
Report To:	THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL	Date: 8 October 2009
Report By:	CORPORATE DIRECTOR REGENERATION AND RESOURCES	Report No: LA/429/09
Contact Officer:	AUDREY WARMISHAM	Contact No: 01475 712118
Subject:	PROPOSED TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER – BELHAVEN STREET BRIDGE, PORT GLASGOW (7.5 TONNE WEIGHT RESTRICTION REVOCATION) ORDER 2009	

1.0 PURPOSE

- 1.1 Local Authorities are empowered to make Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 and under the Council's Scheme of Administration the Head of Environmental Services is responsible for the making, implementation and review of Traffic Management Orders and Traffic Regulation Orders.

2.0 BACKGROUND

- 2.1 At the meeting of The Inverclyde Council held on 28 March 2002, the Council agreed to make the Traffic Regulation Order - Belhaven Street Bridge, Port Glasgow (7.5 Tonne Weight Restriction) Order 2002.
- 2.2 The bridge has been replaced with a new structure and the 7.5 Tonne weight restriction is no longer necessary. Accordingly, it is proposed to revoke the Traffic Regulation Order which imposes the restriction.
- 2.3 The Safe, Sustainable Communities Committee, at the meeting held on 1 September 2009, agreed that The Inverclyde Council be asked to make a Traffic Regulation Order to revoke the 7.5 tonne weight restriction on Belhaven Street Bridge, Port Glasgow in terms of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 and associated Regulations.
- 2.4 The proposals have been advertised and no objections have been received

3.0 RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 That a Resolution is made in the following terms.
- 3.2 THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL, incorporated under the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994, RESOLVE TO MAKE as they HEREBY MAKE a Resolution under Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to permit revocation of the 7.5 tonne weight restriction on Belhaven Street Bridge, Port Glasgow all as detailed in a copy of the Order forming a supplement to the principal minute hereof, and that the Head of Environmental Services and Head of Legal & Administration be authorised to take all necessary action in connection therewith.

Appendix

THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL

**BELHAVEN STREET BRIDGE, PORT GLASGOW
(7.5 TONNE WEIGHT RESTRICTION
REVOCATION) ORDER 2009**

TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER

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**BELHAVEN STREET BRIDGE, PORT GLASGOW
(7.5 TONNE WEIGHT RESTRICTION REVOCATION) ORDER 2009**

The Inverclyde Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Constable of Strathclyde Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act hereby make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as "The Inverclyde Council Belhaven Street Bridge, Port Glasgow (7.5 Tonne Weight Restriction Revocation) Order 2009" and shall come into operation on 22 November 2009.
2. The Order specified in the Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Common Seal of The Inverclyde Council and subscribed for them on their behalf by

SCHEDULE

BELHAVEN STREET BRIDGE, PORT GLASGOW WEIGHT RESTRICTION REVOCATION

Order to be revoked

“THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL, BELHAVEN STREET BRIDGE, PORT GLASGOW
(7.5 TONNE WEIGHT RESTRICTION) ORDER 2002”

THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL

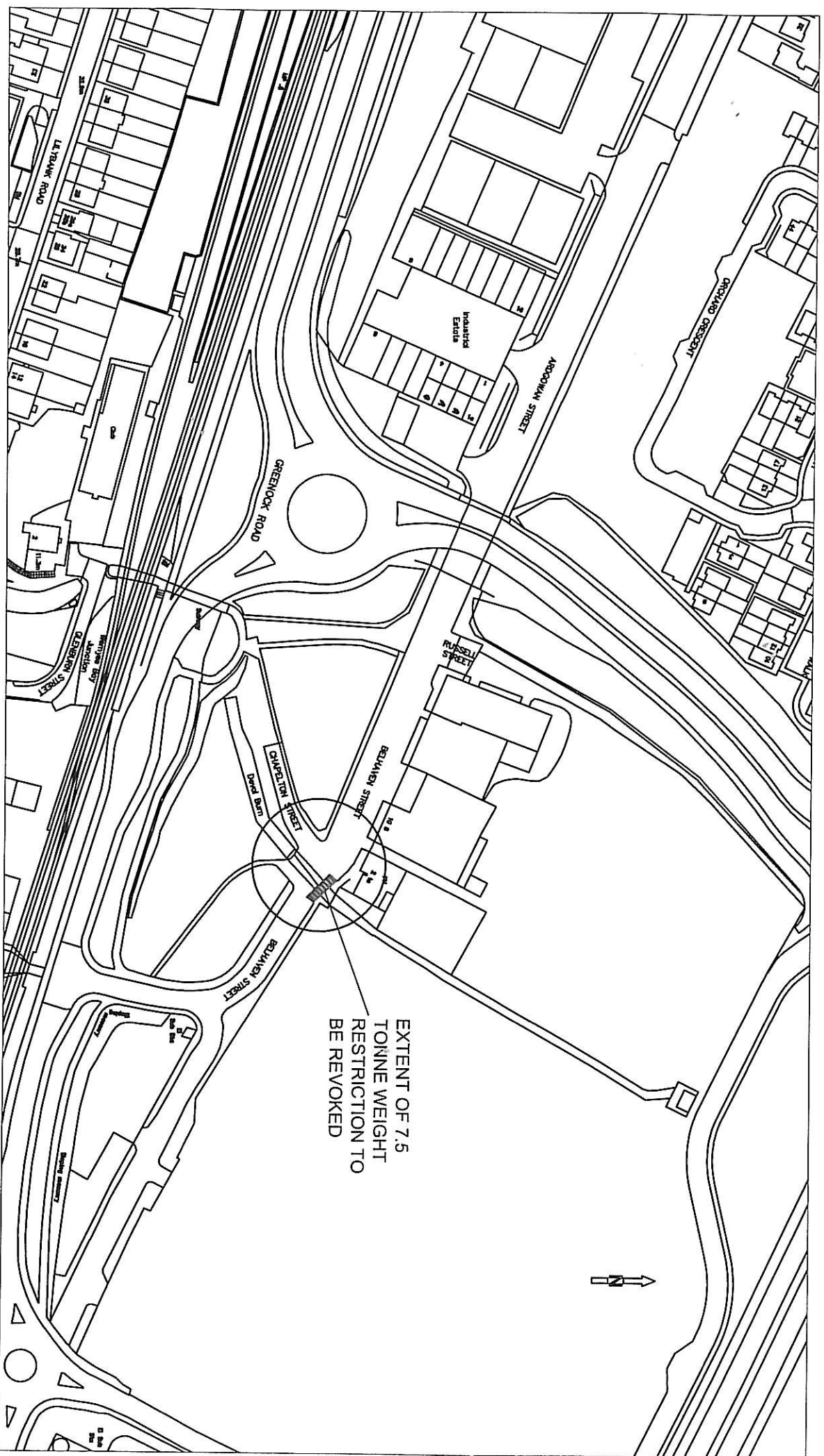
**BELHAVEN STREET BRIDGE, PORT GLASGOW
WEIGHT RESTRICTION REVOCATION**

**Statement of Reasons for Proposing to Make
the Above Order**

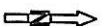
It is considered that the existing weight restriction Order is no longer necessary.

Inverclyde council

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EXTENT OF 7.5
TONNE WEIGHT
RESTRICTION TO
BE REVOKED



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