

**CITY OF COVENTRY (BUSH CLOSE, LODER CLOSE, SHEPHERD CLOSE AND
JARDINE CRESCENT)
(20MPH ZONE) (EXPERIMENTAL) ORDER 2026**

The Council of the City of Coventry ("the Council"), in exercise of their powers under Sections 9 and 10, 84 and Parts III IV and VI of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") (as amended) and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act, hereby make the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on the **16th day of April 2026** (for a period not exceeding 18 months) and may be cited as the "City of Coventry (Bush Close, Loder Close, Shepherd Close and Jardine Crescent) (20mph Zone) (Experimental) Order 2026".

2 (i) In this Order:-

(a) a reference to an Article followed by a number is a reference to the Article of this number so numbered;

(b) the following expressions shall have the meanings assigned to them:-

"2016 Regulations" means the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016 and includes any enactment or re-enactment or amendment thereto;

"cause" includes permit and causing shall be construed accordingly

"enactment" means any enactment, whether public general or local and includes any order, byelaw, rule, regulation, scheme or other instrument having effect by virtue of an enactment and any reference in this Order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment;

"pedal cycle" has the same meaning as in Schedule 1 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016;

"road" shall have the same meaning ascribed to it by Section 142 of the Act

- i) "vehicle" means a mechanically and/or electrically propelled vehicle intended or adapted for use on the Road; and/or
- ii) a pedal cycle in actual use for the purpose of cycling

"vehicle" which for the avoidance of doubt includes the whole or any part of a vehicle.

(i) The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament

(ii) Reference to any Statutory Instrument, Act, Regulations or Order referred to in this Order shall be read and construed as the Statutory Instrument, Act, Regulations or Order as amended, varied, re-enacted or revoked.

3. Save as provided in Article 4 of this Order, no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to be ridden or driven at a speed exceeding twenty miles per hour on the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order.
4. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall apply to any vehicle being used for Police, Fire or Ambulance purposes in circumstances of emergency.
5. The Council's Director of Regeneration and Economy, or such other officer as the Council may from time to time designate may modify any provision of this Order or suspend and/or revoke the operation of this Order or any part of it where it appears necessary to do so:-
 - a) In the interest of the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of traffic,
 - b) For preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which any road affected by the Order runs.
6. The restrictions, prohibitions and requirements imposed by this Order shall be read and construed as not being in derogation of any restriction, prohibition or requirement imposed by any other enactment and any exception or exemption to the provisions of this Order is without prejudice to the provisions of any other enactment.

SCHEDULE

Road in the City of Coventry	Extents
Bush Close	Entire Length
Loder Close	Entire Length
Shepherd Close	Entire Length
Jardine Crescent	From a point approximately 25 metres south of its junction with Broad Lane to a point approximately 40 metres south its junction with Shepherd Close.

The Common Seal of THE COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF COVENTRY was hereunto
Affixed on 9th day of April 2026 in
the presence of:

Authorised Signatory