

16<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Clerk  
Thatcham Town Council

**Environment**

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Dear Clerk,

**Planned Line Marking Works, Thatcham**

I write to advise you of the installation of the following bus stop improvements along the bus route corridor in Thatcham;

- Installation of bus stop clearways (standard size of 12 metres).
- Installation of “No stopping except buses” signs

The purpose of bus stop clearways are to ensure local bus services can safely and easily pull up to and away from designated bus stops.

These improvements will be carried out on the stops identified overleaf.

These works will take place entirely on the Highway. The line marking work is programmed for October 2024 as part of a wider package of works. Every effort will be made to ensure that driveways and other accesses remain available while these works are carried out.

These measures follows correspondence with Newbury & District Bus Company, the Council’s Traffic and Road Safety Officer, Thames Valley Police, District Ward Members.

If you have any comments, please would you let me know by 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

Yours sincerely

*Hallan Lyster*

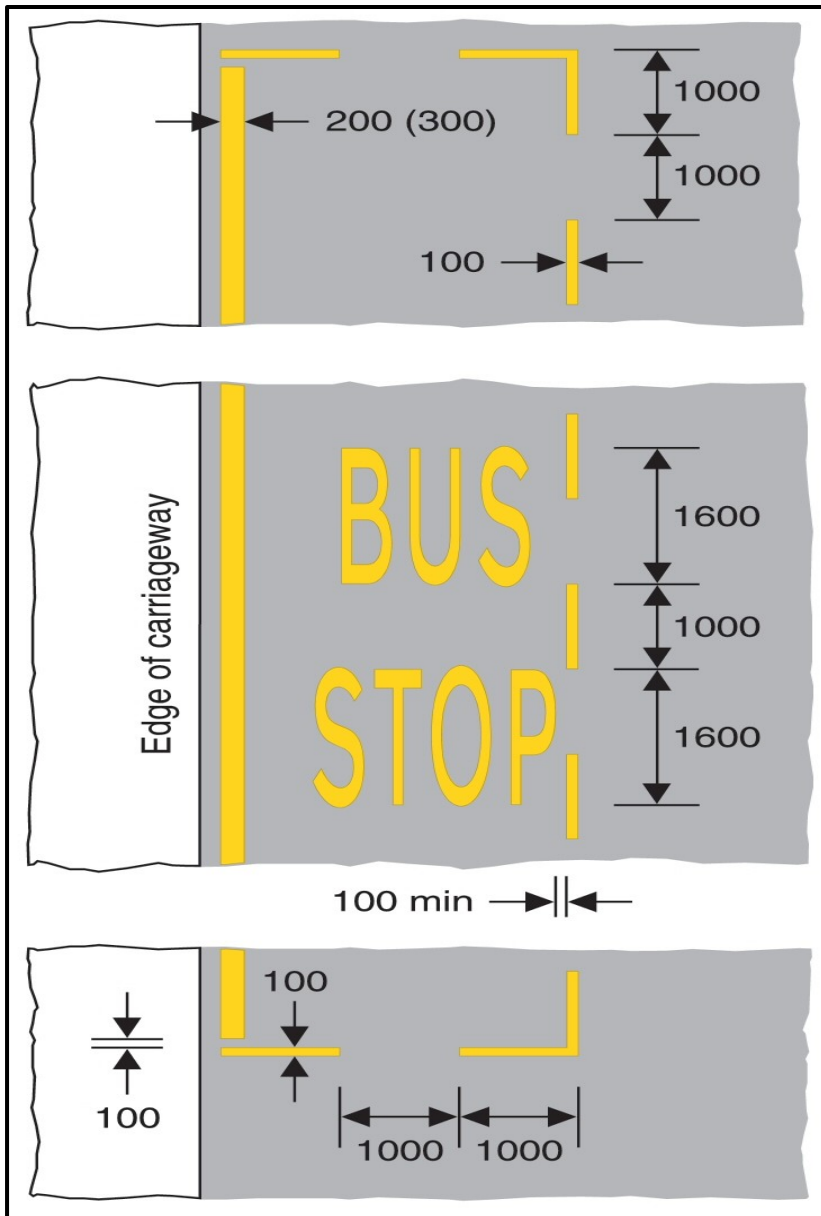
**Hallan Lyster  
Transport Services Team**

A letter of correspondence will be sent to residents in the vicinity of these bus stops locations.

## List of Individual Bus Stops Identified for Clearway Markings and No stop signs required

	Location	Bus Stops	Eastbound		Westbound	
		Names	Road Markings	Signs	Road Markings	Signs
1	Sagecroft Road	Northway	New Clearway	New Sign	New Clearway	New Sign
2		Lamb Close	New Clearway	New Sign	New Clearway	New Sign
3		Hardy Close	New Clearway	New Sign	-	-
4		Dryden Close	New Clearway	New Sign	New Clearway	New Sign
5	Park Avenue	Thatcham Park School	New Clearway	New Sign	New Clearway	New Sign
6		Vincent Road	New Clearway	New Sign	New Clearway	New Sign
7	Station Road	Victor Road	New Clearway	New Sign	New Clearway	New Sign
8		Oak Tree Road (SB)	New Clearway	New Sign	-	-

# Illustration of Bus Stop Clearway Marking and No stopping except buses sign



Source: The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions, Diagram 1025.1

