ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014 (ABCPA 2014)

PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER

Made by: FYLDE BOROUGH COUNCIL (the Council)

1. THE ORDER

This is a public spaces protection order made by the Council under section 59 of ABCPA 2014.

2. WHERE DOES THIS ORDER APPLY?

This order applies to the public spaces around Fairhaven Lake, Lytham St Annes and to Inner Promenade, Lytham St Annes and any public space used with, but not forming part of, that highway.

3. WHEN DOES THIS ORDER APPLY?

This order comes into force and applies for three years **from 15 October** 2026

4. WHO DOES THIS ORDER APPLY TO?

This order applies to **any person** that a constable or an authorised person reasonably believes is, or has been, **consuming alcohol** or intends to consume alcohol.

5. WHAT DOES THIS ORDER REQUIRE?

This order requires a person to comply with a requirement of the constable or authorised person to **not consume alcohol**.

It also requires a person to comply with a requirement of the constable or authorised officer to **surrender alcohol** or a container for alcohol in their possession.

"Alcohol" has the same meaning as in the Licensing Act 2003, but also includes anything which the constable or authorised person reasonably believes to be alcohol.

"Authorised person" means a person authorised by the Council under section 63 of ABCPA 2014

"Constable" includes any person who has been designated as a community support officer under section 38 of the Police Reform Act 2002 and has had conferred on them any relevant power of a constable.

6. ARE THERE ANY EXCEPTIONS?

The requirement in paragraph 5 above does not apply if the person has a reasonable excuse for not complying with the requirement of the constable or authorised person.

7. WHAT CAN HAPPEN IF I BREACH THIS ORDER?

You can be given a **fixed penalty** notice of £60. Or **you could be prosecuted** in the magistrates' court for a criminal offence and be fined up to £1,000.

THE COMMON SEAL OF Fylde Borough Council was affixed hereunto this 18th **day of** JUNE 2026



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Service Director for Governance and Legal