

## **SPECIFIC FUNCTIONS**

### **HIGHWAYS FUNCTIONS**

	<b>FUNCTION</b>	<b>EXERCISED BY</b>
(1)	Issue of permits to enable vehicles to enter the pedestrianised area of the town centre	Cabinet/ Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(2)	Temporary access permits – The Guildhall	Cabinet/ Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(3)	Granting of consent with conditions for the staging of exhibitions etc. in Newcastle town centre	Cabinet/ Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(4)	Granting of consent to use land held for market purposes for public meetings etc. (Staffordshire Act 1983)	Cabinet/ Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(5)	Provision of amenities etc. in pedestrianised areas (Highways Act 1980)	Cabinet/ Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(6)	To exercise the Council's powers in relation to pedal cycles in pedestrianised areas (Staffordshire Act 1983)	Cabinet
(7)	To exercise the Council's powers in relation to the Cycle Tracks Act 1984	Cabinet/ Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(8)	Granting of consent with conditions for the erection of banners in streets	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(9)	To issue consents for the erection of flagpoles etc. and other displays in the highway (Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(10)	Numbering and re-numbering of properties (Staffordshire Act 1983, Section 4)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(11)	Street trading matters (Sch.4, Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982)	Public Protection Cttee
	Issue of consents or licences under the above	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(12)	Sales from roadside stalls or vehicles on laybys etc. (Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, Section 23)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)

(13)	Temporary closure of streets to traffic for special occasions and Orders as necessary relating to sites not forming part of the highway (Christmas celebrations etc.) (Town Police Clauses Act 1847, Section 21)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(14)	Temporary stopping-up of streets under Road Traffic Acts legislation	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(15)	Affixing of traffic signs to walls (Staffordshire Act 1983, Section 5)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(16)	To provide protection to the public from dangerous excavations on private land to which the public has access (Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976, Sections 25 and 26)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development) after consultation with a Cabinet member
(17)	Approvals (including conditions), but not refusals to erect buildings over sewers	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(18)	Service of notices for the construction of sewers in or on private land	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(19)	Service of sewer adoption notices	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(20)	Dangerous or defective buildings/structures, demolition etc. under Sections 76-79 of the Building Act 1984	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development) / Head of Housing and all Environmental Health Officers, Enforcement Officers and appropriately qualified technical staff
(21)	Applications for deemed planning permission for development	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(22)	Employment of mining consultants to report on any particular site or project	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(23)	Matters relating to bus services and bus fares	Cabinet
(24)	Acts, Byelaws and Regulations appertaining to highways functions	Public Protection Committee
(25)	Naming and alteration of names of streets (Public Health Act 1925, Sections 17 and 18)	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(26)	Statutory duty to serve notice of intended works on adjoining owners under the Party Wall etc. Act 1996	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)
(27)	To exercise all powers and duties in connection with decriminalised parking enforcement	Executive Director (Regeneration and Development)