

Public Notice

Road Traffic Regulation (Northern Ireland) Order 1997

Notice of Proposed Special Event



Derry City & Strabane
District Council
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Derry Cille & Strábane
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Derry City and Strabane District Council has received an application from **Derry City and Strabane District Council** in relation to the holding of the **Derry Halloween Festival**.

By virtue of the powers conferred on it by Article 8A of and Schedule 3A to the Road Traffic Regulation (Northern Ireland) Order 1997, the Council gives notice that it is minded to make an Order to temporarily restrict or prohibit vehicles, in accordance with the following schedules of road closures.

Schedules of planned road closures:

1. On **28th, 29th & 30th October 2025** the following restrictions will be in place: **Between the hours 12:00 midday until 22:00: Shipquay Street** (Shipquay Place, Union Hall Place; Magazine Street; Castle Street; and Bank Place), Full Road Closure, from its junction with Foyle Street and Whittaker Street to the Diamond; **Butcher Street** (Magazine Street Upper), Full Road Closure, between Butcher Gate and the Diamond; **Ferryquay Street** (Market Street, Artillery Street), Full Road Closure, between Ferryquay Gate and the Diamond; **Bishop Street Within** (Palace Street; Society Street; London Street; Pump Street), Full Road Closure, between Bishop's Gate and the Diamond; **Fountain Street**, Full Road Closure, from its junction with Carlisle Road to its junction with Hawkin Street; **Hawkin Street**, Resident access only, from its junction with London Street to its junction with Horace Street; **Kennedy Street**, Resident access only, from its junction with Wapping Lane to its junction with Hawkin Street. **Between the hours 14:00 until 22:00: New Market Street** (Linen Hall Street), Full Road Closure, from its junction with Orchard Street.
2. On **28th, 29th, 30th & 31st October 2025** the following restrictions will be in place: **Between the hours 14:00 until 22:00: Foyle Street**, Full Road Closure, from its junction with Orchard Street / Water Street to its junction with Whittaker Street. **Between the hours 00:00 until 24:00: Magazine Street Upper**, Full Road Closure, from its junction with Butcher Street; **Palace Street** (Society Street), Full Road Closure, from its junction with Bishop Street Within; **Between 12:00 midday until 22:00 hours: Strand Road** (William Street), Restricted access subject to controls, from its junction with Sackville Street.
3. On **28th, 29th, 30th & 31st October & 1st November 2025** the following restrictions will be in place: **Between the hours 00:00 until 24:00 hours: London Street** (Pump Street), Full Road Closure, from its junction with Bishop Street Within to its junction with Pump Street.
4. On **27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st October and 1st November 2025** the following restrictions will be in place: **Between the hours 00:00 until 24:00 hours: Shipquay Place**, commonly known as "Guildhall Square", Full Road Closure, from its junction with Custom House Street / Waterloo Place; **Custom House Street** (Waterloo Place), Controlled access prior to 11:00 daily, from its junction with Queen's Quay; **Queen's Quay**, from its junction with Custom House Street, restricted access for accessible carparking in Victoria Market Car Park.
5. On **31st October 2025** the following restrictions will be in place: **Between the hours 16:00 until 22:00 hours: Strand Road**, Lane Closure, from junction with Fletcher Avenue to the junction with Queens Quay Roundabout.

Local diversion routes will be in operation and signposted in accordance with Traffic Management Plans prepared specifically for this event. Other statutory traffic provisions relating to the above roads will be temporarily suspended on the above dates during the times of the road closures. "No parking" enforcement will be in place in the following streets: On 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st October, between 06:00 – 24:00 midnight: Shipquay Street, Shipquay Place, Whittaker Street, Bank Place, Union Hall Place, Magazine Street, Magazine Street Upper, The Diamond, Bishop Street, Society Street, Artillery Street, Fountain Street, The Fountain, Hawkin Street, Kennedy Place; and on 31st October, between 06:00 – 22:00 hours: Boating Club Lane.

Copies of the application may, by arrangement, be inspected free of charge at Council offices at 98 Strand Road, Derry, BT48 7NN and 47 Derry Road Strabane, BT82 8DY or viewed online at <https://www.derrystrabane.com/business/business-licencing-and-permits/road-closures/applications-received>.

Persons wishing to make representations to the Council regarding the proposal may make representations in writing at the address below or by e-mailing licensing@derrystrabane.com by 5pm on **Tuesday 21 October 2025**. Representations received after this will not be considered.

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