

WHITE BAR MARKINGS

Request for Approval

What is a White Bar Marking?

A white bar marking is a line of white paint that is painted across the length of a vehicular or pedestrian crossover. The purpose of a White Bar Marking is to indicate the presence of a crossover to motorists wishing to park their vehicles in any particular area.

Can someone be removed or issued with a parking ticket if they park on the White Bar Marking?

A white bar marking is only intended as a polite notice to motorists requesting that they do not park in a manner that obstructs or partially obstructs access to and from a property.

Plymouth City Council cannot move on, ticket or prosecute anyone parked on the marking.

The Police can take action against someone blocking your driveway, but only if a vehicle is blocked in whilst parked on the driveway. The existence of the white bar marking would assist the Police in making a prosecution. Obstruction of a driveway can be reported to the Police on Tel. 08452 777444.

Who is responsible for maintaining the markings?

You are responsible for the cost of maintaining the marking.

Are there any reasons you may refuse my application?

We will refuse your application if:

- The white line conflicts with any other road markings, such as double yellow lines.
- If there is a resident parking bay in the same location as your requested white line.

Do I need to make any preparations before the work can be carried out?

You are responsible for the area being clear of any vehicles when the work is being carried out.

We will ensure the surface is clear of dirt and debris.

Will the marking eliminate the problems I am having?

The Council can offer no guarantee that the existence of a White Bar Marking will reduce or eliminate vehicles blocking a particular access. Markings can generally be effective, but success is largely dependent upon the attitude of the motorist.

How do I apply for a White Bar Marking and how much does it cost?

To apply you need to complete this form and return to: Plymouth Highways, Windsor House, Tavistock Road, Plymouth, PL6 5UF. The cost of providing a White Bar Marking is £180.00.

If you wish to discuss White Bar Markings further please contact Plymouth Highways on Tel. 668000.

PROPERTY HOLDER APPLICATION FOR WHITE BAR MARKING

Your Details:

Title:	
First Name:	
Last Name:	
Contact Number:	
House Number/ Name:	
Street:	
Town:	
Post Code:	
Email Address:	

Location of White Lines: (If different to above)

House Number/ Name:	
Street:	
Town:	
Post Code:	

Line Marking:

Type of Line: (New Line / Remarking Existing)	
Type of Driveway: (Single / Double)	

In the space below, provide a sketch of the location of the markings required, including measurements:

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Declaration:

- I am the owner / occupier of the property above.
- I understand the £180.00 fee is non-refundable should this application not be approved.
- I understand that I am responsible for the future maintenance of the White Bar Marking outside of my property.
- I have made payment by (Please Tick): Enclosed Cheque Debit/Credit Card

Applicant Signature:	
Date:	

If your application is approved you will be contacted by telephone or email to make the required payment. Alternatively enclose a cheque made payable to 'Plymouth City Council'.

THIS FORM WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU IF INCOMPLETE.