

**APPLICATION FORM
ANNUAL PERMIT – CHARITY
FOR HIGH STREET CAR PARK, GALASHIELS**

Cost: **Free to unpaid volunteers**

Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS

Vehicle
Registration Mark:

Make/Model:

Colour:

Existing Permit No:

Length of vehicle:

Please tick if appropriate:

Annual Renewal

New/Lost/Replacement

Full name

Address

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Post Code

Telephone Number

I hereby agree to abide by the Conditions of Use as specified as well as the terms of the current Traffic Regulation Orders.

Signature

Date

Documents required: - Please enclose on Charities official letterhead: Charity worker's name and address, confirmation that they are an unpaid volunteer with the organisation and your registered charity number.

Please send this application form to: **Scottish Borders Council, The Parking Control Office, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells, MELROSE, TD6 0SA**

Permits will be issued by post to the applicant's address. Please allow 7 working days for delivery.

THE SCHEME

Holders of Charity Permits for High Street, Galashiels will be required to purchase a machine ticket when using any other pay and display car parks in the Scottish Borders.

Charity Permits are only free to unpaid volunteers and are specific to certain car parks. i.e. charities on the High Street in Galashiels are allocated permits for the **HIGH STREET car park only**.

Please note

In terms of the Traffic Regulation Order; invalid carriages, solo motorcycles and vehicles displaying a valid disabled parking badge are already exempt from charges in car parks to which this scheme applies.

CONDITIONS OF USE

Annual High Street car park Charity Permit

1. New/Annual Renewal: The Permit is valid for a 12 month period from the date of issue and Permit holders are responsible for the annual renewal.

3. Completed application forms and proof of charitable status to be presented at the time of the application. (Please use a valid Machine Ticket until you receive your new Permit.)

4. Permits are only available for motor cars, goods vehicles not exceeding 3.5 tonnes maximum gross weight and vehicles for 13 passengers or less (including driver).

Please note that unless the vehicle can be parked so that every part of it is within the limits of an appropriately marked space you will not qualify for a Charity Permit. Please note car parking spaces are 5 metres in length and 2.5 metres wide.

5. When the Permit is in use, it must be clearly displayed on the inside surface of the **front** windscreen, so that it can easily be seen from the front of the vehicle at all times.

6. Replacement: The Permit can only be replaced in the case of loss, destruction, defacing or through a change of vehicle. Please return the old Permit with your application form (unless in the case of annual renewal). Please use a valid Machine Ticket until you receive your replacement Permit.

7. Any contravention of the conditions of the Traffic Regulation Orders (which are available for inspection during working hours at: Parking Control Office, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells, Melrose, TD6 0SA) will render the Permit invalid.

8. The issue of a Permit does not guarantee availability of a parking space, but will exempt the vehicle from the time restriction within the car parks for which the Permit has been issued.

You can get this document on tape, in large print, and various other formats by contacting us at the address below. In addition, contact the address below for information on language translations, additional copies, or to arrange for an officer to meet with you to explain any areas of the publication that you would like clarified.

Contact – Parking Supervisor, Parking Control Office, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells, Melrose, TD6 0SA Tel. No. 01835 825165 or our Customer Advice and Support Service on 0300 100 1800

For Official Use Only

Permit No: _____

Expiry date: _____

Date Sent: _____

Data Controller

The information you have provided will be processed by Scottish Borders Council, Newtown St Boswells, TD6 OSA. You can contact the Council on 0300 100 1800 or customerservices@scotborders.gov.uk.

Data Protection Officer

You can contact the Council's Data Protection Officer using the contact details above or by email at dataprotection@scotborders.gov.uk

How we will use your information

We will use your information to process your application for a parking permit under the Scottish Borders Council's Off-Street Traffic Regulation Order made under Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

This information will be retained by the Council for a maximum of one year or for the length of time that the permit is valid, whichever is longer.

Who we may share your information with

Your data will not be shared with any other organisation or department but may be analysed internally in order to provide management information, inform service delivery reform and similar purposes to meet our duty to achieve best value and continuous service improvement.

Your rights

For information on the rights you have over your personal data, please visit our website <http://www.scotborders.gov.uk/DPYourRights> or if you would like to receive a hard copy of this information, please contact us using the contact details provided above.

If you have any concerns with the way we handle your personal data, you should contact our Data Protection Officer to raise a complaint

in the first instance. If you are unhappy with our response to your complaint, you are entitled to raise your concerns with the regulator of data protection: UK Information Commissioner (ICO). You can contact their office by writing to: UK Information Commissioner's Office (ICO), 45 Melville Street, Edinburgh, EH3 7HL. By phone 0131 244 9001 or by email: scotland@ico.org.uk.

You can find out more information on data protection on the Information Commissioner's Office [website](#).