



NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH STREET SIGNS Avon & Somerset



REGULATIONS

1. The Scheme is registered with the Home Office funded NHNW (OurWatch.org) for Public Liability Insurance cover.
2. The Scheme is registered with the Avon and Somerset Constabulary.
3. The Scheme, indemnifies the approving authority or organization against all claims and damage arising from the presence of the NW Street Signs, howsoever caused.
4. The Scheme lodges with the approving authority or organization Ordinance Survey extract plans indicating the locations of all site proposals for the NW Street Signs.
5. The Scheme undertakes to maintain NW Street Signs in a serviceable condition and repair / replace / remove any Sign(s) upon instruction of the approving authority or organization.
6. The approving authority or organization accepts no responsibility for any loss / damage / defacement to any Sign which may occur before / during / after undertaking its maintenance function.
7. The approving authority or organization may remove the NW Street Sign(s) at any time, where the space occupied by the sign or the total area of attached equipment exceeds the safety factor of the pole/column to which that Sign is attached. OR the space is required to erect other signage, determined by the approving authority or organization.
8. The approving authority or organization may revoke its consent, for the erection of the Plate/s.

NW Watch Street Signs

1. The Signs shall be **no greater than 0.135 Square Metres** (450 mm deep x 300 mm wide), and shall conform to an agreed format.
2. The construction of the Sign shall be of a suitable plastic or grey backed aluminium material.
3. The Sign shall be at a **minimum height of 2.2 Metres (7' 0")** (underside of sign) above ground level.
4. The Sign shall be fixed along the vertical centre i.e. not offset; and shall not protrude into the width of the carriageway.
5. The Sign shall be securely fitted to the lighting column using plastic cable ties, 2 No. stainless steel or plastic coated steel clamps in a manner as to prevent damage to the pole/column or its associated paintwork. The approving authority or organization on a rechargeable basis shall remedy any defect in paintwork or other damage.
6. No signs should be fixed to poles/posts which already incorporates any other sign or attachment.
7. Should there be a change to the identity of the NW Co-ordinator, the approving authority or organization shall be notified in writing by relating the information outlined above in full, together with the nominated Date of Change.
8. Cessation of a Neighbourhood Watch Scheme will automatically revoke the Highway Authority's permission for the display of the Sign(s) on the pole/post(s) the approving authority or organization shall be notified in writing of the date of cessation, and the signs removed. If the signs are not removed within one calendar month of cessation an agent will be authorised to remove them, by the approving authority or organization, on a rechargeable basis.

