (i.e. they can only be let off the lead in open spaces & parks)

I think the specific problems around city centre are people under the influence of drugs and alcohol (which make others feel unsafe), fear of aggressive protestors and e-scooters/bicycles. Maybe it is worth considering how to police the use of e-scooters and bicycles on pedestrian areas? They are often going very fast and weaving in and out around people which isn't safe.

I think the whole city should be covered with the PSPO in relation to begging and street drinking to encourage people to seek support from professionals

I think these orders should cover all areas within the Humberside area.

i think thr pspo is a good idea it will stop all the begging for money street drinking and other activitys

I understand the need for PSPO's I just think these should be supported with outreach my concern is that with budget challenges the PSPO withotuhe additional support will simply result in loitering and or begging in the next available area.

I work in the city centre down Jameson street and we get a lot of drug addicts and alcoholics who come in and steal and who camp outside the stores. This isn't very good for business as they do sometimes harass customers. Also I have a teenage daughter who likes to come in to the town with friends and these types of people make her feel a bit unsafe.

I would like to see it in Kingswood. There are always people sitting around with things out for money next to doorways and near the cash machine (m&s and boots)

If public space means local footpaths, I'd love there to be a system to prevent cyclists whizzing along the pavements, especially Beverley High Road as it's dangerous. Walking out of my gate, I have narrowly avoided being run over multiple times.

If the issues being tackled here are street drinking, homelessness and loitering, where not have a safe space people can go where they can be without being constantly moved on or threatened? Making things illegal will not solve any of these issues, just move them and ultimately, if the disposal of these crimes in incarceration, it will be far more costly than working with people to support them and try to meet their needs....

If there was some sort of order that could be put in place to deal with drug Is more effectively

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Illegal e scooters are to be confiscated and fines issued. According to the Highway Code, they can only be used on private land. There are 100's tearing around on the road and pedestrian walkways and the only way to stop them is to confiscate them. Get the police on local tv to give warnings to both e scooter users and e cycles about this. Stop 2 tiered policing.

In the main shopping thoroughfares in the city Beverley Road , Holderness Road and Anlaby Road as an example Include all public parks

Include possession of drugs not just use.

Increase and widen evening/late night city centre patrol. More support for late night traders and staff

Increase street angels which can support with mental health and adequate support to vulnerable people on the streets by showing force it is going to make it worse

It definitely needs to be done and implemented for a more beautiful Hull city .

Just clearing the pedestrian area, i guess its just moving problem elsewhere

Kingswood should be included

Large gangs of youths in residential areas away from the city centre that are causing anti social behaviour. Very intimidating when they are in large groups

Large groups of males congregating together in an intimidating manour on the roadside. Especially for females

Large groups, smoking of cannabis in public

Less addicts in the city centre and less anti social behaviour to make it a more welcoming community.

Litter and dog fouling

Litter and very poor policing of the city centre .

Littering should be including

Loud music being played in bars on the Avenue with no consideration to local residents and no one of authority monitoring the problem

Make it so a lawful agent or council agent can ask people to leave an area if they are intoxicated and refusal to do so would be a breach of the PSPO.

Make the street drinking ban city wide so the problem doesn't just move elsewhere

More activities to redesign spaces and change the use of physical spaces

More manned areas they all get moved then come back

More needs to be done to enforce this. Drug taking, drinking alcohol, littering, antisocial behaviour on parks threatening or intimidating people.

more police in the city centres ans surrounding areas.

More police on our streets. This would discourage any negative or unsocial behaviours!

More police patrols please

More public toilets and help for people where possible and save money by not doing silly expensive things

More support or people to action

More visible policing on the streets to keep an eye on large groups of youths. I walk regularly around Pickering Park and there are more and more youths hanging around and I feel really vulnerable when I'm passing by them.

MOTOR BIKES IN PARKS AMD PAVEMENTS ORCHARD PARK

Motor bikes racing about

Motor Cycle misuse including Electric scooters. Riding Cycles on pavements.

Motor cycle use on the North end of Cumbrian Way, and stupid idiots in speeding cars on the same road given that this is a housing estate.

Move all drug users and alcoholics out of city centre, whenever i go to work, which is 5 days a week theres at least one group of them lurking about, makes the place look trumpy.

Much better lighting in side streets and community areas

Need to have regular patrols, some of a covert nature to deal with drug taking.

Need to stop druggies dealing where children are living just that shows them a bad influence before they grow up as a adult on Orchard Park Estate near Quillcourt

Need to tackle rough sleepers, in particular those that use building doorways as a toilet Need to add rules for cycling around Hammonds of Hull and Paragon Square, on the pavements and paved areas - its very dangerous to pedestrians The loitering of just eat drivers outside McDonalds, it's not a nice place to walk past after dark, it doesn't feel safe The constant stream of people asking for charitable donations, near McDonalds. It's non stop, we get asked every day to support one charity or another.

Newland ave

No Charity people in the city centre pestering everyday. Too many buskers. Can often be the same one a few days in a row and can be heard around the whole town. Stop delivery drivers congregating around Macdonalds.

Feels unsafe to walk past them The karaoke going on in the pubs down Carr Lane is disturbing and is often very loud from lunchtime everyday. Unsavoury characters also congregate around there and feels unsafe.

No clue don't live there

No nothing, its fine as it is

Noise from motor vehicles, Noise and vibration from commercial property/s including but not limited to AC units & general refrigeration units used on or in commercial premises ie shops and warehouses/store rooms.

None that I can think of but I believe it is worth trialling PSPOs, reviewing them on a regular basis to determine their efficacy as well as identifying issues affecting specific areas and amending accordingly.

Not really. Think everything has been covered.

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nuisance motor bikes on orchard park

Obvious drug dealing from house's with people even young people who should be at school, knocking and shouting to get their fix.

On Beverley Road there are large gatherings of mostly men around the betting shops, on street corners and at the petrol station, sometimes they are drinking but often not but the way they gather is intimidating, the proposed PSPOs would not prevent this, I would suggest that one is added to deter large groups gathering in public spaces not designated for that type of activity eg a park

On paper it sounds great just needs to be implemented and use the powers available, Princess avenue is awful we have people begging outside sainsburys and sleeping outside when passed out due to alcohol or substances. then we have scooters and ebike delivery drivers travelling at speed on the pavement, on a weekend drivers parking on zig zags with no police to issue the 3 points

One against motorbikes and quad bikes from causing a nuisance on roads and parks and pathways.

Open city churches occasionally need protection from the types of people you outline here. Churches do not have anyone like a bouncer to protect them. Admittedly this is relatively rare and everyone is welcome unless they are a nuisance as defined by the PSPOs.

Orchard Park outside the shops on Ellerburn Avenue and Endike Lane. There are several males who loiter here and drink alcohol causing harassment, alarm and distress to local people.

Parks should be included

Pearson park has been awful this summer, Westbourne Hse residents and those from the many HMOs drink, openly use drugs and behave inappropriately in full view of children. We need to stop ignoring this problem and tackle it

People high on drugs needs tackling in the parks and on the street. My children are scared to go to pearsons park and pickering park having seen drug addicts walking around like zombies. Also addicts in town are a frightening site for the old and young

People using fast electric scooters on paths and even in the bike lanes without helmets and without lights/reflective gear. I think they should be banned on paths in all areas. They go too fast for pedestrians to get out of the way.

Some people on mobility scooters also go too fast to get out of the way - not sure if a speed restriction could be in place for these as the speed settings are not in miles/km per hour to my knowledge. However, I would be hesitant to add restrictions on mobility scooters as this could restrict mobility for some.

Pickering Park/Hessle Road areas

Place a gate at the bottom of Duesbery Street which is closed at 10pm to 6am everynight to prevent access to the rail path and surrounding streets. This area appears to be a 'hot spot' for antisocial behaviour.

Play areas should be for what they are described for.

Playing music in the city centre, a pspo is needed to dictate volume allowed to play music, how close to buildings can be, and how long allowed to play per day.

Please look at the Avenues, Spring Bank and Pearson Park as well. These are not spaces that I would consider as safe to walk around in as a lone woman after dark.

Possibly, but unsure.

Prevent the riding of bicycles and scooters in public spaces

prevent the street drinking in local areas also im not being racist but a lot of foreign alcoholics where i live.

Prevent uber and deliveroo drivers congregating on Jameson street. Sort and deport the illegal immigrants among them.

Princes avenue area as there are far too many bars which attracts beggars wgen your sat outside

Princes Quay, Jameson Street. Whitefriargate. Old Market place.

Protect the 'PUBLIC SPACE' form petty minded individuals who are determined to be Alarmed or distressed by anything they don't like or agree with. Create legislation, (Through Parliament), that requires complainants to specify / justify how they have been alarmed or distressed or harassed, get them to make a statement and sign it.

Exclusion orders based upon individuals claims are unfair and the definition is far too loose and open to the interpretation of the individual or officer concerned who invariably has not witnessed the 'alleged' behaviour. Too many people are upset by too many things and far too easily these days.

Protection of amenity for local residents from impact from each of these addictions & include noise - doors open inc music /obstruction when they don't keep their business in order/safety by allowing their patrons to drink on the public footpath & block the pathway for abilities/disabilities persons

Protection of the environment eg trees and wildlife

Provide social support systems instead of policing

Public parks and green areas. The train/bus interchange

Public parks.

Public play parks, including outside of parks

Public spaces like parks and children's p[lay areas should be regularly monitored to deal with anti-social behaviour.

Public taking of drugs and of dealing. Crack down on bike riders on pavements, and also the lights at night that they require as per highway code, and removing bikes if not complying with adequate safety requirements in said use of bike0

Put a sign up on Beverley gate, making it a protected space of national importance, to stop drunks, skateboarders, climbing kids, chip eaters, treating it as a rubbish pit or play area, or where drunks can gathers and drink and eat chips.

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Quadrant has a lovely park & small roads. Please ban ball games as there are facilities, cars & property gets damaged and the thudding noise causes misery for home/shift workers, elderly & infirm. Triggers residents with autistic children & ppl from war zones. There is no space, causes conflict & the parks are now provided & accessible.

Riding bicycles on the pavement seems to be the normal thing to do now, especially on Anlaby Road. It is frightening for the elderly and those with small children or even bags of shopping if you cannot get out of the way fast enough.

Riding bikes on pavements. Riding ebikes very fast.

Riding bikes scooters delivery cycles, on pedestrian areas,

Riding e- scooters at speed amongst pedestrians

Riding motorised scooters on the pavement - these are dangerous!

Riding of bikes on pavements and pedestrian areas

Riding of motorcycles and electric scooters on public footpaths should be discouraged. They give no audible warning of approach, ride at night in the dark without lights, scare both people and animals and give verbal abuse when challenged.

Safe spaces for people to go whilst waiting for transport home after late night working or nights out.

Selling and collecting illegal substances from pickup points.

Several bus stops I have noticed have drunks sat in them, who make me feel intimidated. All the delivery people in the city centre sometimes there are that many it's intimidating and I feel unsafe. It makes the city center look and feel like a doss hole

Shop lifting incidents in shops/stores that may involve members of the public whilst they are shopping

Shop lifting support for businesses would be nice

Should include anyone under the influence of drugs being ejected

Smoking marijuana on the streets should not be tolerated, I smell it all of the time

Smoking weed is a massive problem. GET IT STOPPED IN PUBLIC SPACES!

Something to prevent e-scooters and the intimidating collection of e-bike / delivery riders in the pedestrian areas.

Something to tackle the spice heads in Jameson street and wider city centre. Include dispersals for this so that breaches can result in arrest.

Spitting is a huge problem as well as people doing their nose excretions, urinating, dog mess, littering. Also is fires for being smokeless zones it stinks of fire setting from both in and out of the homes.

stop adults riding bikes /electric scooters on the pavement with dark clothing and no lights on after dark some times with 2 persons on one vehicle and at speed . Or when on the road going the wrong way down one way streets all on Newland ave side streets

Stop crowd congregation.

Stop drinking in the parks

Stop drugs. Its rife everywhere. Get these people off the streets dealers and runners.

Stop e scooters on pavements

stop making pspos that target the unhoused

Stopping people using barbeques in parks.

Street drinking people begging and drug dealing

Supporting Argument for Noise Control in Paragon Arcade within a PSPO The vibrant atmosphere of Paragon Arcade is one of its greatest assets, yet it is currently undermined by significant noise pollution primarily from loud vehicles and the frequent sirens of emergency services. This constant noise not only disrupts the pleasant ambiance necessary for a thriving hospitality sector but also detracts from the overall customer experience. Diners and shoppers seek environments where they can enjoy conversations and leisure activities without overwhelming background noise. Excessive noise levels can lead to reduced visitation and shorter stays, directly impacting sales and the economic health of businesses within the arcade. Implementing a PSPO to control noise levels would greatly benefit businesses in Paragon Arcade. For instance, setting decibel limits for vehicles and exploring traffic flow adjustments to reduce the frequency with which emergency vehicles pass directly through high-traffic commercial areas could be effective. Additionally, establishing designated quiet zones or times could ensure that businesses reliant on a more tranquil environment, such as cafes and restaurants, are not adversely affected during peak hours. The negative effects of noise are not only limited to economic impact but also extend to the health and well-being of employees and patrons who are exposed to this on a continual basis. Over time, this can lead to increased stress levels and dissatisfaction, further affecting employee retention and customer loyalty. A PSPO addressing noise control is not only a step towards enhancing the commercial viability of Paragon Arcade but also an investment in the quality of life for all who work, visit, and enjoy the facilities within this key area of our city centre.

Tackle the street baggers and drug users in the town centre and roads near by

Tent encampments in park bushes etc - these should be removed. It's where people take their stolen stuff from the city centre. When they eventually move on they leave all their trash for others to clean up.

The Avenue Ward that I'm in, has a disproportionately high volume of sexual and violent crimes. Again, does this correlate to the high number of single men living in the area? There's a much bigger picture to this around planning and concentration of certain groups and HMOs saturating the area. Things need to be tackled at that level instead of this sticking plaster approach of PSPOs.

OFFICIAL

The bandstand in Pearson Park has become a meeting place for drinkers. At times it is quite intimidating. Perhaps something could be included in the order about dangerous cycling, electric bikes, or scooters, on pavements et in the PSPO.

The centre of Cottingham.

The City Centre needs to be cleaned up in general in all aspects

The deliveroo guys outside of mcdonalds on jameson street As a female leaving work especially when it is dark nights it is intimidating

The flytipping of takeaway food waste and packaging around the side streets off princes avenue. Dog fouling on the dukeries.

The memorial at the corner of marfleet, Hendon road

The persistent beggars, drinkers that just ignore & carry on doing it, should be enforced more not just ignored by pcso / police because "they mean no harm"

The police do an unenviable job and instead of always knocking their performance we should give them the credit and respect they deserve. Let's give them all the powers they need to carry out their jobs, we should not tie their hands .

The seating area around Queen Victoria Square is nothing but a meeting point for drinkers and drug takers, who actively participate in these behaviours at all times of the day. I would not feel safe using this seating area for a break as they sit there for hours at a time. They also shout and swear very loudly. It is not an area you would want to sit in.

The use of electric scooters

The use of electric scooters (and bikes) in ways that break the law is dangerous and needs controlling.

There are issues throughout the city with car vehicle anti-social behaviour - whether that be drivers playing music loudly, speeding, or being generally reckless. The Council should consider a PSPO banning inconsiderate and inappropriate vehicle use across the city.

There are many types of disorder and chaos on our streets not just homelessness & begging. Proe run riot on cycles, scooters and verbally abuse people without cause. Nothing ever seems to be done about it. I seriously doubt there will be much change. We need a netter presence of authority to deter public disorder. We need wider community action/cohesive responsibility better options

There is a lack of knowledge about P.S.P.O.s by residents in these areas, particularly Pearson Park, there needs to be clear, up to date, signage. Despite attention being drawn to the issue of through park cyclists/electric bikes (racing), pavement cyclists/electric bikers and no lights cyclists/electric bikers the Authority and Police presumably don't see these as 'nuisances' or a 'danger to the public'. This is a very disappointing omission.

They need to patrol Holderness road more

This should be applied city wide

To many druggies outside people's houses?

To tackle late night disturbance to residential property from drinking establishments

Too many bikes and e bikes on pavements when roads in and out of city centre have been altered to accommodate them. They are dangerous and riders don't respect pedestrians.

Traffic/pedestrian safety - from vehicle noise from motorbikes, quadbikes, cars revving engines, speeding etc & E-scooters/takeaway e-scooters on public footpaths, riding the wrong way down a street & parents taking their children to school on them - to use /include section 59 of the Police Reform Act 2002 - saw this on display signs near/on a caravan site near Bridlington....

Try to apply it to other main areas of Hull as those who beg for money may move to other more populated areas.

Uber eats / deliveroo etc riders on electric bikes / scooters riding too fast through Whitefriargate, Jameson Street.

Unwanted approach on the streets from an unknown should be included as harassment,

Urinating/defecating in public spaces - I see this regularly where I live

Use of electric scooters and bicycles, particularly those that have been modified so as to be able to go faster than the restricted speed and unregistered (stolen) mopeds. This should include sanctions for those who ride in a recklessly way, especially on the footway/pavement, without helmets (when required by law) and importantly making efforts to conceal their identity by wearing masks and scarves, that include the seizing and destruction of the vehicles they have in the possession or have access too. This should be applied to areas prone to this behaviour - including all our established 'council' estates.

Use of electric scooters, and cycling on pedestrian areas.

Vane Street park, Spring bank

Vaping in shops, hairdressers, on buses. Throwing litter on the floor.

very loud motor bikes especially sunday and at night

waterloo street park, all pspos orders should apply and be enforced

When taking my grandchildren into the park specifically PEARSON PARK these situations are prevalent at certain times especially warm days. Park wardens do a good job but need support on occasions.

Why is it only for part of the city? I live near East Park and yet we are not covered?

Would like to see PSPO's for public drug taking - seeing an increase in city centre and Newland Ave area in particular. Often intimidating and unpleasant to witness, especially for families and children. During Hull fair, the level of noise from people coming from the fair late in the evening is a real nuisance for us in the residential streets off Chanterlands Ave. Is there some way to encourage more considerate behaviour in residential areas?

OFFICIAL

Yes Newland Avenue & princes ave are awful for begging, street drinking, urinating etc the area feels very unsafe despite the fact the PSPO's already exist in certain areas so unless they are going to be policed properly there seems to be little point in them

Yes please, indiscriminate animal wastes in public place, smoking of any type in public space, and indiscriminate disposal of gums and other wastes in public space

Yes, a Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) could be considered to tackle the issue of public urination in certain areas of the city where this behavior is a recurring problem. many times I see near my workplace. its impact on public health, hygiene, and the overall the enjoyment of the area.

Yes. Ensure that anyone trying / employed to enforce these 'RULES' is properly trained and actually follows the LAW not their impression of what the law should be. They are not there as some private security / council enforcement army. They are not there as kill joys, the do as I say brigade. I am 77 and a good citizen but I find all these 'Street rules' and 'Enforcement Officers' to be way over the top. They create more problems than they solve. We are free people not prisoners.

yes. The collecting together of men at the top of Jameson street and the riding of bikes in the pedestrian area should be tackled especially as this could be offputting to visitors as you've already said.

yes. whoever has written this PSPO should be assessed by a really good psychiatrist in the interest of public safety.

Young (usually males) on electric bicycles with face coverings riding up and down the streets, no lights, intimidating, doing wheelies and generally being a nuisance.

Youths in cycle gangs

Q. Is there anything else you would like to say about Public Space Protection Orders?

Act on it and start coming down on lawbreakers ASAP.

All that will happen is the problem will move to another area. I hate the fact that I used to live in a lovely part of the city and now no longer feel safe to go out at night and am no longer proud of where I live (Victoria Ave HU5) we are swamped with people begging, swearing, drinking and urinating in the street. A facility the size of Westbourne house should never have been allowed in a residential area.

All the proposals are proportionate and long overdue.

Are they actually actioned?

Are they really necessary or are they just jobs for the boys / good little earners for private security companies because I am not at all sure! They appear to be more and more intrusive ways of controlling the public, keeping them 'in -line' etc. It will soon be an offence to put your hands in your pockets on a cold day!

arrest instantly charge and fine them on the spot if they [persist in their behaviour]

As I said in an earlier response, I've never seen any person of authority impose any of these conditions, and I doubt that would change with additional ones. By and large, I'm in favour of people living their own lives without too much interference.

Ban fireworks, and tell people to keep their cats indoors, they soil everywhere and are killing the ecosystem. Ban whoever wrote this specific PSPO from public life.

Beggar's street drinkers druggies all band from hull Town centre drug dealers should be instantly evicted from propertys no ifs or buts

Begging

Br extra vigilant people on drugs carrying knives these people are dangerous

Brilliant idea

Bring in fines to deter anti social behaviour

Bring it on but actually enforce it

Can the Police crackdown on people riding bikes, electric bikes, scooters etc in the city centre boundaries

Cycling on pavements is also problematic not sure if this could be tackled by this order but worth considering

Definitely need more services to support the community to enforce this and build communities and presence and safety back up. What's the point if it's not enforced.

Don't know

Enforce the orders more enforcement officers needed to tackle this problem.

Ensure that they are enforced.

Ensure the PSPO's are acted on and implemented.

Ensure they are fully and rigidly enforced, otherwise they will not work as a deterrent.

Expand it to include all residential areas ie Housing, It is everyone's Human right to live in a peaceful area, Without others selfish behaviour causing harm through broken sleep & stress.

Expand it to include Anlaby Road and the Avenues, including Newland Ave.

Expand to wider areas such as Derringham

Feel the effect is being tackled not the cause

Find that a lot of parents child minders do not visit the park in my area HU3 because of antisocial behaviour

drink/drugs going on all the time have a great input from our local police but sadly they can not be there 24/7

Fully support PSPO to be in place allows Police and enforcement officers to tackle ASB quickly and effectively

Great idea but enforcement will be the issue. You can put as many restrictions as you want but if there's no enforcement then it's a problem

OFFICIAL

Great job keeping our streets safer.

Groups of drinkers should be challenged more. Their litter should be addressed. CCTV in parks would identify people who leave litter.

How will they be advertised? Signs? Will they be policed?

I am certainly apposed to begging in the city centre and drinking should be controlled.

I AM QUITE FED UP OF FILLING IN THESE SURVEYS. LIVE ON SPRING BANK, ALWAYS DRUNKS DRUGGIES PEOPLE SLEEPING IN DOORWAYS/BUS SHELTERS. APART FROM BUYING MILK AND FINDING A SAFE CROSSING TO WALK MY DOGS I DO NOT FEEL SAFE. I LIVE ON THE STANLEY ST ESTATE AND BEEN CLEANING AND REPORTING PROBLEMS FOR OVER 4 YEARS AND NEVER SEE ANYONE WALKING THROUGH WHO ANYONE OF US COULD APPROUCH FOR HELP OR ADVICE. THEY USE THE ESTATE FOR TOILET DRUGS DRINKING I,M ALWAYS FINDING EVIDENCE OF THIS EVERY WEEK WHEN I CLEAN. DISGUSTING

I appreciate this survey and the efforts to deal with antisocial behaviours. It would be awful to see parts of Hull as no go areas for the general public.

I believe that the Public Space Protection Orders are exactly what is needed but will only be as effective as they are staffed. I so often see many of the areas within in the Hull City Centre, Newland Avenue, Princes Avenue and Beverley Road having people drinking in groups on the street. It is clear to anyone driving or walking by and is an obvious breach of the law and yet I am yet to see this being broken up at anytime - and I live within the Beverly Road/Newland Avenue area so see this very frequently. I believe that these PSPO's will be very effective if staffed to the levels required to tackle the behaviours it targets, but to also regularly maintain this vigil of our streets to discourage behaviour recurring say, a little further down the road or once the officer has been called away. I believe it is only fair to charge officers with these new orders if they are in a position to effectively carry them out with regularity and thoroughness. Otherwise my concern would be that the officers would not be able to safely warden these streets and that the new PSPO's will become another 'stick to beat' the already overstretched police force with when they then fail to have a discernible effect.

I do not feel safe in the city (especially once dark) and do not feel safe attending spcial events unless accompanied by colleagues or friends - even when driving into and out of the city

I feel they need to be in place as our police force has a difficult job as it is, they provide the necessary backup needed. Let's get our city centres a more appealing place to go

I find it distressing to visit the Park with my Grandchildren and to have to negotiate past people who are drinking heavily, taking drugs openly, lying unconscious in the ground (have had to call emergency services twice) . In the park I have to ensure they don't go into any wooded areas as park staff advise that needles and drug paraphernalia are there. I appreciate that drug and alcohol problems are serious and extremely difficult for sufferers and those who work with them. Cuts to services haven't helped. Lack of community policing makes current PSPO's meaningless if they cannot be enforced.

I have never once felt intimidated by anyone asking for help or being sat or laid in the street. From what I have witnessed the vast majority don't bother anyone and if you just give them the time of day and politely say no if that's what you want to do they just accept it or wish you a nice day! There is not the resources to manage implementing these orders so I don't understand what this is hoping to achieve.

I have no idea about this I don't live there

I have said it, but time will tell if the situation ever improves.

I shall watch and wait with interest

i support the idea and think it will make hull a safer and more enjoable space for visitors and residents alike

I suspect these measures are made to specifically to target the homeless population. Punishing these people will not solve any of their issues and may make things worse. I do not dispute that having visible homelessness in a community can be unpleasant for other members of the community. However, the only way to actually solve this is to support the homeless population and to embrace them as part of a community.

I think 48hour is a long time. I think banning people of sitting on the floor is bizarre and as someone with a disability I can only hope I don't need to. I think this should be short term not a long term rules

I think PSPOs are a good idea but only work if enforced

I think strict rules must be in place for the city centre when people come in to vist city hall any events it is important to make sure that it is a positive experience

i think the problem is getting to big to police these areas.no one is safe in most areas now.

I think the PSPO are not the problem the problem is lack of health care, lack of housing and lack of support for individuals whom are in need of support services - no drop in points for mental health and no support for the homeless or struggling people of hull

I think there should be more police or bid employed to enforce it as there isn't enough as the current amount isn't effective as a deterrent, as soon as they leave an area the beggars tend to return

I think they are a cop out, as they're not actually dealing with the problem. However, I do believe people who are drunk are a danger to others and themselves. The homeless need shelters, the addicts need help and the PSPO are only a paper thin, temporary measure. People need a purpose in life, they need help and turfing them out of an area is just a temp solution. Do enlighten me on what is being done to address the issues at ground level.

I wish they could be policed more effectively, people sat by cashpoints and supermarket entrances along Anlaby Road.

OFFICIAL

I work springbank area the drinking the begging shop.lifting and abuse is getting totally out of hand to the point we are fearful.of coming to work . Something needs quick action down here im abused daily basis the older customers have stopped coming to the shop because they're intimidated bythe constant harassment for money and food

I would like to see these rigorously enforced otherwise what is the point of them?

I would like to see more done to enforce these measures and remove the individuals from our city. We need to make Hull a safe place to visit and do business and these issues have persisted for many years. A stronger stance is required enforcement and punishment

I would like to stop seeing people stood loitering around outside shops/Barbers down Beverley Road and Spring Bank near town, as a woman, it's intimidating men staring up and down, and it's affecting the businesses down those areas as no one's feels welcome in those areas to go to those shops around there

I'm quite intrigued by these proposals as they do not specifically say what penalties or enforcement agencies will be used to control these areas. The police don't show any interest in resolving many anti social events that are carried out daily in Hull these problems should be addressed beforehand

If something is working then keep it going and extend it to other areas, Hull City has a lot going for it if the council can clamp down on those that tend to blight the city

In my opinion the PSPO doesn't cover a large enough area, IE Kingswood and Bransholme etc.

In the contemporary office environment, where the focus on productivity and well-being is paramount, excessive noise poses a significant challenge. Particularly in city centers, where the density of traffic and the frequency of emergency sirens are high, noise pollution can disrupt the workplace atmosphere, leading to decreased concentration and productivity among employees. This issue is especially critical in open-plan offices, which are common in modern business settings, where noise can propagate more freely and distract workers from their tasks. Implementing a PSPO to control noise levels in office-dominated areas can significantly enhance the work environment by reducing these disruptive sounds. For example, enforcing limits on the noise produced by vehicles and optimizing emergency response routes to avoid passing directly through business districts unless absolutely necessary can create a quieter, more conducive workspace. This is not merely a comfort issue; studies have shown that prolonged exposure to high noise levels can lead to increased stress and higher instances of job dissatisfaction. From a real estate perspective, office spaces in quieter, more controlled environments are more attractive to potential renters and buyers. Businesses are more likely to invest in locations that promote a productive work environment, which in turn can increase property values and attract a higher caliber of tenants. Furthermore, a reputation for a pleasant and effective work environment can help the city centre compete with suburban office parks, which often boast quieter settings. In conclusion, incorporating noise control measures into a PSPO would not only improve the immediate working conditions for current office workers but also enhance the overall attractiveness and competitiveness of the office market in the city centre. This is a forward-thinking approach to urban planning that values both the economic and health-related aspects of its workforce.

Increase the police walking with interventions not only walking pass

Increase the powers of public servants to enforce the rules as necessary

It definitely needs to be done and implemented for a more beautiful Hull city

It is good, and it should be enforced strictly to achieve its purpose.

It sounds marvellous but without people enforcing it nothing will change

It sounds very good having these protection orders but they are just in name only written on paper as none of them are acted upon within the areas they are supposed to protect

Its ok dispersing people and moving them on, but if they are genuinely homeless where do they go? There are not enough support services for these people and if they can be assisted then maybe some of them will be able to stop begging, drinking etc

Just to add that the appearance of even community officers in the city centre would help to give confidence to the public to enjoy a shopping experience.

keep it as same, its good as of now

Keep up the good work and get the people who are causing the problems the help they need. If they are just dispersed, they will carry on causing trouble elsewhere in the city.

Keep up the work you are doing.

Like the ideas and hope we see them enforced, and not just paid lip service to.

Make it a prosecutable offence for the repeatedly antisocial/drunk/drugged/poorly behaved individuals and actually be seen to be doing something. Be accountable to the public. Put up actual real numbers about how many individuals have been removed from which area and what you are actually doing because right now we see the PCSO's having jokey chats with the people making the community unsafe and intimidating. No one is removing drunks who are having sex alongside the main road or staggering about in the middle of the road. No one is tackling sex offenders in the parks where we would love to take our children. No one is keeping the communities safe they are pandering to the mentally ill, those who made poor lifestyle choices and those who should really be in prison.

Make sure there are police on the beat to enforce these pspos as some days we do not see any police presence in the city centre.

Make sure you give support, not just punishment. No one grew up hoping to live like this. They are a victim of circumstance.

Many people will not shop or go to Hull City Centre because of the atmosphere of intimidation from the anti social elements listed in your proposed order

OFFICIAL

Maybe my next words may be challenging, but my thoughts about PSPO's are summed up as... just WHO will carry them out? I mean, will it be the same as the Civil Enforcement Officers who are seen in the City Centre, but are conspicuous by the fact that all they do is to walk about but DO NOTHING! Or the Mobile Civil Enforcement Officers who can be seen riding around on their Mopeds, but never stop! Their role must be the cushiest job going, ie, ride all day, see issues happening, but nothing is done, because that would mean actually doing some work! Thus, this project can only be successful if there is a robust and thorough team tasked with enforcing the requirements, but based on my visible experience as stated above, I won't be holding my breath as to the success of these PSPO's !!!

Monitoring of anti-social behaviour/ criminal behaviour should be monitored by more CCTV and covert police patrols. Local residents should be consulted more regularly, especially those who monitor these behaviours on a regular basis. For example, residents with effective CCTV could give instant feedback/alerts when anti-social behaviour occurs. 101 is not always effective. There should also be feedback to residents who support and contribute intel to law enforcement agencies. It is crucial that the whole of Stepney cycleway is monitored by CCTV.

More money needs to be directed to accessible and functional mental health and crisis support to effectively tackle these issues. Getting mental health support as a child, young person or adult in the city is nearly impossible- its no wonder people choose to self medicate and then get blamed when they are literally just trying to survive. Further criminalisation will not help

More notices

Moving street drinkers and beggars along in the City Centre is likely to impact Spring Bank further.

Need more police on the beat to enforce

Need one in the city centre for no drinking and begging. People hate coming into the city centre and seeing the drug users harassing them and slumped against shops

Need to stop street drinkers

Needles and condoms in residential areas also the use of electrical bikes and scooters

Needs to be given more scope to the public

needs to be look into on other areas too

Never see them move anyone away and if they do move 200 yards down the street once they've gone

No it covers most of the concerns.

No Nothing else to add

No thank you. This is the only time I have read any such order.

No! I think this covers everything I have to say!

Ok if applied with restraint to difficult central areas only

Only that they can't be implemented quickly enough.

Pass it! As a store manager who works in the town center i fully agree with all of this dealig with all these issues 300 times a day it needs to stop they think they can do what they want with no consequence they need to be dealt with.

Per previous answers. The orders are meaningless unless enforced or acted on

Please actively enforce these orders instead of just talking about them. I no longer recognise my city, it has been left to decay and has been taken over by drinkers, drug takers and anti-social behaviour. Why would anyone want to visit here? The past 10 years has seen the city centre start to look like a slum. The empty shops and places like Princes Quay (which needs a major clean up, it looks filthy) do not help. Gone are the days were I would enjoy spending a full day shopping in the centre. There is no investment into keeping businesses open, the longer they stay closed, the more we see people sleeping/sitting in the doorways of closed shops etc. Helping to keep businesses open also helps to drive this behaviour away. The city centre looks run down, tired and dirty and seeing this is depressing. Even 20 years ago the centre was buzzing, then the council's let the decline set in. Something needs to be done asap.

Please expand orders City wide to all areas ASAP

PSPO's are fine as long as they are enforced and that requires a dramatic increase in High Visibility foot patrol by the Police. As things stand, apart from the period immediately after the August riot the Police have little visibility, mostly in patrol cars with occasional sightings of PCSO's and PC's on foot patrol. Your best chance of catching sight is as they dodge out of their cars into Osborne St police station. West of the Marina we simply never see them on foot anymore whereas we used to have a regular PCSO patrol. I realise foot patrol is regarded as inefficient, especially when the Police insist on doubling up but it provides significant reassurance to residents and visitors.

Public space is for all, and people who are perceived as causing trouble should be supported and not further excuded

Relocate the 'services' provided by Humbercare away from Westbourne House. Far away.

See before.

See drug dealers everywhere. On streets and public parks needs a massive crack down. Lives ruined. Also houses used by drug dealers. Had experience of next door to me needs more intervention quicker. You ask for people to report drug dealing but takes too long for anything done. Get it sorted.

Should be more of them about the city & more warnings of them.

Should have been in place 20 years ago!

OFFICIAL

Stop wasting money and time on this nonsense and actually put money towards helping people. It really is not rocket science.

Strongly agree with them, I believe they will benefit these areas by stopping these undesired behaviours and making them feel safe again

The city Centre, queen Victoria square to keep a regular police presence, it's become a place to congregate and exchange of alcohols and drugs often seeing foul and abusive behavior and people passed out or sleeping in a space that should be a safe and family environment.

The laws/regulation have been vastly reduced from the last government. We now need them back/improved/updated for the better so PSPO is needed more than ever in these times. Reclaim the Streets/Spaces for everyone!

The police and the BID team need more powers to enforce restrictions on repeat offenders who make the city centre a no go zone for families and I would like to see action taken on shoplifters who consistently harass shops. The problems caused by street drinking, begging and ASB are particularly bad in places without CCTV, security. The proposed PSPOs are great and will do wonders to alleviate the city centre and surrounding areas of something that is of common concern to most people, I speak to a lot of customers who voice their opinion about it regularly, stating they don't come into town often because of the aforementioned issues. My main concern however is that these are put into place, successfully enforced, and as a result the issues are moved elsewhere. Ideally they would accept any support offered to them to benefit their situations though.

There is better use of resources for instance supporting more grassroots programs and mental programmes tailored to vulnerable people on the streets

There needs to be a constant high visibility of Police to make them work

There needs to be better late night transport from the city centre to all areas of Hull

There needs to be clarity on what the support offer is for those currently begging etc. we won't address the problem by just banning them. They will just try to get money another way such as shoplifting etc

There shouldn't be an exemption for homeless people as they are often contributing to street drinking and drug use which cause distress to members of the public

These are really good ideas, but ensure that root causes of issues are dealt with also, for example; rough sleepers are offered accommodation, increased police presence to stop alcohol and drug consumption. This is a concern for not only visitors to the city, but parents who take their children to the city centre.

These orders are failing outside of the city centre as the police are not enforcing them

These orders only deal with the consequences of support in other areas. Social disorder often occurs when people are under the influence of drugs or alcohol. Loitering is often a consequence of people having nowhere else to go because they are homeless, sofa surfing or in a hostel.

They are needed, for public protection

They do need policing atrongly. Its ok having them but if not enough officers to act on them then it is pointless.

They make me feel safer. Thank you

They need fully enforcing.

They need to be enforced properly.

They need to patrol Holderness road more

They only work if they are actually enforced. Fines need to be introduced and actually issued and enforced. There are no smoking signs everywhere in the interchange smoking is illegal or smoking is illegal but there are more people smoking than not. And what do the 'staff' do - absolutely nothing. No-one has ever been nor are they told to stop. It is absolutely disgusting that this is allowed to happen. The signs are pointless and a joke.

They run the risk of denying people the right to peaceful, legotomate, lawful, political protest. This is draconian and should be avoided.

think it works in the town center but not sure it will work in other area

This approach will only help individuals who behave in this manner if treatment, rehabilitation, housing & other required support is available to them throughout the PSPO

This order should include removal of any articles left in doorways ie: clothing, sleeping bags, rubbish etc

This should be more robustly managed in areas such as Pearson Park where there are always many street drinkers causing issues. members of the public should be able to visit with their children and families without having to watch as people are drinking excessively, fighting and generally acting in an antisocial manner.

This sort of stuff needs to happen in all of hull not just city centre

To avoid community problems, you cannot have large families in small houses on tiny roads full of cars with crowds of children playing ball games chasing balls in people's gardens and smashing their property. Mobility cars are often found damaged and poor disabled folk must pay excess for repairs or penalised when handing them back. The roads are too small, unsafe & balls games are noisy as children get excited naturally. Thudding against cars and fences is noisy and damages are costly. Without ball games which are dangerous - being banned, ppl cannot protect themselves. Ppl with dementia & mh issues should be able to live in the community as long as possible. Not a saftey concern as kids don't play ball games outside their own homes anyway so unsupqervised. Parks are provided and there is no reason anymore for this. Too many cars and children end up causing other problems in crowds. When balls pop, they kick cans etc about. If needed, have volunteers as park keepers during hols or after school.

waste of money

OFFICIAL

We have had young people gathering in the park over the summer evenings, leaving cans/bottles/pizza boxes etc behind. Also motorbikes continue to speed on Hessle Rd.

We have some understanding of the difficulties for those dealing with the issues being addressed here. This includes the challenges for the various authorities involved in dealing with these matters.

We need them more than ever!

We should not need these. Services have been cut to the bone and vulnerable people are suffering. It should not be the police's job to order about people not committing crimes.

What happens to persistent offenders who flaunt these orders.

Whilst good in theory pspo can just lead to antisocial behaviour moving into more residential areas on the outskirts of the city centre. More needs to be done to make sure those who have had the order are not causing problems elsewhere.

Who's going to enforce this and how.

Will it work without more police and council environment patrols?

Women are afraid to walk on this street because there are drunks and thieves. When women don't come, there is no business, so small shopkeepers lose money and shop owners have to close their shops early. Nobody wants to open a business on these streets because of drunks and thieves. Drunks shout on the street, scaring women and families with children, so families don't prefer to come to this street often. Thieves test the alarm system of the shops with small balls, they deliberately throw balls at the windows. The windows of the shop owners are often broken. This is worrying in terms of security. Drunks or homeless people break the windows. Ask the shop owners in the center, they have all had their windows broken at least once. Drunks or homeless people urinate and defecate in front of the Friary Chambers apartment building. They repeated this many times. You can also ask the people living in the building. This incident directly affects my shop. This situation creates a bad smell and an unhealthy environment. There are thieves, drunks, homeless people and many vagrants who disturb people in these streets. Would you send your wife or children here?

Would also be great if the council had an order to keep and eye on bicycle and mobility scooter speeds..some are way too fast.

Would like to see proactive policing

Yes use them to protect the public from unjust laws and aggressive application based solely on the opinion and personal likes / dislikes of the individual. Example : Street Preachers are getting banned from some city centres simply for reading the bible and others are getting excluded for 'Silent Prayer'. I am getting thoroughly fed up of over-regulation and the unfair and unjust application of 'Instant Justice' based upon one persons perception or opinion. The police enforce LAWS not opinions, likes or dislikes.

Yes, why does it not cover Derringham ward?

You need more pso than u have

You need to have officers patrolling these areas on foot or cycles in these areas so a greater clampdown is affective

You should have done more to tackle the street drinkers in Victoria Square during summer. What parent wants to spend time with young children playing in the fountains when the drinkers are making a mess, arguing and taking substances.