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Subject: Mid Sussex District Council Consultation - Extension Of Car Cruising Public Space Protection Order

Dear Partners

Consultation – ASB Car Cruising PSPO Extension

Start Date: 5 January 2026

End Date: 2 February 2026

Mid Sussex District Council is consulting on extending the existing Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO), in Burgess Hill, A2300 & Jobs Lane and Birches Industrial Estate in East Grinstead, West Sussex. To tackle the anti-social use of vehicle activity, also known as car cruising.

This extension shall come into operation on 1st April 2026 and shall have an effect for 3 years thereafter.

Public Spaces Protection Orders are made under Section 59-75 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014. [Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014](#)

Car Cruising is defined as two or more motor vehicles (including motor bikes) being on a highway or a public place, where any such vehicle or occupant of a vehicle performs any of the prohibited activities.

The “Prohibited Activities” are:

- causing danger or risk of injury to road users (including pedestrians) by speeding or racing;
- causing damage or risk of damage to property;
- speeding or racing;
- performing stunts (including but not limited to performing a doughnuts maneuver drifting, skidding, handbrake turns, wheel spinning);
- sounding horns or playing loud music so as to cause a nuisance;
- revving of engines so as to cause a nuisance;
- using foul or abusive language;
- using threatening, intimidating or anti-social behaviour; or
- causing obstruction on a public highway or publicly accessible place (whether moving or stationary)

Offence

A person who without reasonable excuse:

- Participates in Car Cruising or any activity prohibited by this Order; or
- promotes, organises or publicises Car Cruising (including but not limited to via email, the internet, social media, or via any publication or broadcast medium) to take place; or
- attends any meeting either as a vehicle owner, driver, passenger or spectator where a reasonable person would consider that Car Cruising was or is taking place on Land to which this Order applies commits an offence.

A PSPO is an enforceable form of bylaw with Fixed Penalty Notice Powers.

Consultation Request

Consultation and draft Order, including the areas proposed under the Order can be found here.

[Consultations - Mid Sussex District Council](#)

Direct link to the Consultation [Anti-Social Use of Vehicles - PSPO Public and Businesses Consultation](#)

Please complete the consultation and share it with any relevant partners who may be supported or impacted by this PSPO before the deadline above.

Any comments about the Consultation can be provided by e mail:

pspo@midsussex.gov.uk

Or by post to:

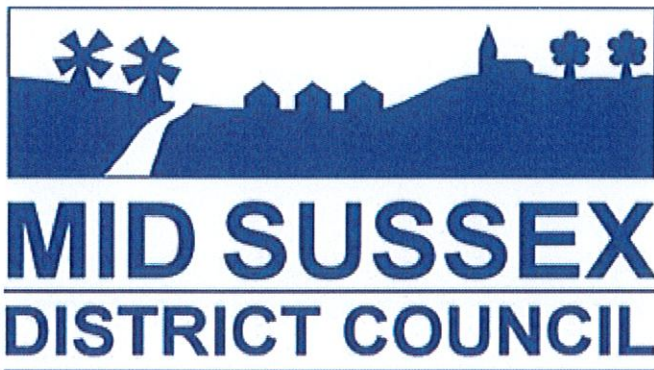
Community Safety Team
Mid Sussex District Council
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All responses will be acknowledged but will not receive an individual reply.

Kind Regards

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Name & Contact Details

First Name

Last Name

Email Address

Confirm Email Address

Telephone Number

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Q1. Please indicate if you live in any of the following neighbourhood wards? *

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Bolney

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Burgess Hill, Dunstall

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Burgess Hill, Franklands

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Burgess Hill, Leylands

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Burgess Hill, Meeds

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Burgess Hill, St Andrews

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Burgess Hill, Victoria

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East Grinstead, Imberhorne

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Hurstpierpoint and Sayers Common

☐

Twineham

☐

Other

Q2. In the past three years, have you experienced or been affected by anti-social use of vehicles in the areas indicated on the plans? *

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Yes

☐

No

If "Yes", please describe the impact on you or your community? *

You can enter up to **5000** characters

Q3. Do you support an extension of the existing PSPO to ban the anti-social use of vehicles in Burgess Hill? *

☐ **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐ **Don't Know** ☐ **Not Applicable**

Q4. Do you support an extension to the existing PSPO to ban the anti-social use of vehicles on the A2300 and Jobs Lane? *

☐ **Yes** ☐ **NO** ☐ **Don't Know** ☐ **Not Applicable**

If "No" or "Don't know" please explain your reasons why? *

You can enter up to **5000** characters

Q5. Do you support an extension to the existing PSPO to ban the anti-social use of vehicles on the Birches Lane Industrial Estate in East Grinstead? *

☐

Yes

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No

☐

Don't

Know

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Not

Applicable

If "No" or "Don't know" please explain your reasons why? *

You can enter up to **5000** characters

Q6. Please use the space below to add any further comments or information that you feel may be relevant?

You can enter up to **5000** characters

Declaration

First Name*

Last Name*

Email Address*

Confirm Email Address*

Phone Number

Address Lookup

Postcode

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🔗 Please enter a full postcode, including any spaces. For example "RH16 1SS" instead of "RH161SS". If your address is not returned, please check whether your postcode is in the District of Mid Sussex here: <https://www.gov.uk/find-local-council>.
(<https://www.gov.uk/find-local-council>.)

Street Address *

Street Address Line 2

Town/Village *

County *

Postcode *

i I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information in this application form is true and correct.
I understand that you may ask for additional information at any stage.

Signed by*

Date*

Your Data

Please note that the Council will comply with the applicable parts of the Data Protection Act 1998 and the UK General Data Protection Regulation. Information provided may be used as evidence in court. Personal details will be redacted where necessary to protect your privacy.

Your contribution is valuable in ensuring that the concerns and experiences of everyone involved are considered and documented, and your evidence will help inform decisions about how future protests are handled.

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