

Final Notification and Schedule

Notification under section 49 of the Communications Act 2003

Decision by Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council in response to a proposal by British Telecommunications plc for the removal of public call boxes pursuant to Part 2 of the Schedule to a Direction published by Ofcom on 14 March 2006 ('the Direction').

1. On 28 May 2021 Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council in accordance with section 49(4) of the Communications Act 2003 ('the Act'), issued a notification setting out its draft decision in response to a proposal by British Telecommunications plc for the removal of public call boxes pursuant to Part 2 of the Direction ('the First Notification').

2. A copy of the First Notification was sent to the Secretary of State in accordance with section 50(1)(b) of the Act.

3. In the First Notification, Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council invited representations about the draft decision by 5 pm on 28 June 2021

4. Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council has considered every representation duly made to it and Ofcom has not notified Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council of any international obligation of the United Kingdom for this purpose.

5. The decision is set out in the Schedule to this Notification.

6. The effect of, and Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council reasons for making, the decision is set out in the Schedule to this Notification.

7. Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council consider that the decision complies with the requirements of sections 45 to 50 of the Act, as appropriate and relevant to the proposals.

8. In making the decision, Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council has considered and acted in accordance with the six community requirements in section 4 of the Act.

9. A copy of this Notification has been sent to the Secretary of State in accordance with section 50(1)(b) of the Act.

10. The Schedule to this Notification shall form part of this Notification.

Schedule

Decision by Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council in response to a proposal by British Telecommunications plc for the removal of public call boxes pursuant to Part 2 of the Schedule to a Direction published by Ofcom on 14 March 2006 ('the Direction').

	Telephone Number	Location	Decision (Agree/Object/Adopt)	Reasons
1	01709812838	JCN HIGH STREET PCO1 MUGLET LANE MALTBY ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months, area of highways injury incident concern, Ward Member and two public objections
2	01709815052	O/S NATUREWORLD PCO1 HIGH STREET MALTBY ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months, area of highways injury incident concern, Ward Member and one public objection
3	01909770313	JCN UNION STREET PCO1 WOODALL LANE HARTHILL SHEFFIELD	Agree	No objection was raised
4	01909770316	JCN ALMOND TREE ROAD PCO1 SCHOOL ROAD WALES SHEFFIELD	Agree	No objection was raised
5	01709365460	PCO PCO1 SHEFFIELD ROAD ROTHERHAM	Agree	No objection was raised
6	01709372150	JCN NORRELS CROFT PCO1 BROOM VALLEY ROAD ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months although one public response supported closure
7	01709700841	JCN BRECKS LANE PCO1 WICKERSLEY ROAD ROTHERHAM	Agree	No objection was raised.
8	01709560001	JCN CHURCH ST PCO1 MEADOWHALL ROAD ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months
9	01709560080	OPP JCN DROPPINGWELL RD PCO1 UPPER WORTLEY ROAD ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months
10	01709551308	NR JCN LAPWATER RD PCO1 OCHRE DIKE WALK ROTHERHAM	Agree	Although 52 or more calls in 12 months, Ward Members and the Police supported removal on grounds of anti-social behaviour
11	01709551178	JCN ROBINETS RD PCO1 WINGFIELD ROAD ROTHERHAM	Agree	Although 52 or more calls in 12 months, Ward Members and the Police supported removal on grounds of anti-social behaviour

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12	01709551402	NR JCN OCHRE DYKE WALK PCO1 GOODWIN WAY ROTHERHAM	Agree	Although 52 or more calls in 12 months, Ward Members and the Police supported removal on grounds of anti-social behaviour
13	01709522682	JCN GREASBROUGH RD PCO1 BROAD STREET PARKGATE ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months
14	01709522608	JCN WILLOWGARTH PCO1 CLAYPIT LANE RAWMARSH ROTHERHAM	Agree	No objection was raised
15	01709872077	JCN QUARRY HILL RD PCO1 WATH WOOD ROAD WATH-UPON-DEARNE ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months
16	01709872471	JCN CEMETERY RD PCO1 GRANGE ROAD WATH-UPON-DEARNE ROTHERHAM	Agree	No objection was raised
17	01709875028	O/S NO 10 PCO1 SANDYGATE WATH- UPON-DEARNE ROTHERHAM	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months
18	01709583455	JCN QUEEN ST PCO1 BOWER ROAD SWINTON MEXBOROUGH	Object	52 or more calls in 12 months