

Begging - Responses from organisations:

1. Agree it is a necessary requirement, frequently used
2. LACK OF ENFORCMENT IN AREA
3. This is still prevalent on St Sepulchre Gate where we are based.
4. This is a recurring problem within the city. Walking about on a daily basis one is constantly asked for money. There is an ebb and flow to the problem with a small core of repeat offenders.
5. People begging can be intimidating
6. More enforcement needed as beggars are rife around the street especially in the NCP car park on east Laith gate as they generally stay all day bothering our customers for change next to the parking meter.
7. this needs to enforced more stricly
8. This is still active behaviour in the town centre.
9. I observe transgressions myself and I rarely go into town so I definitely don't want the prohibition relaxing. My children and their friends go into town to and I wish them to be safe
10. Begging is an ongoing problem and is very unpopular with the public as it can be intimidating. The Town centre staff try there best it is still a major problem, happening everyday, with the same people. A stronger police presence would help.
11. We are loosing buissness through this
12. I am approached everyday by numerous individuals begging for money.
13. Currently this is still happening and not being stopped via the PSPO
14. I see this as a major disincentive for people using the town centre. I am not aware of the statistics but using the town centre on a regular basis my personal experience is that I am asked more than once on nearly every visit.
15. The prohibition allows for the monitoring and enforcement of such activities which have a negative impact on the overall experience that residents, shoppers, visitors have to the CC.
16. "The existing notice works well and is an essential tool for protecting retailers and ensuring customer have the best possible experience of Doncaster City centre. We need to be able to control and minimise asb where possible in order to minimise the economical and environmental impact that some of these frequently witnessed behaviours have on the the centre.
17. Customers can feel intimidated in the streets outside due to this
18. There should be stricter prohibition.
19. Begging is bad. If people want to give money, they should do it through properly organised charities to prevent exploitation of the individuals who need money and to prevent criminals forcing people to beg.
20. People asking for money when in Lazarus Court area
21. We travel to Lloyds at Woodlands rather than to walk less than half a mile into the town centre
22. It needs banning all types of begging
23. More enforcement.
24. More needs to be done to reduce this as it is intimating and is often organised syndicates.
25. seems to be more and more asking for money , stresses visitors in the doncaster centre
26. They are everywhere in the city centre and nothing is done it makes me feel uncomfortable
27. We have alot outside in the market area and can be off putting to customers entering store .
28. people still beg all the time
29. Not enough visible security people to rectify the problem.
30. Its as bad if not worse relook at it.

Begging - Responses from individuals:

1. It is a constant nuisance walking through the city to be accosted by people begging.
2. Actually stop them doing it as no one enforces it that's why they are still there
3. Enforce it , I see city centre wardens chatting and socialising but never doing anything
4. Needs to be enforced further
5. It caused me distress because they wouldn't leave me alone once said no at train station or outside frenchgate near Sainsbury or McDonald
6. No problems with genuine people asking for money but not to help purchasing drugs/booze.
7. Regularly see beggars in the City centre
8. This allows beggars to be moved on
9. I've never really had a problem with it.
10. Fed up as asked on a daily for change
11. Too much of it
12. There should be more provision for these people so they don't have to beg.
13. This is still an issue. Often people are sat on the floor with the obvious purpose of begging.
14. It still happens every time I visit the town centre, on Tuesday this week a woman approached me, asked me 'if i wanted some business' then when I said no she proceeded to ask me for £2. Location wise, I've been asked for money outside the train station, near waterdale, on the high street/hallgate, near the market, outside the frenchgate.
15. This is still as bad as ever and very intimidating
16. Find being hassled a nuisance
17. As an elderly lady I find being constantly approached annoying and intimidating.
18. Please enforce. Never seen evidence of the enforcement of the PSPO
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
21. Annoying seeing the same Druggies congregating near the old TJ Hughes and those asking for money.
22. I prefer to make donations myself i dont like to be approached by strangers
23. It can be intimidating at times
24. Yes, fed up of it
25. That is what puts people off coming to town
26. Don't need to be asked every time I go in
27. There have been a lot of begging around Doncaster and I'm not sure if they are all homeless. Drug taking has also been visible with intimidation.
28. Sometimes when you are sat outside people ask for money
29. Embarrassing not o lay to e asked but to refuse can be embarrassing as well. Please remember people do not k ow your circumstances when requesting help you may be the one in need of help
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
31. "There are too many individuals in the city centre who seem to be 'begging' and also others who are just being a nuisance eg shouting at people.
32. The city centre does not feel a safe place.
33. Also although they are not a threat there are too many school children (in uniform) wandering around the Frenchgate Centre at all times of the day in groups - why are they not in school?"
[REDACTED]
35. This needs policing more robustly
36. Puts people off when going around Doncaster and makes you nervous
37. People have begged to me too

38. People begging have been a nuisance & occasionally aggressive. It has been better since the anti social behaviour order - PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE IT
39. People begging or otherwise vagrants are intimidating
40. I prefer to give tea or coffee and food, so offer this if not asked for anything. If asked for money I do not give anything
41. Still see beggars in town, need to keep prohibition and enforce more.
42. If it works well there is no reason to change it.
43. I've still seen people begging, even with the above.
44. Local people need to feel safe.

[REDACTED]

47. There has been a decrease in this but I've never encountered pushy people and I don't mind helping out someone in need
48. The city can feel very threatening and uncomfortable
49. Seems to be working - haven't really noticed anything recently
50. This needs to be enforced. Also I've noticed this year beggars out of the town centre: Bentley and baby lidl (daily) and Sainsbury's sprotbrough often. Also home bargains at centurion retail park and M&S Wheatley hall rd. This didn't use to be an issue.
51. In conjunction with this I would wish that people in genuine need are offered support.
52. This can be intimidating and has continued despite the order
53. Should all be sent elsewhere or given drug treatment
54. They can be intimidating.
55. Feels intimidating having to give an answer to the person as I'm not ignorant and don't want to be rude to them.
56. I agree with the PSPO in Doncaster but would love to see one that applied to our Open Spaces in Edenthorpe, which, when the Developers have built another 1,200 houses, will take away from us 😞 the enjoyment and well being of the residents of Edenthorpe living here.
57. Far too many down and out s begging in the streets
58. City centre appears to have real homelessness issue this needs addressing rather than leaving vulnerable people to beg
59. People are still asking for money, intimate people who are trying to shop
60. We don't need folk begging on the street
61. I find this type of behaviour unpleasant
62. There are far fewer of these types around now so please keep up the good work

[REDACTED]

65. With this should be services to check if people are in genuine need and if so offer suitable help.
66. If stopped the situation will simply revert to previous levels.
67. Most are people down on their luck thanks to doncaster councils homeless problem they do not bother people
68. I don't have an idea about this problem.
69. B & M car park particularly bad
70. The beggars are bad for the City and need removing. Appropriate support to those with drink, drug and mental illness issues.
71. Why if this is in place there are so many people asking for money and living in the street? Make this prohibition more effective.

72. I appreciate there are many reasons why people are struggling and need help but they can be intimidating and Doncaster seems to have more than it's fair share of people on the streets who can cause a nuisance and it puts you off visit shops and restaurants in town.
73. This needs actively enforcing. At the moment this seems not to be happening.
74. This behaviour does not enhance the market or centre
75. This people are offensive
76. I find people asking for money quite intimidating especially when I'm on my own.
77. It needs to be kept as it is at the very least.
78. It annoying and off putting and intimidating
79. I'd like to see less homeless on the streets and encourage our city's support in housing/ providing shelter.
80. It's scary and annoying
81. Not all beggars are genuine, I have in the past (when there sign says they're hungry or similar) offered to buy food for them and simply been rebuffed as all they want is money .
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
83. Too many charity shops all over the city. People begging left right and centre.
84. It seems to be working OK. Why change it?
85. It needs to be stronger
86. This should be kept and extended if necessary.
87. Enforce the prohibition and strengthen to stop unwelcome approaches and gathering of itinerants
88. Doncaster should be free and safe to all people and as a person who is 75 my safety is paramount to me and everyone else. It should be a welcoming city to one and all
89. Enforce it more.
90. no
91. To drop it would encourage more
92. Stop The Big Issue sellers standing at the entrance of shops, it feels so intimidating.
93. This is still an issue in the town centre.
94. The ones that pester need removing..some just sit quietly which is fine as its not intimidating
95. It's threatening behaviour
96. Still happens, despite prohibition. Concern that any money given could be used for drugs or alcohol
97. This is a huge issue and actually isn't acted upon enough, nor is it policed adequately.
98. Particular focus should be given to the train station area, and outside frenchgate
99. Some people feel threatened by some asking for money
- a. Let's stop begging in the centre. But enforce this ban not just a paper excise . The centre and the Railway are infested with them.
100. This is a good provision but it needs more enforcement.
101. I still see the same guy begging regularly in town centre though
102. Didn't know there was prohibition in place. Every day there are aggressive beggars.
103. I know a lot of homeless ask for money and more should be done to help them, however, giving them money isn't the answer.
104. More officers
105. I do not give money if pressured in town it's a nuisance and stressful if it's a beggar and does put me off shopping in town
106. The steps in place should continue. People need to be encouraged to seek help through official channels to give them long term support.
107. I FEEL THAT THIS TYPE OF ACTION CAN MAKE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC FEEL SCARED OR INTIMIDATED
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
109. Make it stricter enforcement

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
111. Licenced buskers to enhance the shopping experience is a treat and should be encouraged.
 112. keep the prohibition in place and increase staff with ability to move on people asking or monies more rapidly
 113. This continues to be a issue. It's not that the current order does not cover what is needed it does. But its the lack of overseeing this that is the issue. Its feet on the ground to enforce it thats needed. And also consideration to wjete the buggers will locate to ie. Outside supermarkets close to town centre.
 114. I have people asking me for money every single day.
 115. It can be really off putting and sometimes frightening to myself as a 28 year old female when being approached by people asking for change/money so cannot imagine what this must feel like for the elderly and more vulnerable population of Doncaster.
 116. "
 117. It only seems an issue on baxter gate and as long as the same people to not busk all the time it is o.k I bet the shops get fed up with some who stay for long times."
 118. It is still evident this is happening, and I can't see how this can be fully enforced as there will always be some that slip the net.
 119. The variety of help and support that is available should be well publicised and resourced. Those found to be begging as a "job" when they have the means to support themselves should be prosecuted as frauds.
 120. There appears to be more people begging than in London. Not a place I want to take my kids
 121. Keep the PSPO but manage it effectively. Stop the harassment, ensure the area is safe for the population.
 122. The ban seems to be helping, I have been begged on occasion outside the Railway Station Doors.
 123. I don't feel safe in parts of the city centre and anything that can be done to improve people's confidence in visiting is required
 124. More enforcement needed so the beggars are deterred from walking round then coming back and asking again
 125. Fed up with being asked on a daily basis
 126. Remain the same but crack down further on it
 127. I has witnessed individuals walking up to people and directly asking for money (this could be seen a threatening). I have also seen people just putting hats/bags on the ground expecting people to put money in. These actions cause annoyance.
 128. Aggressive begging is a huge problem. I can't leave my property without being asked for money. My partner works shifts and he is constantly approached in the early hours and asked for money. I have the same individuals shouting and asking for money every single day outside my shop without fail, often shouting abuse at those who refuse. My customers feel intimidated, and some now will not come into the city centre because of the same individuals. I recently walked the length of baxtergate to the main entrance of the Frenchgate centre and was approached 7 times! This point on the PSPO NEEDS to be enforced more.
 129. Why change something that doesn't need changing
 130. It's already an issue so if it's removed I think it will get worse and this would stop ppl visiting Shopping etc
 131. Enforce it better and provide suitable solutions to support people to make better decisions
 132. It is still a big problem so enforcement is necessary
 133. They are a nuisance
 134. It's a disgrace that we have the city ambassadors walking around and they never move anyone on
 135. I would be very unhappy if the prohibition stopped, thing are not that good with it so I would dread to think what it would be like without it.

136. City centre every time I have been there has been at LEAST 8-10 people begging for money. I have no issue supporting charity but i feel threatened when approached
137. Doncaster is blighted by beggars
138. I know people who don't go into Doncaster because of the begging preferring to go to Meadow Hall. I know this is not just a Problem in Doncaster.
139. Fed up of beggars, groups swearing at each other who is the bigger drug takers.
140. If you go in city centre you go to relax, not to be asked for money
141. Without the PSPO, there will be no power to disperse begging, it is intimidating for the majority of the public - especially aggressive begging. These nominals also congregate in gangs and use offensive language.
142. Around car parks are the worst
143. Stop them harassing general public, it so annoying
144. It's annoying I don't need stopping every 5 minutes when i'm trying to go about my own business.
145. Visitors assess a place by this indicator. No foreigners would like a city centre to have a lot of homeless, beggars etc. wandering around.
146. I think this problem has improved but fearful that it would revert back if the prohibition changed.
147. As an older citizen I find walking through centre intimidating by above asking for loose change or busking with a hat or instrument case open for coins.
148. This drags down the appeal of the city centre and gives the wrong message to visitors.
149. Doncaster is still full of beggars. The order is not being implemented
150. Status quo
151. If it works leave as it is
152. I have seen no change in the amount of people asking for money , walking round with stinking bedding.
153. No further comment
154. "But it doesn't get policed like it ought to
155. You still see people doing this"
156. "I would prefer to give funds to a body that supports homelessness rather than risk the money being spent on drugs or money going to those who are not homeless
157. "
158. Need more staff to remove people asking for money
159. There are way too many beggars that are not genuine. Buskers I can accept
160. Begging of any kind should be discouraged so having this monitored is a good thing.
161. It would be great if it was actually enforced, begging happens in broad daylight every single day by the same people whilst "support officers" just turn a blind eye.
162. It is very intimidating.
163. I don't have any money. People make rude comments if you don't give it them
164. Just add all the beggars to the list
165. There's plenty of charities who people can donate to if they so choose. I find those that ask for money in the street are aggressive and intimidating and I'm always wary incase I am mugged. So I simply don't stay.
166. People are still asking for money and nothing seems to be done about it.
167. There is still a problem with people asking for money.
168. I find they are more likely to approach women on thier own.
169. I remember a time when this was a rare occurrence, now it's every other street someone is begging or sleeping rough
170. "It can be daunting as a single female in town early in the morning with people asking for money.
171. I also don't like the noise from the speakers the buskers have these days"
172. I'm fed up of people asking for money or cup of tea or some food. plus Eastern Europeans sat around on pavements begging.

173. Begging is a huge problem in the city Centre, it is very intimidating and frightening experience and puts me off from going unless i have too. It is reputationally damaging and puts visitors off from coming into Doncaster
174. It's intimidating using a car park ticket machine when someone is sat at the side of it asking for money.
175. I feel that some people are intimidated in to giving money and this drives them away from the town centre
176. I am still often asked money, donations and people selling goods I don't want. sometimed they are threatening and forceful and this is in a city where it is prohibited. It would be unthinkable if this was actually allowed
177. The current prohibition is fairly comprehensive.
178. we need to protect staff and businesses in the area from Anti Social Behaviour, and the associated issues
179. Some of the beggars are quite intimidating.
180. We need to prevent begging in Doncaster by supporting the people and offering them support and services appropriate for them so people can walk around feeling safe from harm.
181. We need SAFTY in our town, 24 /7. To catch the thieves, the druggies, & drunks at all times. Not only when shopping. Please keep us safe.
182. Should not be allowed.
183. Problem is moving to out of town area's
184. Homeless/druggies screaming at each other is frightening. I wouldn't dare go I'm in my own.
185. Constant begging
186. Don't go into town centre often enough to constructively comment
187. Such things have progressively got worse over the last couple of years.
188. Don't want pestering
189. Anti social behaviour is still there and will continue unless you keep a lid on it.
190. Please sort out area around market car park its so threatening it puts me off going to the market
191. Needs enforcement
192. "There doesn't appear to be any visible support or policing around this though
193. I don't wish to be continually approached by people asking for money.
194. I appreciate the psp0 doesn't stop people from asking, just from causing distress or nuisance. I do help people (usually through buying drinks/food rather than money) and think it's important to be able to continue to do that.
195. Too many beggars
196. Continue with the PSPO
197. Can be a regular problem
198. I would like to help these people as I've seen/stuffed violence from begging in Doncaster
199. I agree with the purpose and rationale of the proposal
200. This behaviour is a blight on the City Centre and likely to deter people from visiting.
201. Lowers the tone and should not be necessary nowadays.
202. Do not know what it means
203. Every I have come into Doncaster someone asks me for money. An absolute pain.
204. Today May 19th I got the impression that there was a concerted effort from a group of 'beggars' had been organised in to getting positions around the city centre. Witnessing no less than 5 individuals sat on the ground 'begging'. This is the most I've witnessed on one day, it is usually 1 occasionally over the last few months
205. If it stays as is because there are people that are causing worry
206. Need more. I get harassed every time I go in for money
207. Begging is intimidating and people can do it in such a way it is threatening. I got asked if they could look after my car in B&M in such a way that implied if I did not give the begged money my car would be damaged. The beggars always sit at the path entrance's to B&M from town centre.

208. Feel uncomfortable when people are constantly asking for money. Have guilt as it is impossible to give to all who ask.
209. Intimidating at every level
210. Not really the best way for even registered charities to collect
211. I do not understand the options
212. Enforce it more.
213. This should be policed more rigorously to eradicate the problem entirely
214. It encourages a drug culture even when there are some that may entertain as a passion
215. Did the prohibition do any good at all
216. Needed as fed up with being hassled for money and seeing anti social behaviour
217. I'm constantly harassed by beggars, obvious drug users and have recently been assaulted by them
218. Psp0 does not seem to work
219. This problem still occurs despite the prohibition
220. It is needed
221. Yes I feel much safer when there is no begging
222. I see no reason to encourage more of it.
223. This is unnecessary
224. Makes for an unpleasant shopping trip
225. There asking for money .not food
226. Street safer

228. To keep the order is good but I still find that people still ask and still sit around the centre of Doncaster and cause a public nuisance
229. I donate to charity of my own choosing including for the homeless
230. I feel very intimidated by individuals asking for money
231. It is intimidating as my son was verbally abused by someone asking for change once
232. Constant requests for food and money cause nuisance to everyone
233. Help the beggars find a home and a job there are loads out there.
234. I do not what to give as I do not know what it is spent on. I have little money my self, I don't like it.
235. These extra powers should be standard practice otherwise what is the point of law and order!
236. Although it is difficult to see people asking for money on the streets, there is always a reason for this and I wouldn't take this ability away from them
237. I agree
238. There is more than enough.
239. Don't need begging on street
240. It's not great seeing people begging and in doorways on drugs
241. Keep it in fact strengthen it if possible
242. No objection to street traders and charity collectors but beggars should be moved on and groups of druggies and trouble makers
243. It just creates a feeling of unease when you walk around and are constantly approached for money or have to step over people on the pavement. Instead the council should be supporting people who are homeless or addicted to drugs etc. I do suspect some of them are neither though.
244. It puts my children off coming to town
245. Should be bothered by other people when you go into the city centre and it does cause you to question how necessary your visit is as it can be very off putting
246. Too much of it especially under car park charge stations
247. It's not working any way.
248. There is a lack of enforcement
249. Not needed
250. It's not the people say asking for money that is intimidating it's the people that walk up to you and then follow you down the street begging for 10p.

251. Should not be permitted, appears to go on despite the existence of the order
252. because people are all finding it difficult to manage these days - you find it difficult to walk past when people are asking for help with money.
253. Put signs up saying do not give money
254. "I haven't found this to be particularly problematic for me personally. Although, I can see how it can be uncomfortable or intimidating. Have definitely seen a huge increase in the past 10 years. Homelessness needs addressing. We shouldn't have this level of alcoholism or homelessness on the streets.
255. I find it more of a problem where I live. I couldn't come into my home the other day and had to drive around several times waiting for four people to move out of the end of the alleyway "
256. Begging happens everyday the PSPO may reduce the amount of people begging, but I see the same people begging everyday. Dispersal may help, but more Police in the centre would definitely help
257. Standing near cash dispenser,
258. The problem is still there
259. Those who congregate around the miners monument and marketplace can be intimidating when aggressively begging
260. Need to stop
261. I think this should be enforced as much as it possibly can. If we do not deter the people that commit these offences it will get much worse and the city centre will become even more of a ghost town than it already is
262. It feels intimidating and deters people from using the town centre
263. Why does it still go off if prohibited? Why is this not policed?
264. Begging remains an issue, but much reduced over recent years. Please can the Police and PCSO's be given the powers to use the PSPO as they appear not to, especially at night when begging is a free for all. Can support workers be reintroduced working directly with people on city streets because when this happened, begging and anti-social behaviour almost vanished. Focus needed on the beggars who don't sit, but wander round all day in Baxtergate, St Sepulchre Gate and Railway Station.
265. Give the police the power to use PSO. Please include people who sit pretending draw, but are begging and making offensive and incomprehensible comments to shoppers, very intimidating.
266. the PSPO is fit for purpose but needs to be enforced properly
267. No beggars
268. Being approached and harassed to give money is a nuisance in the city centre. I probably experience it on most occasions when coming into town. I can deal with it but shouldn't have to.
269. If people wish to donate contribute there are avenue for this other than people doing it in the street
270. Begging can be intimidating especially to women and our teenage daughters.
271. Move them on
272. We are all short of money now a day's and hate being asked to give on the street
273. Do not mind the sellers of Big Issue but beggars etc are too intimidating.
274. Sick of the intimidation if you don't give.
275. It's good having an order in place, but it must be enforced. The mayor promised to tackle the problem years ago. It is now worse than ever.
276. Too many homeless in the centre & this needs urgent help. It is not what you want to see when visiting the centre.
277. Constantly being harassed by people wanting to sell hats, scarfs, or asking for donations makes the city centre a place I don't want to visit.
278. Again I would ask you to consider a longer period away from the city centre if people are begging. 24 hours is not long enough.
279. Enforce the orders
280. The amount of people you see in the town centre either on drugs drinking or asking for money is a worrying thing . More needs to be done regarding this
281. No
282. Get fed up of being asked

283. The amount of begging in and around the centre is getting ridiculous.
284. These individuals should be moved on by the Council more frequently than St present
285. This has moved the problem to people begging outside Supermarkets outside of the City Centre.
286. Largely annoying - happened to me last Friday when someone persisted in trying to sell knock off aftershave.
287. It needs to be tougher .. the red coats know what they do but turn a blind eye .. they know all of the people who do it .. they should be plain clothed officers going round to fine them and make them go out of the city centre
288. If they want to sell something get a shop
289. Prefer not to be constantly being asked for money
290. I've not noticed any change as continuously asked for money walking into town at least 3 times per visit- more so around the train station. Making me want to sell and move from Doncaster.
291. If anything the Papp needs strengthening, all around the station , interchange area full of beggars tapping you for money , not a police person on our streets to stop it
292. I don't want to feel pressured or uncomfortable in my lunch hour.
293. It is not working. Still people approach. Particularly bad at car parks as people congregate under the meter. Had experience this week in the car park near relish and on the market
294. It happens on a regular basis and is very off putting and feel unsafe
295. Don't want to be accosted by strangers either begging or wanting me to sign up for something
296. As people don't carry cash anymore I think there are fewer folks begging
297. The centre doesn't look that great through the bus window
298. If they keep moving them out of town all the better .
299. It's a bit intimidating
300. You're bugged for change all the time. There should be a complete ban on asking for money.
301. Don't get the questions
302. It isn't working if it's in place. I didn't know it was in effect as I often see this in the town centre. Every time I'm at the train station. Makes me feel very uncomfortable especially if on my own.
303. Too many beggars in town its a awful environment
304. There may be an odd one or two in need, but majority don't/won't help themselves
305. Don't wish to be pestered. Find it intimidating.
306. Tourist, few tourist which come in our town, don't like beggar.
307. I find this difficult because of the economic situation many find themselves in but how can you tell if they are genuine
308. I don't mind giving to licenced charities and licenced buskers but feel intimidated by supposed 'homeless' begging for money and/or selling the Big Issue. All of these people are claiming benefits and nearly all have somewhere to live
309. There is nothing more off putting than people asking for money and blocking the pavement in order to catch your attention.
310. More police present
311. Tired of still being harassed
312. You can't walk down the street without some vagrant screeching spare some change please or seeing people openly dealing drugs
313. I think it's important to continue to discourage people begging in the city centre. It is annoying and can feel quite intimidating at times
314. WE MUST DISCOURAGE BEGGING
315. It needs to be stopped and breaches enforced. Particularly unpleasant for vulnerable people
316. People still ask for money
317. This used to be a big problem, and has reduced a lot. You still get some people asking for change, but it is a lot less than it used to be
318. I see people sleeping all over Doncaster it's disgusting
319. We need to know if it's working, however, statistics can say what you want it to

320. Curb aggressive and intimidating behaviour but ensure that there is adequate support for the homeless and vulnerable otherwise the problem moves elsewhere without a solution
321. Doncaster city centre can be an intimidating and unpleasant experience, with regular pan handlers and beggars asking for custom. Despite the presence of a PSPO, I feel that these instances still occur on a regular basis.

323. I would like to walk through town in peace without being asked for money, donation, food or to buy lucky charms
324. it's intimidating in an already unpleasant environment
325. Happens daily past my work window so needs to actually be enforced
326. No
327. Unfortunately there will always be people on the streets asking for money etc. wherever you go town & cities.
328. People need to feel safe not intimidated.
329. It is restricting the growth of this activity
330. Except musicians, which are contributing to the beauty of this city and artists promoting their work, I would say that there are alternatives for the rest (People asking you for money, donations or goods – including through placing of hats, clothing or containers – that causes nuisance, annoyance or distress) to do their work outside the city centre. Our city centre should be our pride, attracting tourists and locals on a daily basis and they should leave with good memories and lovely experiences. Our city centre doesn't feel safe anymore. More and more rough sleepers, crimes, stabbings, and so on.
331. I still get asked for money virtually every time I'm in the centre
332. There are lots of people asking for money. This Order may have allowed them to be moved but all that happens is they move to just outside the City centre to other areas such as Wheatley Hall Road.
333. It should be made to stop - and someone should be actually enforcing it - still too many people wandering around asking
334. It does not give a glowing view of the City.
335. Most people don't carry cash these days so have nothing to donate.
336. This is still a big issue within our city centre and it's a nuisance and sometime the people asking for money becomes aggressive
337. People are still asking for money
338. I'm tired of being begged at and pestered by things I don't want or need, it puts me off.
339. Too many beggars.
340. It's frightening when they come towards you
341. Too many drug users in town
342. This can be a nuisance especially when those asking are not actually in need.
343. Can't walk without being hassled
344. The less people are begging on the corner of streets & in shop doorways the better
345. Begging generally not a major problem in most areas
346. It feels a bit intimidating
347. I get fed up with people causing a nuisance or making you feel uncomfortable in the town centre
348. I don't mind people who sing or play an instrument and have a hat for donations.
349. Really important to keep it as it is, there are very much still lots of homeless people in the city that are keeping people from coming in as they would have before
350. Although most of the people are quite polite I am not keen on being approached
351. FEEL INTIMIDATED WHEN IN TOWN CENTRE
352. We need to clean up the town centre and make it safer
353. Quite a nuisance
354. I should be able to walk around without being accosted by unknown people.
355. Homeless still asking for money don't like charities asking in Frenchgate

356. More help needed for the homeless so they don't need to beg.
357. This is exactly why I no longer visit the city
358. Although I don't go that often myself I feel for the people that do. I think powers should be extended to outlying areas of the borough.
359. They should be stopped completely
360. The prohibition works when there is authority around to enforce it .
361. More policing needed
362. People asking for money makes me feel very uncomfortable.
363. not enforced enough
364. I am a pensioner and feel quite vulnerable when in town on my own, so any kind of deterrent to beggars is good as far as I'm concerned.
365. Never have been approached
366. When I have visited the city I have noticed CPO do speak to them & move them on sometimes
367. Too many on the streets makes me feel uncomfortable they need a place to go so they get what they need like a hub they will feel safer there than on the street begging IT DOES PUT ME OFF GOING THERE ON MY OWN NOW
368. Don't think it will change now, some have no respect for what they have
369. Doncaster needs to keep the city centre clear of beggars. This past year I've not seen one policeman .
370. No comment
371. With never visiting I don't know how it is now
372. Too many begging for money and too many homeless.
373. It's sufficient
374. Still needed due to hopefully deterrent of begging.
375. I find it quite annoying and don't like to feel obliged to donate.
376. "There's nothing worse than being constantly bothered by drug addicts asking for money outside the supermarkets and around the bus and railway stations.
377. These people are a real nuisance and can get quite aggressive when you refuse to give them any money.
- 378.
379. They should be banned from begging and harassing people."
380. You need to enforce it.
381. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like
382. From what I see it works.
383. I think that begging should be discouraged but there should be designated areas for the street entertainers and who sing or draw who sell their goods and they should be licensed and be of sufficient quality to be worth while
384. It's absolutely essential to keep the prohibition I
385. Too many people sitting down with nothing to do apart from beg
386. [REDACTED]
387. It's not broke so don't fix it
388. It's nothing new to inner city slum areas, it has become more apparent since Doncaster became a city It's only going to get worse
389. Doncaster is a very scary place
390. "Happy to contribute if someone is homeless, prefer to buy them food rather than give money. Like to listen to people busking on the street lifts atmosphere so happy to drop coins for them.
- 391."
392. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.
393. "These beggars/rough sleepers are annoying
394. Feel uncomfortable with them around "

395. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as it's these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do. Open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do.

396. It still happens despite the prohibition. But not sure how to report.

397. Bullying

398. It is annoying and makes the centre look terrible.

399. Too many so-called beggars, arrest them under the existing act, jail repeat offenders, including bogus homeless who should be charged with fraud. Clean the town centre up

401. It is not helpful to maintaining a friendly City Centre having begging taking place

402. We have had no problems.

403. Enforce the prohibition order

404. Too many drug addicts and under-servicables outside Frenchgate.

405. Always someone begging

406. I have seen the offences in town and seen them in action. But I wish they would stop the men asking people if they want to buy stolen goods.

407. I have not encountered any pressure in this way.

409. Keep it but enforce it

410. "It can sometimes be really intimidating with beggars asking for money.

411."

412. I do not give to charities

413. It is noticeable that Doncaster has issues with beggars—often also at out-of-town supermarkets too (Asda Lakeside, Aldi Armthorpe, Lidl Wheatley) though I have not seen them acting aggressively.

414. It's very unsettling

415. If I want to give to charities it's very easy nowadays I don't need harrasing for money or services

416. It is a relatively small centre with a high proportion of homeless (poor people, council should do more for them) etc and others. It is NOT a pleasant environment really. The Council should look at York City for high quality ideas on how to have a nice centre.

417. Dislike walking through town and people asking for money, selling big issue and any other services and charities wanting your help

418. I find this intimidating and is one of the reasons I avoid the city centre

419. I politely decline to donate

420. Nil

421. Intimidating

422. This behaviour is antisocial, intimidating and makes the city centre look unsavoury.

423. Should not be allowed as it does not help me with my condition as I cannot get a quick escape

424. The prohibition should continue

425. This appears to deal with citizens' concerns adequately

426. It would help if the wardens did their job instead of standing about chatting.

427. I find that beggars in whatever guise are nauseating. To see a scruffy person sitting on the pavement usually with a dog begging and very often smoking does nothing to enhance the immediate area of the Centre. They should be moved on

428. Unfortunately necessary, but can only keep the status quo.

429. It's still happening, it's a put off

430. I am happy to give to the Salvation Army and the Royal British Legion etc but there's an ever increasing number of beggars and homeless people in Doncaster city centre, they often step in front of you to beg for change etc, if and when they are finally moved on they all congregate a few hundred yards away on Spring Gardens until the coast is clear, from the short walk from the Halifax Building Society to the marketplace you can guarantee that we are asked for change/ a coffee/ a sandwich at least 5 times, the council are spending money to try to make the area more appealing but it's the drug

addicts and homeless people that are doing the most damage, I know that most of them are actually claiming benefits and aren't homeless, I work in a department store in the centre of Doncaster and they are all well known to staff and security.

431. Would not know as I do not feel safe nowadays in Doncaster
432. No comment
433. We often donate clothing and food but not cash.
434. I find this sort of behaviour intimidating.
435. Keep it as it is
436. I would strengthen the order as it has not had the impact it needed. There are still a large number of drug users opening taking drugs and asking for money.
437. I see no sensible alternative
438. The beggars are still there
439. It's nearly the same people constantly asking for money, ride on loud engine vehicles, throwing and dropping their litter about, shouting and using inappropriate words if using a mobile phone or verbally non stop.
440. Don't like being pestered
441. The few times I have passed through the city centre I have not been asked to give money and the people doing their acts provide entertainment you have the choice to watch or not too
442. There are beggars all over
443. I give to charity and participate in neighbourhood events. Beggars can be intimidating to older people.
444. The so called homeless, beggars etc. The problem is much worse than before. Mayor Jones promised she would tackle this major problems. Sorry the council & partners need to get their act together. People will then return to the centre hopefully.
445. We feel that is about right
446. As already stated.
447. They are the same old faces begging outside the public toilets in the market place and I have seen them begging in Leeds city centre so they can afford to travel
448. Eliminate/ remove them - far too many beggars
449. Find the homeless somewhere to live and look after them so they don't have to beg
450. It's a nuisance- I would rather contribute to an authorised collection
451. I would visit the city centre more often if there was more police presence.
452. The presence of beggars/ substance users makes me feel nervous and vulnerable and is the reason I choose not to visit on a regular basis.
453. Nothing says decline more than beggars
454. I cannot venture to the shop or just walk through the centre of the city without seeing people begging or arguing with other beggars. I have drug users walking past my house to the alley gate behind it to purchase drugs from a neighbour.
455. Need to be enforced
456. Doncaster is still full of beggars
457. Police the law to maintain the standard which Doncaster was once renowned for.
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
459. "Allegedly beggars are 'organised' / managed.
460. They are dropped off and picked up by people driving BMW cars
461. Beggars position themselves next to trolley bays - they know people have at least £1 'spare change'"
462. And ENFORCE it. Beggars still lots of places.
463. Already too many vagrants etc
464. I hate to see begging anywhere but if we are to be a class act as a city this means keeping the streets clean.
465. Please move these people on, they are intimidating due to their unpredictability
466. People asking for money outside Frenchgate

467. It makes me feel intimidated when I get asked for money, the people who ask have always been polite, but I don't like it
468. To many people begging
469. Constantly harassed by beggars /homeless??
470. It is difficult to avoid people demanding donations and deters me from using the city centre more often - not a relaxing experience.
471. Too many persons asking for money
472. The centre is blighted by drug and alcohol fuelled beggars. Get rid of them.
473. The prohibition only reduces the nuisance behaviour rather than stopping it, at least it has some effect
474. You need to be looking at helping the homeless perhaps convert some of your empty buildings to small flats !

476. "Would cause distress
477. Much improved
478. No more to say
479. Keep it but enforce it
480. Time to become stronger on dealing with the above
481. I always feel guilty when I don't give money. My stance is I donate to homeless charities and would prefer they were encouraged to take up those services.
482. They don't cause any trouble if you say no

484. police it
485. I understand that many people are in genuine need especially during this cost of living crisis and I myself am not intimidated but I can see why some people are intimidated by others that ask for money and various other things.
486. Having beggars, homeless, drug users and unsightly individuals is off putting and intimidating and brings the City Centre down.
487. I get asked for money on a regular basis
488. Enforce it
490. No idea about this but beggars should be cleared from the streets
491. We Don't want these people in the centre it's another reason I don't come into town being pestered for money.
492. Despite a prohibition being in place, the public are still approached by beggars.
493. It works as the intimidating chuggers have been kept away. I like hearing most of the buskers!
494. People begging can feel threatening and a big question mark about what they will spend the money on.
495. Who wants to be pestered ? If people cannot accomplish their business in Doncaster without harassment they should go elsewhere - in general, we go elsewhere.
496. Existing control appears to work most of the time
497. Stop beggars it lowers the tone.
498. Never feel comfortable or safe in the city centre.
499. This aspect is the most emotive in my experience. Friends and family comment on this often, and all express how unpleasant it is to be hassled by strangers in this way.
500. This situation has improved in the last year so why change .
501. This can be very intimidating.

502. Although prohibited they still hang around various parts of the city centre as there is little police presence in the Frenchgate gate. I have seen people using e-scooters. Security do nothing to stop them and as someone who uses crutches to get around I don't feel safe. E-scooters are not legal so why are they allowed? and no effort made to stop them.
503. Beggars should be moved on they can be harassing.
504. I do not like being accosted by strangers.
505. This probably applies to all my answers that follow: Please could we have some clear guidance as to how best to help people who are begging. Could you produce a card (the size of a business card say) explaining how and where to seek help if they're genuinely in need. You might combine this with a system by which we could donate to a professional approach to helping. Eg we would donate money, or raise money or give time to be trained and then volunteer. You would supply us with those cards and when we meet someone begging we could give them a card instead of money or goods. They could go to the place suggested where professionals and trained volunteers would offer real help. People whose hearts are so large they can't resist would have something to hand over offering help and hope knowing that they're not just supporting a drug habit or a villainous third party. Citizens could know that they are contributing to a solution to the world's problems and as more and more people adopted the idea the need for your prohibitions would gradually diminish. Fraudsters would be weeded out at the help centre and we could all live happily ever after!
506. none at this time
507. It can be very distressing seeing someone who needs so much help they resort to begging. Supporting these people needs to be addressed.
508. Much less of a problem now.
509. I don't see any enforcement of the PSPO and the question doesn't give any clue as to what changes might be --- so I chose stay the same although I do find begging and busking on the increase.
510. It's can be frightening when they approach you.
511. For the reasons stated in the question.
512. Doncaster needs it.
513. These people, by choice or necessity must have some rights, though some go too far.
514. Fed up of being hassled for change or someone sat with hat outside a shop.
515. People begging or requesting money is a nuisance and is very off putting.
516. Something has to be done to improve the willingness of general public to visit more often.
517. I only ever see a man selling Big Issue. I never see a beggar. It feels safe at the time I am there
10.30am
518. Need to remove ASB from centre look what Barnsley have achieved with Neighbourhood wardens.
519. "Strengthen
520. the deterrent"
521. Make a cleaner and safe Town
522. I do feel unsafe at times with beggars and people riding bikes in pedestrianised areas no
523. These people often new shops and parking area so I do not feel safe
524. Probably sensible but have some sympathy for these people and think they need help and support when possible.
525. Can't see PSPO doc
[REDACTED]
527. Find them a Job.....They should Work for a Living I did for 60 Years!
528. "This behaviour does not need encouragement.
529. Makes me feel more vulnerable."
530. Visiting the centre and railway station is a very unpleasant experience due begging drug addicts and the general environment.
531. Sometimes these people are threatening
532. Personally I haven't had a problem with people asking for money.

533. As I get older I find I am more concerned by the homeless, the drink or drug effected and spend less time visiting the shops as I feel a little vulnerable. Also the bus service is poor and running our car more expensive
534. Some of this types of behaviour effect the numbers visiting city .
535. Not enforced anyway
536. Still problems I'm the centre but it would be even worse without the prohibition
537. Not much use unless enforced
538. I think that this should be kept but that the Council and charities should develop their support systems
539. We need this in place or it would just be havoc.
540. I avoid the French Gate Centre. The same group of individuals repeatedly pester anyone who passes for cash and can be verbally aggressive if you say no. In the past year I have been sworn at twice for not acknowledging a request for money. I have an elderly relative who no longer comes into town at all for this reason.
541. I had literally sat down for about 1 minute on 19/5 when someone came up asking for money. This was about 4.15pm, and I was starting to feel uneasy, as there were few shoppers, groups of teenagers, drunkards, a strong smell of 'weed' at various times, and when I met my friend before getting the bus home she had had her purse stolen. Not a happy experience.
542. "I pay very little attention to them
543. I do feel sorry for dogs some have though"
544. People are aggressive when they begging. Anyway they drugged up and I'm always fear that they do something unexpected
545. It still happens even though the prohibition is there so it would be worse if it was taken away
546. It's not that bad
547. You feel so guilty when they beg and you say no
548. We do not attend the city on an evening
549. We need to feel safe particularly when at the weekend the clubs and bars are more busy. I've heard of youngsters describing the City Centre as similar to the Wild West.
550. I don't like to be bothered
551. Not sufficient detail in here for me to see what and where it's implemented. Definitely needs patrols around market car park.
552. I think that the prohibition as is works well
553. Homeless and beggers has never been as bad
554. I think that the way that the City Centre has deteriorated over the last few years has been disgraceful, so much so that there have been people that I have spoken to who are frightened to go into the centre of town.
555. People find it intimidating to be approached in this manner and in some instances worry about refusing help as they are unsure of any possible repercussion actions
556. Sadly the homeless and undesirable behaviour including litter, chewing gum, and stains on new paving are lowering Doncaster's already low image.
557. No probs with that .
558. I would rather donate money to the charities that help them as I know there are some people who are begging who are not actually homeless
559. It can feel intimidating when they walk up to you and ask for money.
560. It desperately needs sorting out
561. You have a lot of begging
562. I donate money, food and clothing to various charities. I do not like being asked for money from people in the street. Firstly I don't know if they are genuinely in need. Secondly I want those in genuine need to be supported without them needing to beg in the streets. The exception are Big Issue sellers who I am happy to buy from.
563. Town is dying the council and do gooderz are to blame
564. too many down and outs

565. Some harass people and make them feel threatened.
566. I don't mind if people are busking and are collecting money or selling Big Issue - they are entertaining or working and doing something positive to earn money. I don't like people sitting and asking for money.
567. I do not like to be approached for money or to see people gathering at the bottom of Printing Office St.
568. I don't find the current levels intrusive or a threat.
569. I do donate to charity but they are organizations I know something about.
570. There are still people begging there although it's not as bad as it was.
571. Find other ways to enforce it, so that it doesn't happen at all.
572. Remove begging
573. You cannot walk more than a few shops without someone harassing you
574. I totally agree with it.
575. People begging and off their heads on drink and drugs are not a welcoming site to the centre
576. It still happens
577. More monitoring of these people should be made, in my opinion some are bogus, they ask for money some people buy them food such as a sandwich which they don't eat they obviously just want money.
578. I appreciate we have a high number of people with social problems but we really don't need to have it on show on the city streets. I have seen elsewhere where there are a lot of people trying to survive on the streets, some of whom are scammers, and it does nothing to make you want to return to the place.
579. It can be intimidating when being asked for money as most people don't want trouble, they would give them money just for them to go away. Buskers and street entertainers are not and are quite entertaining and are me smile.
580. It's no worse than in other cities.
581. The centre needs cleaning up people above a certain age do not see it as safe anymore to many people loitering
582. I haven't experienced a lot of this apart from the odd one or two
583. The never give money directly to anyone asking for it. I donate directly to charities helping people who need it
584. Do not like to be asked for donations
585. We have no idea who's genuine and who's not. My 84 year old dad got stopped by a lady obviously on drugs who told him she'd been mugged so he gave her money. I saw her after still begging without a park or sign of distress. She obviously targeted him as he's an easy win for money
586. I agree with anything that prohibits anti social behaviour
587. Begging IS illegal and should be stopped...there should be structures in place for the genuinely needy and those who use begging as a way of life, but are not in genuine need should be moved off the streets at every opportunity.
588. I get questionable requests at my door and around town.
589. Still plenty of people sat outside shops
590. It is upsetting to see and not nice when they comment to you - this is the same outside supermarkets and everywhere else
591. I have been intimidated by drinkers and people asking for money.
592. Only against aggressive or extroverted begging.
593. It is much better than it was, I can ignore hats if I wish.
594. I have seen a small improvement in people begging although it does still happen. They sometimes come up to you in car parks when you are trying to pay for a ticket, offer to help you so you feel obliged or intimidated to give them something, or they stand in the street asking for money to buy a sandwich. It is a terrible situation for them and I often either give money or buy them a sandwich or a drink but it is not a comfortable environment to be in.
595. Beggars should not be allowed, but if found to be genuine they should receive help

597. Same as previous statements

598. I'm not sure it's working because I'm still asked all the time

599. Don't know what the prohibition is

600. It needs to stop

601. Still prevalent

602. As more and more people do not carry cash the beggars may get the message that it's not worth it

603. The town centre needs to be made a safe environment.

604. Constantly been asked for loose change always round the parking payment station.

605. It should instead be made to people in need where support is available for them My mum, dad and great aunt feel intimidated and unsafe when they feel 'surrounded' by beggars

606. Keep the clearance of rough sleepers in the town centre to a minimum.

607. There seems to be less begging now.

608. If people want to donate that's ok. But shouldn't be asked

609. I ignore them

610. It is getting worse in front of Frenchgate, Trainstation, and Interchange.

611. I think there seems to be even more people begging or selling things out of carry bags.

612. People find it intimidating to be continually asked for money.

613. Prefer not to be harassed. I give my donations to charities

614. Needs to continue to be monitored as it can make you feel uncomfortable when you are walking around town

615. Need to keep centre safe

616. Bad times every penny counts

617. Too many homeless beggars in town and car parks.

618. I try and avoid walking along St Sepulchregate as there are always people asking for money or making a nuisance

619. It has reduced but I still am asked for money from time to time

620. This is still a big issue and people approach me asking for money on a regular basis

621. Most people are ok but some are intimidating

622. A lot more pleasant .

623. Placing of hats for busking is ok, not ok for just begging

624. Every time either of us go to town we are stopped by someone or see people of their heads or selling drugs in front of us. My daughter has seen since attending college at 15 years old and has been asked for money as soon as she arrives to town from 7.30am onwards, while she is on her own. This happens all the time and has to stop

625. Intimidating

626. Sick of these people

627. Begging in the street is not the right way for these people to survive and it also puts me off walking through certain areas. I feel uncomfortable being approached by these strangers.

628. If I want to give I will but I am able to ignore those I don't feel sympathetic with

629. Homelessness is unexpectedly bad in 2023 needs addressing now.

630. Needs to be made a safer place for everyone

631. Excluding the scooters from town will only work when all the services are willing to follow the threat of exclusion from the town centre to the end result. Most police don't think it's worth their time (it shouldn't be but sadly is) but thousands of people won't come into town as they feel intimidated.

632. Begging is a crime and should be treated as such.

633. "Buskers=Yes.

634. Sales persons = No.

635. Homeless = Please find them homes and a basic income."

636. The last time I was in town was because I had to go to the bank, it was the first time I was taking my baby out on my own. I was approached 3 times within 15 minutes for money. It was nearly a year ago and I refuse to go back

637. City centre is a mess of filth and every type of criminal scruffy

638. Too many people asking for spare change on almost every corner and supermarket.
639. Same people doing the same thing year after year
640. Don't mind the buskers or people selling magazines as they are doing something for the money.
641. "more provision for those in need, so they do not need to beg/busk
642. Enforce it.
643. The behaviours above still happen every day. I am trying to think positive and assume that if the prohibition stops then the negative behaviours would become much worse.
644. Balance is about right
645. It's a nuisance that stops people using the city centre
646. The 'purpose' is sufficient if activated.
647. This continues to be an issue, particularly when I am in the city centre shortly after 9am when the requests for money are more frequent.
648. This was what the
649. They get enough in benefits (why don't they get a job) to feed their habits!!!!!!
650. Still see beggars in the city centre
651. Such as it is intimidating behaviours are unsettling for older residents
652. It's the intimidation that is wrong
653. Too many crackhead beggars and scroungers about, some wear better clothes than me
654. Get rid of the beggars. It's stopping people coming into the centre
655. Accosted by individuals asking for money. Cannot walk on some streets without someone running up to visitors begging.
656. Working at the moment
657. Not as aggressive as they used to be
658. Keep it or make it better to stop large congregation of people that bother the people who attend the town centre that are going about their day
659. Due to the work I used to do, I know where the money for any "donations" goes to. Not to food or housing - straight to the nearest drug dealer or off licence to buy cheap booze.
660. This is still happening all over the centre despite the order. It's unnerving being approached by these people.
661. I feel intimidated, I can be asked for money three or four times when going to work and again when I finish at 8 pm .
662. I am always been asked for money.
663. Last week we were approached by loads of mobile beggars and felt really uncomfortable in the town, people were openly dealing drugs and selling counterfeit goods (a group of Irish lads picking on young girls)
664. I'm not sure what the rule on this is but the homeless I've met asking for change have never been a nuisance, even if I haven't been able to buy them a sandwich or drink etc.
665. If it's prohibited it's not being enforced.
666. Too many

668. Safer for cyclists if there are none of the hazards caused by people behaving in this way
669. People asking for change around the bust interchange and trainstation
670. Don't like tramps or beggars they can be intimidating
671. In my view we need to drill down on those providing a service and those exploiting people. Keeping the PSPO should be able to separate the two.
672. They hang around the seats in Waterdale
673. We have beggars outside our shop everyday, sat on the floor so the prohibition isn't working because it's not enforced by the people trusted to do so.
674. This needs to be however consistent in being enforced.
675. Need to stop begging in city centre

676. Lots of people begging while 'on the move' walking as if passing by but then asking for money, it doesn't always feel friendly or safe.
677. I agree with this prohibition but I would like to know how these individuals are being engaged with and what services they are offered and what the success of this is. It is very easy to just push people out to a different area, which only moves the problem along.
678. I find it very uncomfortable when people are walking around begging in the city centre. I understand people are struggling, but it ruins what is a lovely city centre and pulls the place down. I have had this happen on the High St and in the train station that people are begging aggressively.
679. I don't want to be hassled. If I want to donate fine, give me information but don't try and sign me up.
680. Keep as is, However needs to be better implemented as there is still a huge homeless, street drinking and drugs problem in the town centre
681. I don't fully catch idea of question
682. Needs to be more done
683. If I want to make a donation I will do it through other sources, I don't want to feel obliged
684. I think it's the prohibition is effective
685. I get annoyed with beggars and charity collectors shaking their collection boxes at me 🙄
686. I am normally not affected by such events
687. GET RID OF THIEVES, CLEAN IT CAUSE IT IS DISGUSTING
688. Situation has improved
689. Too much of this
690. I don't think you will ever totally get rid of the problem
691. It is a fact that people keep away from town because of anti social behaviour, many feel it is not a safe place.
692. I don't think the prohibition is effective as it isn't properly enforced.
693. Beggars are still everywhere and it's even worse as they are clearly drugged up
694. Homelessness need to be sorted, should be any need for begging
695. N/A
696. I contribute to good causes directly.
697. One sign of a deprived area is people begging and sleeping rough on the streets. It doesn't make you want to visit.
698. It's the councils responsibility to make sure there are adequate social housing etc get them off the streets
699. We need adequate provision for the poor and destitute. We need jobs to promote self esteem education training etc. Most of all we need hope.
700. I willingly give when worthy but I prefer not to be pestered especially by the shop lifters trick with the fake perfume & aftershaves who are regularly in the city centre
701. It probably doesn't work anyway.
702. There are still beggars outside of the railway station & near B&M. Always sat in places where it is unavoidable to walk past. More needs to be done to police this.
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704. existing powers are enough if enforced
705. It's fine as it is
706. Even though we have a this order I still get pestered for money
707. I think that despite the current order more enforcement is required, last week I was approached 5 times by people asking for monies. I was also approached numerous times by individuals selling perfumes and aftershave out of plastic bags.
708. Good work
709. The intimidation of some of those wanting money and the behavior of some I find intimidating.
710. I still don't like going to certain area's of the City as I don't feel safe although there isn't as many vagrants these days
711. No comment

712. I don't mind being asked for donations but I think some sort of provision to be able to make a small donation instead of signing up for a direct debit would be preferable, although I appreciate that this could cause some security issues
713. To feel safer
714. If people are asking for money/loitering I feel unsafe and very anxious and will reduce my visits into the town centre
715. People go to the city centre for various things, not to be pestered
716. This kind of activity can make the city centre feel uncomfortable and intimidating
717. If people are truly homeless the council should make adequate provision. I'd rather pay a little extra in council tax.
718. It's not a nice experience to be asked for money all the time
719. Hate seeing or being approached by people asking for money
720. Loss of cash payments in car park will reduce cars and people.
721. Non stop harassment in centre. Also in other areas at supermarkets with trolleys that require pound coins
722. Gives a bad feel to the town centre.
723. Despite the prohibition this is still rife in town centre
724. I find this intimidating and would make me think about going to town on my own.
725. This still happens a lot so the prohibition needs to remain and needs to be enforced. I particularly see this around clock corner and the B&M car park in the city centre
726. Doesn't matter what the council do, people please as they like in this city, it's an outdoor smoking paradise.
727. Still a problem
728. Not sure why
729. Causes distress for vulnerable people, can be very intimidating.
730. I would like to see this law strengthened and upheld
731. It's good to have a PSPO in place, but we need police around to enforce it.
732. Retain and strengthen the prohibition order, any results of the order are hard to see, the problems are still visible!
733. A lot of people are in financial hardship and personally it makes me feel bad if I cannot give some spare change.
734. I'm never sure if the people asking for money want it for drugs or food, I don't appreciate being harassed when I say I don't have any money. The clothing containers can be vandalised and this just leaves a mess.
735. I hate being hassled by charity workers and beggars.
736. Give money to charity I decide on
737. Continue beyond November to make Doncaster a safer and pleasant town
738. It is absolutely disgusting in places
739. "I do agree Doncaster Council should take a tough stance on People begging for money
740. It definitely puts people off visiting "
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
742. I find these people intimidating. I don't like to be approached by strangers for anything.
743. It makes people uncomfortable to pass these areas.
744. It has to be more comfortable for people visiting our City.
745. I have parked in the market car park in the past and I've felt uncomfortable being asked for money by groups of people,
746. I didn't know that happened.
747. Donations nowadays can be done through many legitimate channels and donating in a street does not constitute a legitimate charitable donation. Streets are for pedestrians and shoppers.

748. Prohibition is about keeping Doncaster and the public safe
749. Can be intimidating.
750. I don't mind people selling the Big Issue but don't want to be accosted by others eg charity organisations, I choose where to donate to causes of my choice.
752. People need help that means they no longer have to beg for money
753. I don't mind the inconvenience however? Visitors to the Town especially during Race Meetings find it disconcerting! So it's best discouraged.
754. I have noticed that I have been harassed less while walking through town my charities and such. It used to be a daily occurrence.
755. Some are very rude, some are polite. But they make it untidy leaving their rubbish behind.
756. Do not like beggars but will donate if sitting quietly
757. Get tired of people asking for money etc
758. "I do not like being pestered by people who do not attempt to be polite or to move out of the way.
759. Begging is not a nice thing to meet when you are out shopping."
760. Enforce it more
761. I am not sure I ticked the correct box but I get fed up of people asking for money whether it's in town or at the supermarket I do ask if they served in the armed forces if anyone would say yes then I would help them best I could being an ex military man but sadly nobody has. I have seen people being given items of food but then I have witnessed moaning because it wasn't cash and seen loads of foodstuffs put in bags which I think might be thrown away people are very generous but it's not always appreciated by the people begging
762. Seems as though problem is becoming worse, more people asking for money
763. Don't find this a big issue at present
764. There are still people asking for money, trying to sell charms that will approach you and pull your clothes and I've even been spat at for saying no.
765. "For too long we have had too many undesirable drug addicts and ""professional"" beggars
766. congregating in the market area which made shoppers so uncomfortable as to limit their access to some parts of the town center. "
767. Please stop people asking for money
768. aggressive beggars locally have hardened my views
769. no problem
770. People asking for money are intimidating as there are groups of homeless friends close by. They do not accept offers of food and drink and only demand money
771. There has been a noticeable change in town centre. Great idea. Please keep it up.
772. He asked for money several times on each visit
773. Busking is fine but scroungers should be removed
774. I find it uncomfortable when asked for money when I go into town
775. not been a problem for me
776. This will only work if officers are on the street to see what is going on
777. I do not wish to see people who do this vilified as I see that there are a lot of desperate people out there, and often will have change in my pocket to give people. Most people would not be begging if they were not desperate
778. Needs to be stopped. Good we'll be an organised group
779. Lots of people do not want to be harassed by people asking for money
780. There are still far too many nuisance beggars and druggies putting people off visiting the city centre and making people feel unsafe.
781. Needs greater enforcement
782. Something needs to be done
783. Still too many people aggressive begging which makes me feel uncomfortable. 1 begged us 1 too many.

784. I find it very intimidating when people ask for money when I park in the market place, so I avoid parking there when possible
785. Outside the one stop shop on car house road every day two people asking for money and stealing in one stop shop there is problems every day and people messing with money machine loitering around it
786. It "would" be good if the prohibitions were upheld but that doesn't seem to happen.
787. You need to enforce this better
788. Don't like being hassled while out unnecessarily.
789. I don't & won't give to anyone on the streets.
790. Even if asked I do not give money, I don't mind buying a sandwich or drink (not alcoholic)
791. It is very disconcerting when visiting the town centre .with people begging for money .
792. It is an important prohibition
793. It causes distress to people walking by as you don't know if what they are pertaining to be is true or false
794. "People should not be allowed to ask for money , this type of behaviour puts people off coming into the centre
795. The atmosphere of the city is threatening
796. Something needs to be done to remove these people "
797. Get rid of the beggars. Make it the responsibility of the shop owners to move them on
798. Greater enforcementnt

800. Please enforce this. Although in place it is common to see people begging.
801. Just another reason I don't visit city centre
802. I find it threatening at times.
803. The street sellers are not a problem and every city has
804. It's frightening if you refuse money to people
805. I feel uncomfortable coming in to the city now because of the people asking for money, hanging around the bus station and market and Bank areas.
806. I usually buy the big issue because the sellers are helping themselves and are not just sat begging.
807. Not safe to be in the centre alone
808. Although this behaviour is a nuisance I have never felt threatened
809. Always seem to be begging near B&M. However this seems to be a problem outside of city centre at a lot of supermarkets, Aldi and Lidl especially.
810. Clearly it doesn't work because people are still doing it!
811. There are too many people still begging for money in city centre. I walked only 50 foot one day and saw 4 separate people begging.
812. Tougher move ons. Some takin advantage of vulnerable people who carnt help but give
813. Retain the prohibition, but the current measure has displaced this activity outside the PSPO area so I would suggest you expand the area.

815. Whenever I've been there people always asking for money whether it's sitting outside shops, in doorways ,or just being approached .unless the police move them on they will always remain there
816. "Inform those offenders, and understand their reasons and actions,
817. not sure of of the numbers how many of the totals are repeat offenders"
818. It has currently driven these people to other areas and now these need looking after such as asda near dome, shops in Hyde park, shops in intake etc
819. Stop it altogether, or enforce it better. last time I visited there were still a few buskers and beggars
820. Be more strict on it!
821. "Expand the area to include out of centre shopping areas

- 822."
823. Make it more difficult for people to do the above.
824. current not working
825. We need a stronger approach to antisocial behaviour in the city centre
826. Allow people to sit with hats but not to ask for help
827. All the beggars should be removed and offered any form of support available. As sometimes they are aggressive, officers should enforce their removal. An exception could be made for public performers, as long as there is a limit to the noise levels they produce and the areas they are on, as they could potentially impede the traffic flow of the general public. If there are legitimate organisations/people asking for donations, a designated space should be assigned to them, where they could set up their effects/stands. As such, the public would also know that they are legitimate causes, not just potential scams.
828. Remove "so as to cause or is likely to cause nuisance, annoyance or distress." to avoid any confusion or dispute about what constitutes nuisance, annoyance or distress.
829. I am comfortable with Big Issue sellers and street performers and artists but there are more and more beggars who come up to every time you go in. Particularly around St Sepulchre near the Halifax and McDonalds entrance to the Frenchgate it can be intimidating with anti social behaviour, street drinking and aggressive begging. This needs to be policed better as people are starting to stay away from the centre
830. Clear the city of druggies and beggars completely and stop pandering to minorities.
831. The present one appears not to be effective.
832. We were promised by the elected mayor of dealing with the problem. It is now worse than before the failed promise.
833. Stop it altogether
834. Prohibition as it is not working as they have very limited powers.
835. Too many people trying either asking for money or trying to question you
836. Make it more stronger. Give the policing teams more power to deal with these issues
837. The prohibition needs to be much greater and enforced properly.
838. I don't feel safe when stranger approaches me and asking for few pound donations or anything else. I don't support drugs users. This should be prohibited
839. Make it stricter
840. Tougher penalties should be given
841. Not enough done to clear these off the streets.
842. Get these people somewhere to live .
843. As per proposal 1, however a more rigorous enforcement regime might make a positive difference. No consequence, no change!
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
845. I don't think I should be put in this position when shopping it is very threatening sometimes.
846. Actually get something done. Quite obviously little being done to prevent it at present
847. Make begging a no-go in the centre. Provide people in authority to ensure this happens.
848. it needs to stop and move them on
849. For many years this has been a big problem in Doncaster Centre, with people asking for money which they most likely use to buy drugs and then come back to ask for more. This is the first impression of anyone who visits Doncaster Centre as it was mine and many people have mentioned this to me. I was even asked to walk customers to the train station because they were scared of these people in the centre. Surely there's a solution that other cities and town are implementing because Doncaster is one of the only places that I know of with this problem.
850. Make stricter, I still get asked. Can't see attached document??
851. It needs to get tougher as people don't feel safe, crime is increasing even small children aren't safe.
852. Strengthen it further and make it includes the full Railway station area as I encounter this and witness other harassment on an almost daily basis coming in and out of the railway station.

853. I would change it by applying zero tolerance which is not being applied now.
854. Stricter enforcement. no go areas 24 hour cover and prison sentences far away from Doncaster.
855. Entertainment licence enforcement required to prevent music being played through portable loud speakers. Musicians playing instruments aren't a problem.
856. I would like to see more enforcements in place to stop street begging and gangs of people hanging around the streets and drinking in public.
857. Put it in place right across the borough
858. Stop these people hanging around it's killing Doncaster off people are stopping coming as they don't want these people harassing them and the anti social behaviour with bottles of alcohol all over the place
859. Does not seem to be working to me
860. Improve with comments made from public
861. Move the eastern Europeans on away from standing outside shops
862. The current prohibition clearly is not effective if there are still people asking (or indicating) that they want money. If nothing has changed since the prohibition was introduced, I fail to see why it is being maintained in its current form.
863. It needs additional policing adding to the order.
864. "If people are asking for food or non alcoholic drink that should be allowed. It would not be needed if the Council actually had a team every single day doing interventions to take people off the streets using the millions it has received from Central Government for this purpose.
865. In addition, the PSPO has relocated the begging to the numerous out of town retail and leisure parks and supermarkets etc."
866. The prohibition needs to be stricter as the amount of beggars in town is disgusting and scary town is a very scary place
867. "Aggressive beggars are more than a small issue, they scare people away. Particularly the elderly of our town.
868. They should be arrested on sight "
869. I've put "change the prohibition" because whatever it is at the moment doesn't seem to be working. whether it's the wording/scope or the enforcement
870. Any prohibition needs enforcement, unfortunately having an enforcement in place with no actual people on the ground enforcing it is pretty pointless as per my last visit to the town centre this bank holiday
871. Something more needs to be done as this is going on despite having the order in place
872. People busking should be allowed but general begging should not
873. Be stricter
874. Clamp down more on people in the centre, the issue is still creating issues and no evidence it is being challenged.
875. It needs to be made stricter to prevent people from asking for donations unless they have a permit from council.
876. Does this include buskers? If do amend to exclude busking
877. There seems to be a lot of people on the centre, especially early evening, asking for money.
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
879. The prohibition obviously isn't working, change it to a more robust one that's strictly enforced.
880. Either enforce the prohibition or increase it.
881. Ban it altogether but more importantly enforce it
882. Expand it to all doncaster mbc area
883. Make it stricter. Don't allow Council staff to engage in a humorous way as it sends a message that "It's ok but I am just doing my job". Keep things strictly "business"
884. Walking into the city makes me feel uncomfortable and sometimes unsafe
885. Increase efforts on this dramatically, whatever is being done at the minute doesn't work.
886. People asking for money does appear to me, to be less than in previous years.

887. Need stronger security. Town is full of these people they need to be moved on
888. It needs to be strengthened as whatever is in place isn't working
889. Some people just don't want the help they have been in the system for years and nothing has changed for them, Doncaster needs more open centres for beggars to visit and designated areas to beg if they wish to, the general public have the choice of entering this area or not, but generally begging should be removed from prime high street locations etc and a suitable area provided literally paint green circles on the pavements in key locations and beggars have to gain permits to beg from these spots, they would also have to agree to a form of counselling and options to get them out of their present predicament. No begging outside the green zone, and must show a permit to the giver.
890. This is not enforced
891. Not had any problems as I don't visit so much now
892. It needs extending to some of the outer areas where the shops are being plagued by beggars.
893. I would like to see a wider area of the prohibition
894. Stop this all together
895. More people/staff monitoring the town centre. To be more visible.
896. Begging for money in the city centre is a regular feature which is intimidating, offensive and off-putting.
897. Folk begging in shop doorways should be moved on, it makes me feel nervous about going in shops
898. Frankly it isn't working, it appears unenforceable with existing resources applied to the problem. This needs a robust and radical new approach.
899. Make this harsher there are still too many people begging
[REDACTED]
901. Make it illegal
902. Sick of them and the buskers gypsy sellers just do as they want nobody does a thing
903. Needs to be more strict, police presence or special officers more visible throughout the day and night. Offenders regroup regularly after being moved on, should be transported out of the city altogether.
904. Need to cut the amount of individuals begging & change charity stands frequently
905. Individuals don't pose any issue for me, it's the gangs around market parking that I have a problem with
906. Ban all charity street collectors and help the homeless get off the streets
907. I think it needs extending both in length of time and distance from town centre because all it does is move the problem. It's intimidating and off-putting.
908. Make it more severe
909. Too much emphasis on snowflake/woke situation. If drunks, addicts, beggars etc are a nuisance then deal with it. Never mind this I might offend them rubbish.
910. Needs to be in forced enforcement officers and police inform me that often they do not approach minority ethnic people due to the risk of being complained about this is a real problem and means that these enforcement officers are not being supported due to fear of losing their jobs from inappropriate and false complaints
911. It may be prohibited but unfortunately it does not have the desired effect, stronger measures need to be enforced.
912. Needs ramping up
913. There needs to be more power to rid the streets of people asking for money/ begging.
914. Aggressive begging isn't something I've witnessed but I understand why people might feel intimidated but sensitive & sensible policing should protect all. How does placing a hat or container nuisance, annoyance or distress? It's distressing that a human needs to beg in 2023
915. These people may depend on the money they collect, so if they are genuine and not aggressive, they should be allowed to stay.
916. Firstly have more street enforcers seen to be doing something. Why has this problem been going on for many years now, I have seen regular persons living rough for at least ten years. Do you even care about these persons. Open somewhere where these unfortunate human beings can find food and somewhere to sleep. That will address the problems.

917. Stop them, it happens in towns outside doncaster as well
918. The prohibition needs to be policed more and needs to cover those who bother people by asking them to buy goods from them out of carrier bags. They too are a nuisance
919. Have designated areas for things such as busking
920. They are sometimes threatening and intimidating...guess it depends how much alcohol and drugs they've had.
921. Too much bagging
922. Too many beggars in the City Centre. This needs addressing.
923. "Clear out homeless, provide more provisions for moving people on.
924. More temp housing and support to get out of the situations they are in. "
925. This happens all the time.... You would not think it was prohibited! it happens all the time- in the street, outside pubs, bars shops and restaraunts. It has never stopped and is sometimes quite assertive.
926. Stricter policing of the activity but easier access to points were donations to support those who need it can be made and accessed
927. Why should I feel guilty when I struggle to pay my bills and I am frequently accosted by people asking for money
928. After a first warning, banning orders. If breached, publicly visible community work orders. If still breached, tagging order to keep them out. If all else fails, court appearances with ENFORCED sentencing.
929. I think more needs to be done about moving people on. As some don't even specifically ask for money. Just the presence can be intimidating.
930. Needs expanding
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
932. Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!
933. Too many beggars
934. Know one wants this when out and about shopping.
935. Any prohibition has to be tailored ie. Legitimate, criminal, nuance, charity, help, need etc...
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
937. "Allow street genuine entertainers to carry on
- 938.
939. Beggars get them sorted I see them intimidating some older people who dare venture into town they need moving on. Town centre ambassadors need to toughen up in this area "
940. If the powers are not enough currently they should be increased to ensure begging is removed.
941. More enforcement towards to the people who are requesting money - Cig's and generally been annoying
942. "The current PSPO order is not being enforced it's all words by the council it's all about what the council are supposedly seen to be doing but aren't actually doing
943. The council along with the police authority should be imposing fines on offenders causing problems in the city centre especially unruly children their parents are responsible and should be given public order fines "
944. Make it stricter, some of the vagrants/beggars are good sorts though, they show one how to use the parking machin
945. if you have a prohibition then use it. Make it so that people cannot beg in the city, they cannot stand at car park asking for money, they cannot congregate in gangs. What is the consequences if they do? It just doesn't feel safe and no one will go until it does
946. Make it harder.

947. Make the prohibitions stronger and use them, more police required and get rid of civil enforcement most of whom act like bullies
948. If I were able to go into town, I don't want to be accosted by any of the above, if I want to donate to any charity etc, which I do on a regular basis, I will choose as and when
949. Something is not working as every week there are the people begging outside the shops in Netherrhall. I visit shops there on a Sunday morning.
950. "The problem is the council team, they all work different. Some stop the street problems. Others let things slide. It all needs to be the same across the board.
951. They appear to spend a lot of time focusing on Boots as a retailer and French Gate cafe.
- 952."
953. Need a deterrent
954. "Allow buskers as it brings a good atmosphere to the city however they need to be protected against theft
955. People asking to sign up to things such as charity lotteries should be allowed to stand but not approach people. If people want to get involved they will approach the stands"
956. As I said before there are far too many beggars.
957. It needs to be enforced
958. Beggars are intimidating
959. Need stricter controls
960. Stop the stalls in. The city on Sunday. Selling trash and not paying anything to Doncaster when shop owners and genuine stall holders pay rents
961. Far too many homeless or begging and council not doing enough
962. Tougher stance needed. It is not acceptable to take drugs or act intimidating.
963. Far too many...
964. Get them moved, most live in houses and can't be arsed to get a job, makes the town centre undesirable
965. There should be stricter enforcement, though there does seem to be less beggars in the city centre.
966. More needs to be done to stop the harassment of visitors to the town centre.
967. Prohibition needs to be strengthened
968. People still ask for money
969. Should be more restrictive
970. It is obviously not being enforced for when I enter town. Buskers and tramps and low life's dominate Doncaster
971. Not sure what the prohibition is but needs to be changed. Don't mind giving money out but just to many beggars and not sure who if any are genuine.
972. Have more PSPO's to help move people on quickly and safely.
973. Give more power to the people enforcing it and make sure they use it.
974. It makes me very uncomfortable and I avoid areas / shops where people are begging
975. I didn't know there was a prohibition so obviously not doing any good
976. Stronger deterrents
977. Stop street begging but also help the homeless people
978. Well I wasn't aware of it and it's clearly not enough. It needs to be improved.
979. Make it stronger as not enough is being done for safety.....this labour council have allowed this to happen with their neglect in letting outlets appear out of the city therefore making the centre open house for begging, drug addicts and the like
980. Toughen it up. Its not policed adequately
981. Actually enforce it. I get asked every single time I'm in town.
982. Support people in genuine need.
983. I get asked for money every time I go to town so whatever is in place right now is not working
984. Needs to be stricter
985. Expand to local centres in community; also- plenty hanging outside shop/ takeaways in nearby villages with same purpose

986. Allow street musicians and buskers, manage them
987. The problem has not gone away since the introduction of the PSPO if it was to be withdrawn then it would be even worse than it currently is
988. Should stop any kind of begging and intimidation. Should not allow smoking of cannabis and any drugs in city centre. Many of those who are asking for money have dogs, which are not on a lead and are intimidating. All dogs should be on a lead.
989. Enforce it.
990. It doesn't seem to stop anyone as I have been asked for money several times in one walk down the high street. So it either needs to be changed or needs to be policed better.
991. People should not be asking. I donate goods/clothes etc and give to charity regularly and of my own accord. Being asked is awkward, annoying and I do not trust them.
992. Whatever is being done is not working
993. Ban them. Alcoholics or drug users or both. Make it unsafe.
994. Strengthen the prohibition
995. Needs updating and making more robust to actually make a difference.
996. It is very threatening and I feel the authorities should be much more strict on it. Usually the people need help not money to support their lifestyle which is causing them harm
997. There are too many people begging and it feels unsafe walking with my 9 year old.
998. Tougher restrictions
999. This is still a big issue around the city centre.
1000. Stricter prohibition and enforce it.
1001. Doncaster needs policing better with MORE police officers on the beat to deter them.
1003. It's obvious to see that the current PSPO does not work as it should.
1004. Make it more strict, current policy clearly not working
1005. Stop all collections of any kind in the street. Legitimate collectors should approach retailers and operate with permission from their premises.
1006. Make it MUCH more strict, and see that it is policed aggressively
1007. It needs to be stricter
1008. The enforcement is non-existent and the situation is getting worse especially around the Frenchgate centre
1009. It's uncomfortable having to walk past people asking for money I afford them if I can and turn round or cross over the road, This is why I don't visit the centre
1010. "I am becoming exasperated by the begging
1011. When I have time I buy a coffee and cake for some individuals but last time I did this both had just gone away and I was landed with stuff I didn't want
1012. I do try to give to the Big Issue sellers but even that has worn a bit thin
1013. I was brought up to give and care about vulnerable and those less fortunate than me
1014. but I would rather give to a charity like the Salvation Army etc than individuals taking the p...."
1015. This is a permanent nuisance. I've no idea what is currently prohibited but whatever measures that are in force need to be strengthened. (BTW I cannot see the PSPOs 1-7 referred to above.)
1016. I still see a lot of such people who look rough sleepers and they tend to scream, shout at each other every time I go to town what makes me feel not safe
1017. Should stop begging etc
1018. Still seeing beggars and people selling out of carrier bags
1019. I think it should be allowed by charity's no other body.
1020. Stop all the beggars especially the ethnic ones who are often threatening
1021. Some folk do not cause any nuisance yet seem to beg for help somehow. Buskers are surely allowed to have a hat out or whatever container.
1022. The problem has not been eliminated.

1023. Clean up pedex areas of both street vendors and those needing support - provide more support for those in need, ie, places to eat and sleep.
1024. Enforce it !!@
1025. Needs to be tougher and enforced
1026. Look at who genuinely needs help and support rather than taking draconian measures.
1027. Ban all " chuggers" commercial company's who ask for charity donations but in reality only a percentage of the money gets to charity
1028. Be more firm in your removal of beggers people sleeping rough, and where possible stop groups congregating in and around access routes especially around the bus station and walking routes towards christ Church
1029. "They are still doing it, so something clearly isn't working.
1030. The public need to know who are genuinely homeless and would appreciate help."
1031. Get stricter. Put a stop to it.
1032. I don't go shopping to be pestered on every street corner.
1033. Cannot afford to donate to them all

1035. Far too many people involved although this is a system of the city bring run down.
1036. The people begging need help to take it off the streets totally
1037. Down and outs Druggies asking for money is only part of the problem
1038. I don't feel it's working as it should Make it so that it's not so confrontational
1039. These people need help. Find a way of helping them

1041. The people doing this activity are threatening and should be removed
1042. The action of people asking for money, in whatever form should be totally banned.
1043. change it to being enforceable - the 'problem people' have free run. Another example of the minority being catered for, and the majority
1044. Increase the measures
1045. Above all, enforce the prohibitions. There is so much evidence that no effort nor action is taken.
1046. Needs to be stricter and enforced more rigourously.
1047. Needs to be stricter
1048. This is a regular occurrence and needs to be enforced.
1049. Ban them from begging
1050. change it in line with people's comments from this survey. Respect the voice of the people who live here.
1051. Make it stronger or enforce it more
1052. It would be helpful to have people moved on from street loitering
1053. Not sure what is in place but sick of being asked for money by the homeless and I've witnessed elderly being harassed.
1054. Everyday someone asks for money - but what is the solution? begging's is a criminal offence but jails are full? give them benefits? what do tax payers get. Look at how Australia do things. we should be taking lessons from them.

1056. You can't walk through town without being asked for money so annoying
1057. Should be extended and most importantly enforced!
1058. Noybody should be allowed to approach an individual directly and ask for money for any reason, whether it seems to be threatening or not.
1059. Increase patrols, if you stop in the street for more than 2 minutes it appears that gives people licence to approach you and ask for your change.
1060. Stronger action required

1061. Shouldn't be allowed, many are just doing it for the money not because they need it. Should fetch in where food places have to donate all food at the end of the day to somewhere homeless people and those struggling can go
1062. I am usually asked for change when I visit weekly. There are people on the street with a hat on the floor
1063. People hanging around in the city centre are intimidating and intrusive
1064. charity work only
1065. Vagrants and beggars should be more actively discouraged. Going into the centre is not a pleasant experience.
1066. I'm a pensioner and I don't need people trying to beg
1067. Need to see either more Police or special constables around. Been into town today, didn't stay long as didn't feel comfortable.
1068. Seems like there has been some improvement
1069. There are people asking for money outside the railway station on many occasions and I have yet to see anyone in authority asking them to desist and move away.
1070. Get these people off the streets
1071. My son finds a bit intimidating with these people asking for money as he is in the autistic spectrum. I also find it unpleasant with the groups of drug addicts and drunkards that accumulate at the bottom of Printing Office street.
1072. I was not aware there was any prohibition as these activities take place all the time
1073. I would like to see non electronic buskers removed from this prohibition. They add colour and interest an otherwise dull and drab area. I do accept that some regulation may be necessary but total prohibition lessens the experience of visiting the City Centre
1074. make it more sticked
1075. Lock up them
1076. Because not all the beggers are drug or alcohol misusers some of them genuinely need these penny's from begging to eat.
1077. I don't think the prohibition goes far enough.
1078. I would like to see the use of official charity collectors (chuggers) banned from the City Centre. I also think we need to be more strict on people asking for money - a lot are fine but some are intimidating and put pressure on people to donate when they really can't afford it
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
1080. I appreciate that the police do their best to tackle this but I feel that more is needed to be done in order to stop this.
1081. Stop it all
1082. Changes always required and for the betterment of others
1083. Make it more strict, people are avoiding the city centre because of this, my family shop else where now due to this
1084. Nuisance
1085. Ban them doing it completely
1086. Should not be allowed at all.
1087. Use stronger laws. Make sure the police do their job of keeping our city safe.
1088. stop them completely
1089. A stricter policy needs to be implemented.
1090. Aggressive begging needs stopping altogether.
1091. Make it tougher
1092. Change it to include a ban on entering the Town Centre for one week
1093. The prohibition is NOT enforced
1094. Buskers generally are not a problem as I have not seen any. I have not had anyone ask me for money but there tend to be a number of unsavoury characters roaming the streets.
1095. Stop this altogether as at present this does not work

1096. Got accosted in the Market Place car park last week by some guy sitting under the pay and display point. Frightening.
1097. Make it even harder for beggars and drug addicts to do this
1098. Current prohibition not working
1099. It has not worked so needs stricter guidelines and more policing
1100. There should be nobody approaching people asking for money.
1101. you need to get the authorities to do a job they are paid for,also you have missed out on cyclists flouting by-laws by using pedestrian areas as a race track.
1102. Something isn't working because today in a space of 2 hours I have been asked 3 times for money
1103. I don't agree with the whole begging culture especially when I work full time and have nothing left every week myself and when if I do need to swap things around to maybe get something and you're confronted with someone asking for money say such as at the asda they are there every day some look better dressed and cleaner than myself so u don't like it nit that I'm against giving but they ask regardless when like myself already have literally nothing and yet busting my butt 5 to 7 days a week day and night
1104. More restrictions required as some people aren't going into town because of this.
1105. I wish to sponsor some people, but I like the choice as long as I am not being hassled, some people are worthy others not.
1106. More punitive action is required...current rules are flagrantly ignored and treated as a joke by various groups who treat the city centre as their territory to carry out their anti social endeavours
1107. Please get rid of these people it's horrible
1108. The prohibition isn't working
1109. It needs to stop.
1110. Does the prohibition work? It feels like people still beg outside the train station in particular.
1111. feel unsafe problem needs addressing
1112. Fed up with beggars.
1113. Get rid of beggars and druggies
1114. People who are in need have to find a way of gaining the help required. I have no particular suggestion but to take away the opportunities of finding support is not the answer, e.g. asking the public in frequently attended places. Rather, how can people seek out help? Could a public refuse such as an old approach of a 'free soup kitchen' 'fee shower and ablution facility' be available. I recognise the cost implications here. However, improved economy, improved cash flow ...
1115. It's like running the gauntlet for begging
1116. It's unnerving as an older citizen coming across people hassling you for money etc.
1117. Make the order stronger ,more strenuous policing
1118. "It needs expanding further.
1119. "
1120. The current prohibition order is definitely not working and needs to be strengthened to its strongest possible level.
1121. Should be made stricter
1122. "It needs to be more strictly enforced. Whenever I visit town I see Individuals in the town looking the worse for wear noisy and combative. And recently seen a person comatose in a shop doorway at tea time 17.00pm and I am generally asked at least once each visit for money.
1123. [REDACTED]
1124. Needs more policing of this kind of thing as it doesn't make for a great experience
1125. I've noticed an increase in people asking for money, people causing annoyance especially near the French gate entrance.
1126. Be tougher with the people asking for money. They have started following the vulnerable people around

1127. It obviously isn't working at the minute as the beggars homeless and drug taking individuals are out in abundance
1128. Things seem better, but not resolved.
1129. Not enough done to stop these people
1130. No one takes any notice of it as it is
1131. I do not feel safe on my own during the daytime so anything you can do to change this for the better would be an improvement.
1132. Don't like to see people like that.
1133. Have more police presence and encourage the higher end high street shops to have a designated area for shoppers wanting more than £1 bargains
1134. Behaviour like that is why I rarely visit.
1135. We don't want these people in our town
1136. Cover the whole of Doncaster including outside supermarkets etc (just pop to Lidl at Balby everyday at least one beggar outside)
1137. More people in our town need help these days
1138. Enforce it properly
1139. Extend it to druggies sleeping on the few benches available. Extend to men following young girls around town. Extend it to stop people riding cycles through the pedestrian zone

1141. Behaviour such as asking for money can be intimidating.
1142. Anything that helps to reduce anti social behaviour is a bonus.
1143. Get them off the streets altogether
1144. Keep it but have tougher rules and been seen to be doing something to make it more safer
1145. Should be more strict rules
1146. Enforce the prohibition as it isn't working
1147. "I cannot read about the pspo order.
1148. I assume it could be changed to be more rigorous "
1149. License musicians and other street entertainers who would wear a license badge and have to have agreed to conditions set out in their license application that would ensure their presence on the stipulated street area provided a positive experience for passers by and made the town centre more bohemian. (Leeds and Bath are successful examples).
1150. Excluding buskers
1151. The people begging have got smarter, they actually walk between shoppers trying to beg for money
1152. Take the money off them if they are begging
1153. Stop beggars

1155. "It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.
1156. The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "
1157. They are all over. Walk up to you asking for money or drinks a tv it's unnerving
1158. I don't carry money with me as I'm sure a lot of people are the same but it's not nice having to constantly say no especially when the cost of living as hit us all hard! Just because we're in Doncaster doesn't mean we have a lot of money
1159. I know people have problems, such as housing, but I find people asking for money in the centre very uncomfortable, I would like to go about my business unheeded.

1160. They should be removed
1161. tighten it up with penalties for firms/people not abiding by the rules.
1162. More enforcement required. When I do visit the centre there are always people begging.
Makes for an unpleasant experience.
1163. Enforce it more.
1164. It is all well you having one for the town centre but all that does is drive them out in surrounding areas and living in Balby this is one of the areas they all descend on. Balby used to be a nice area of town and I can say that as have lived here all my life but now it is full of rubbish and HMO's.
1165. People who are asking for charity should go. I personally feel no issue with people who ask for money for themselves.
1166. Make them stricter and actually enforce them.
1167. "There needs to be more visible police officers both in the city and especially towards the market place
1168. The druggie homeless begging people need to be not a thing "
1169. Make the prohibition stricter. I am fed up of people begging in the town centre.
1170. Remove persistent offenders who can be quite aggressive.
1171. Sort out the homeless and drug problem
1172. A greater police presence is needed, particularly at night
1173. It still happens
1174. Change it to clamp down harder on those who wish to cause trouble and annoyance with their antisocial behaviour.
1175. It hasn't stopped begging so maybe need to approach it differently?
1176. The prohibition is virtually none existent.
1177. It's clearly not working
1178. Beggars and rough sleepers need to be dealt with (which you have been promising to do for years but is still a problem) Musicians on Baxter Gate and in the City centre are fine as long as they don't affect the shops they stand outside of but most are fine and often get a tip from me as it livens up the centre. BEGGARS AND ROUGH SLEEPERS YOU MUST DEAL WITH (I grew up in a poor but happy family)
1179. This needs to stop as it is very uncomfortable.
1180. This needs to be stopped. Not only in the city centre but outside supermarkets etc
1181. This improved slightly for a short period, but this has slipped in recent months and is now worse than ever.
1182. Improve the prohibition by learning from the current situation.
1183. All begging should be stopped
1184. the current Prohibition is not solving the issues in town centre
1185. I honestly haven't noticed a difference in the amount of people begging in town centre. I don't think the current one is particularly effective
1186. Still get pestered constantly so the current prohibition isn't working.
1187. I appreciate the advice from the professionals for some of the aspects to be fine tuned and adjusted accordingly.
1188. As the above is still happening, I think it needs tightening up.
1190. Needs enforcing better
1191. No point in fining them as it's tax payers money they are claiming on UC anyway. Get them made to work cleaning the place up!
1192. If we wish to be seen as a city then we should act as one. At the moment there is nothing to indicate city status. We still look and feel like a 2nd rate run down northern town.
1193. Stop them completely
1194. As the town centre is full of older people throughout the day, it's intimidating, as we keep the shops open, we should feel safer

1195. I don't want to be asked for money etc. this should be banned completely.
1196. Stop begging altogether.
1197. Needs more doing. The closed off streets and pubs are attracting the wrong type of people in to the city centre.
1198. I have no problem with those that genuinely homeless. I have noticed more going round selling fake perfumes etc out of carrier bags. This needs addressing.
1199. This needs to be removed from the streets, you can't go in to the centre without numerous beggars asking for money. Shop at Meadowhall mainly for this reason.
1200. This needs to be strictly monitored and actually acted upon.
1201. Two many
1202. There has been an increase in beggars and homeless and druggies shouting and swearing and littering over the past 2yrs. There hasn't been an improvement atall. It's worse.
1203. Increase police patrols to prevent this nuisance.
1204. Make it more strict and be seen to be doing something
1205. It has to stop
1206. Make the prohibition more stricter!
1207. There are far too many homeless people people approaching you all the time asking for money. I feel sorry for the elderly they must feel very threatened by these people
1208. Improve response times and surveillance measures to reduce occurance
1209. The last few years this issue has gotten worse
1210. Keep them our
1211. Enforce the order as you do not at present why have it if you don't do something with it
1212. It's obviously not working or you are not acting on it
1213. Lots of antisocial behaviour and no one enforces rules
1214. Make it stricter, and do more to stop it
1215. Make stricter as obviously not working, always getting approached for money, change, food and to see if I want to buy perfume from a bag
1216. "Whether it's the enforcement or the prohibition the reality is that there is a significant number of individuals and gangs who make me feel unsafe. You need to add to the prohibition in such a way that it works. I don't like my Mum coming in, I don't feel safe and it looks and feels awful. Yes, Support and treatment is preferable , however it isn't working well enough. The beggars and criminals know the system. They need to know they can't come and behave how they do.
1217. The prohibition needs quicker steps, engage with support or the law is enforced. The beggars know that nothing will happen and are choosing to live within parameters that don't deal with the issues.
1218. The Police need to do their job much more effectively. We rarely see any.
1219. The city centre is improving but you won't improve the economy until the ASB is sorted. "
1220. INCLUDE BUSKERS WHO ENTERTAIN SHOPPERS BUT PROHIBIT OTHERS EG BEGGARS
1221. Crack down. Its a nuisance.
1222. needs more monitoring and security moving them on its not a good look and i dont feel safe
1223. Should do more to protect Doncaster citizens
1224. Does this include what is known as 'Chuggers' - they collect for charities but they are very intrusive and 'in your face'. it may be for a good cause but I don't feel this is appropriate. i have no issue with charities having a stall - it's the ones who constantly approach the public.
1225. Make them stronger
1226. Make and police it stricter.
1227. Too many don't know who are the genuine 1s the order needs looking to be more strictor
1228. Stricter enforcement of begging
1229. This should stop regardless of the clauses set out above,
1230. Charities and well deserving people are always going to be there and rightly so. Drunks and addicts scare and agitate people

1231. The druggies bring the whole city centre down. They congregate in the same areas but nothing done to move them.
1232. Make use it properly managed
1233. Needs to be harsher
1234. Widen the area
- [REDACTED]
1236. Needs to stop altogether it's making the problem worse
1237. "It is definatly a nuisance and spoils a day out I am approached by these people almost every time I go to town
1238. And the problem is spreading to my local area too"
1239. I wouldn't feel safe on my own in the center there are too many groups of young men hanging around they make me feel uncomfortable
1240. Annoying
1241. Make the results of there actions stricter. On the spot fines ,make banning orders longer and enforce them
1242. The Enforcement needs to be more robust, less chatting and walking by of enforcement officers, extend the area.
1243. Encourage The Big Issue to work with people in need in the city. Prohibit the council from building unaffordable housing. Prohibit the spending of public funds on anything other than nurture, rehabilitation and care of vulnerable members of the public.
1244. Increasing numbers of people asking if I can spare any change - it's intimidating and needs stopping .
1245. Need to remove homeless begging on the street and groups of men gathering. Other nuisance is shops that display wares out on the pavement/walkway outside their shops (Especially on Baxter Gate).
1246. Prominent public areas should be clear of the above they don't give visitors to Doncaster a good impression of the city also local people don't like coming to Doncaster centre because of this.
1247. There needs to be sime kind if enforcement put in place to deter filk begging & actually approaching you for money.
1248. Make it stricter and enforce it.
1249. They should be physically removed from public spaces.
1250. More policing is needed
1251. Enforce!
1252. Stop people asking for money on the streets
1253. Stop it!
1254. I get approached by beggars virtually every time I go onto the city centre
1255. "It does not seem like begging is prohibited
1256. There are very few police
1257. Gangs of youths are openly walking about intimidating the public
1258. I know many people who now avoid the city centre completely
1259. The police are not doing there job
1260. Why don't they have knife detector tunnels has an every day event starting random searches all over town at key points"
1261. "There needs to be a happy medium, buskers are great as they entertain and add cultural diversity, and a hat is simply placed for you to donate.
1262. However someone thrusting a collection box in your face every 10 minutes is not acceptable."
1263. On the one had I don't want this to stop because it's a big help for homeless asking for food, drink or change, and if this stops they'll be in an even worse state than they already are and they'll only move onto a different area causing concerns there. It's a hard one, on the one hand it can be intimidating and on the other we want to help and give any change or refreshments we can. Can

more food banks or cafes take part in offering support to homeless, reducing the need for them to bother the general public?

1264. It's broken and it needs mending
1265. Needs enforcing no one is taking any notice
1266. There are a lot of beggars about sometimes it is unnerving if you have elderly or young children with you
1267. Need to increase level of prohibition, current level too intimidating
1268. often very stressful atmosphere outside frenchgate centre entrance near mcdonalds people shouting, swearing, arguing, begging even fighting.
1269. Ban them all, other towns do it
1270. Increase policing
1271. City centre unauthorised begging should be completely banned
1272. its not good enough at the moment, however focus needs to be on the non-homeless begging, career beggars
1273. Increase patrols by police
1274. Needs to be longer and more strict
1275. The prohibition needs more enforcement, there is very little presence of enforcement
1276. I don't think enough is being done about the homeless people and the beggars in the city centre. They are there all times of the day drinking and swearing and asking for food or money, but you never see a police presence
1277. Extend it to other areas
1278. "Whatever you are doing isnt working! this continues.
1279. Stop this! it is not a nice atmosphere to be around."
1280. More needs to be done to clear the beggars and homeless off the streets and stop pestering
1281. Needs to be stricter. The begging/amount of beggars in Doncaster is out of control
1282. Stop moving homeless people who are in dire need. Imagine if that was you.
1283. Move the beggars out of the city.
1284. it needs to go further the problem has not gone away and is getting worse
1285. Building a center for people in need ,give them a job or to help environmental ,give them qualifications and training.
1286. That's ok about charity but mostly ask money and they do drug . That's why don't pay them
1287. Get asked on a regular basis therefore whatever the prohibition is it's not working
1288. It's really annoying when you go shopping they are outside the shop. I definitely do not give because I have been told to discourage them from doing so. I only got stung once in the city centre. I felt sorry for her drama wanting to go home but no money for taxi. I then gave taxi fare - when I turned round I saw her walking away with a fellow. Not a very nice experience. It annoys me as well when I see them begging, they have an alcohol drink in their hands!
1289. I don't mind donating in shops but don't agree with people stand on the streets asking for donations
1290. Something drastic needs implementing as no one will enter the city centre before long
1291. Make it MUCH stronger - I get hassled all the time
1292. Enforce it more!
1293. Stop all nuisances
1294. Ban it completely
1295. Most of them have better vehicles than me
1296. Still feel pestered in town to donate etc.
1297. More enforcement
1298. Something more has to be done
1299. "As pensioners I don't really feel safe visiting the city centre
1300. if things stay the same the town will only decline further if thats possible
1301. It is not working to make the city safe it needs to be reassessed.
1302. There should be zero tolerance on begging and drunks

1303. Toughen up as still happens
1304. sometimes as a woman I find this attention frightening
1305. It's more distressing when people walk behind you or at the side of you talking and pestering you for money
1306. Make it more stricter
1307. We are still a very rich country. We should not have this type of annoyance or distress on are our door steps. Drugs and related problems with them should be delt with on a more active basis. Shipping or moving the problem around does not deal with it.
1308. Borders on harassment and is very unpleasant
1309. They are asleep in doorways and even on small monuments wrapped in old duvets
1310. More needed
1311. Most vagrants seem to be organised and would appear early in the morning in large numbers then disperse throughout the town to do their begging.
1312. Makes place look scruffy
1313. It could be better
1314. This is an occurrence wherever I visit. A polite "no" and I walk on.
1315. There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.
1316. The number of people you describe above is minimal in my experience. No doubt there are many and complex reasons why people end up in this position and perhaps they need more support rather than being prosecuted by the law.

1318. This is all part of a nationwide problem that cannot be resolved by the actions of one small part alone. It is the direct result of national government policy dating back decades. Imposing a ban on such behaviour in the so-called city centre merely moves the problem to the outskirts and beyond.
1319. I have not heard of a stupider idea than prohibition. Cities cannot be divided into areas where pathology is fought and areas where it is ignored. A ban covering the city center will only cause anti-social individuals to move to the neighborhoods adjacent to the center.
1320. I don't understand this question
1321. I don't find such people threatening or a problem
1322. Address the issue of why they are there, not what they are doing
1323. The homeless need more support. Empty offices/housing to keep them safe.
1324. No one is raking a blind bit if notice of it so why bother!
1325. I believe that the decline in the quantity and quality of local authority services to support people who are vulnerable/homeless is the primary causal factor for the increase in ASB within the town centre and it appears to me that seeking punitive measures to address a problem the LA has caused is not the right solution
1326. There are laws in place and police have powers to deal with such behaviours without the prohibition.
1327. Begging is still common and the PSPO is just not enforced. There is even a beggar outside Asda supermarket on Bawtry Road every time I shop there. Nobody is even interested in doing anything about it. Parts of the city centre are becoming no-go areas.
1328. Why waste more money it's obviously not working. We still have beggars, travelers and others asking for money.
1329. Why Bother They Do It Still Anyway
1330. Not working
1331. "Pointless, you don't enforce it long term."
1332. Move them on, let them straight back.
1333. You're being played for fools."
1334. They don't stop it now

1335. What's the point of having it? The spice heads, drunks and druggies are the only people in town anyway. I've never seen any get dispersed and constantly get pestered if I ever have to visit town, so it clearly does not work. Just more money and resources wasted for no result.
1336. People who are begging for money are clearly desperate, homeless people get moved on to somewhere where no one can see if they need urgent care, its a battering ram of a solution that requires more nuance.
1337. What's the point of having it? Nobody is enforcing it
1338. Stop policing homelessness.
1339. I don't consider this distressing or antisocial behaviour
1340. Not had anyone beg from me in Doncaster.
1341. stop all begging and people loitering asking for money
1342. if people are struggling don't need people asking for hand outs
1343. You get this in any area
1344. Poor sods deserve help.
1345. It's pointless as it's not policed sufficient and when it is those in question just return or turn up else where.
- [REDACTED]
1347. People are scared and intimidated by them
1348. I give a little bit when I can afford it
1349. It's getting ridiculous in town for beggars and homeless
1350. Provide better care for the homeless and imorove drug misuse services PSPO isnt dealing with the issues its just moving it on
1351. I say that because it's not working when it is in place
1352. people are poorer than years ago
1353. I'm not even conversant with what the prohibition is so find it hard to comment or who it is aimed at
1354. It is doing no harm
1355. the government is doing it all to the people , so they should be looking after them .
1356. I don't have a problem with people asking me for things. Some people need things.
1357. the city centre is not a bit of a mess without these selling papers and the people sleeping on the footpaths .that is not v ery welcoming or encouaging for an ybody to visit
1358. Where else can they go?
1359. Not working , where's the police
1360. too many people ask for money for no reason
1361. It's absolutely disgusting ☹ so many homeless and they make so much rubbish.
1362. It's not working and these people need help not banishing
1363. they dont ask kids for money and they need to get a job
1364. Don't give money to people who don't want work
1365. People asking you for money, donations or goods are bad actually..
1366. i like to see buskers, think more should be done for homeless.
1367. It gets a nuisance people asking for money etc I don t av that much myself
1368. Far to many, one starts an other 1 starts.
1369. People are desperate for help!
1370. Police are a bit heavy handed with some people and could handle situations better...moving people elsewhere is moving the problem to somewhere else.
1371. If someone needs help they should be able to ask for it. They are also citizens of Doncaster

Loitering - Responses from organisations:

1. LACK OF ENFORCEMENT IN AREA
2. It doesn't work and making it a non issue will make it worse.
3. not come across any problems
4. this needs to enforced more stricly
5. common sense
6. Currently this is still happening and not being stopped by the PSPO
7. Again this activity does not provide a good experience for people visiting the CC.
8. There should be stricter prohibition.
9. People around NCP Relish car park begging or groups of males appearing to be using the area to sell cars
10. Clear them off the streets
11. This section is frequently used, especially near car parking meters, specifically at Market Place car park
12. The car park behind our shop close to Relish always has people begging at the paying machine, our customers have said they feel intimidated by this.
13. This restriction also needs to extend to doorways and windows of all businesses not just around ATMs
14. Same as answer above
15. People feel unsafe when they have someone watching them while their using a cash machine .
16. I agree car parking payment machines need to be added.
17. We are experiencing increased levels of nuisance and intimidation around cash machines where we witnessed old and vulnerable people being followed and asked for money.
18. See answer above people should not feel intimidated particularly women
19. This can be intimidating for customers who use the Council Car Parks pay and display machines. Civil Enforcement Officers and colleagues from the City Centre Team are approach by members of the public in relation to this aspect of behaviour, thus resulting in officer interaction and evidence for a breach to the PSPO.

Loitering - Responses from individuals:

1. This needs to be better monitored
2. Car parks beggars are intimidating
3. Seen cars parking on path illegal
4. Fear of robbery intimidation
5. I have been approached in car parks and have seen people loitering near oay machines and aggressively speaking with members if the public
6. Keeps people safe with the beggars moved on
7. I've never really had a problem with it.
8. Scared to use car parks as always someone sat next to a machine
9. Yes this is still a problem - individuals often hang around these areas and it can be intimidating.
10. Is there really a prohibition?
11. Please enforce. Today 05/05/2023 people were begging at the pay stations at the car park in the cattle market. This is a regular occurrence, similar scenes can be seen on the car park on East Laith Gate every time I visit the town (sorry city) center
12. But to be honest the current order has been a total and utter waste of time. It has not resulted in any significant reduction in this behaviour because enforcement has been next to zero. So why bother? When will the authorities learn that legislation without enforcement is meaningless? The public are not fooled that you are 'doing something', this is a box ticking exercise.
13. Those begging outside B&M to find out staying in the Hotel across the Road was despicible.
14. Yes, fed of these too.
15. This should be kept to protect the vulnerable

16. I have seen people with a Liverpool accent trying to sell their wares to the public including harassing people who are at ATM's
17. To have people loitering is frightening and threatening not only to the elderly but to anyone who may be using the facilities.
18. This is an uneasy and threatening violation
19. I want my shopping trip to be enjoyable not stressful from beginning to end, even from parking my car. I want it to be pleasant and not feel I have to worry about strangers surrounding car parking ticket machines.
20. Needs to be sorted out so as people feel safe
21. Don't feel particularly safe using cash machine unless in a branch.
22. See previous answers
23. Similar reason to my reasons in answer 6
24. as a woman, I'm concerned for my safety
25. The only loitering I encounter is from groups of men hanging around but not near the places named above. I always go into the bank anyway
26. As above
[REDACTED]
28. Again I don't see why I should have to explain my decision not to give money.
29. Please don't take away our Hunger Hill Woodland from us. Please ask the archeological group to take down the fencing in the Woodland, it's been there for months now after they have long finished their work
30. As a woman often feel people buy such machines make me feel vulnerable
31. Awful walk from marks and Spencer to car park near market. People asking for money, begging
32. Probably won't be as much of a problem as the TOWN centre decline continues.
33. A safety & crime matter
34. See previous comment.
35. As above
36. Obviously people using cash machines want to feel safe
37. As above
38. Its very intimidating and concerning
39. Why do they need to be there? Move away it's intimidating
40. ATM receipts strewn all over; discarded polystyrene food containers, people 'gazing' on the pathways.
41. Before the prohibition the city centre was not a good place to visit and felt unsafe which is not you want when the city needs to thrive
42. Enforce it.
43. Makes older people feel safe
44. These need dealing with daily
45. It's worrying
46. Again people can feel as they're a target for yheft
47. If I'm using a ATM I don't want a someone looking over your shoulder
48. There seems to be no way to enforce this restriction.
49. This is very intimidating especially for people on their own.
50. More officers
51. These people make me anxious and at risk
52. THIS IS A SAFETY ISSUE FOR PUBLIC
53. As previous answer.
54. Make it stricter enforcement
55. I'm glad this was brought in as it was very intimidating for some people. I am informed South Yorkshire and Doncaster have excellent help for the homeless so just deal with the druggies causing havoc with their arguments now.
56. No issues that ive seen so ok from my experience
57. Not a safe place to go.

58. no one loitering
59. As per previous answer nobody enforces the prohibition so what's the point?
60. More enforcement for car parks, especially the one near Relish
61. Feel uneasy with people loitering around the machines
62. There is far too much loitering in the centre and people drunk, on drugs and generally acting threatening. Pedestrianisation has made this worse. Open the roads and car access and increase security/ Police presence. Despite your propaganda, Doncaster is neither vibrant, safe or a place people want to visit. This needs to change.
63. People loitering /sitting / begging near machines where you need to use cash or card causes concern for your own safety and we have a couple of times left to come back at a later time.
64. As above
65. Again reinforce, behaviour like this makes it feel unsafe
66. They make people anxious
67. Just don't feel safe in anymore
68. I will only get cash from inside a bank as I'm too scared to do anything else.
69. I am unsure what the prohibition is currently but I have been approached recently at a cash machine on st sepulchre gate by two men asking for money. There is never any enforcement when I have been to town with my child
70. The city has gone downhill due to begging
71. I used to enjoy sitting outside a coffee shop, in the fresh air, but the area outside the Frenchgate Centre adjacent to the Halifax is an area of congregation for the spice girls and boys who freely swear loudly and square up to each other. I no longer use that area preferring to remain in the Frenchgate Centre.
72. As above - this is intimidating to the public.
73. Supermarket begging is still a problem
74. Only people with bad intentions would wandering around pay machines for more than 10mins and staring at anyone who is using them.
75. This makes people feel uncomfortable and uneasy. It puts people in a place where they don't use the machines and puts them off returning in the future.
76. People feel threatened by them hanging around.
77. Bit intimidating need to be acted on
78. We need to be getting more serious about people loitering round the cash machines
79. Anything to help keep people safe or at least the feeling of being safe using an ATM, parking machines etc.
80. I would go inside to use machines or tell people to back up
81. It can be intimidating for the elderly visitors
82. These people should be taken out of the city centre.
83. This again is a big problem, and makes me personally feel unsafe and intimidated
84. It's intimidating using a car park ticket machine when someone is sat at the side of it asking for money.
85. Small mirrors at eye level on the wall or on the machine would help the user feel safer.
86. I don't use any pay machines they make me feel vulnerable.
87. i still see lots of people begging, usually the same ones
88. It is worrying when people loiter around cash machines and this does not feel safe when needing cash
89. It deters one from using this service
90. Begging for money everywhere.Horrible
91. People loiter everywhere. Have you seen the man in the doorway of east laith gate who stands with his shredded coat. Do you know he changes into those clothes and sells new coats that people donate to him.
92. It's important to try and curb it.
93. Don't feel safe using the banks
94. You do nothing g now so what difference will it make

95. The last time I had to pay a cheque into my bank I came in about 6pm and had my Grandson ride shotgun.
96. It's working but needs greater enforcement.
97. Needs enforcement
98. I find it unsettling so I always use cash machines inside the Bank.
99. Loitering round these can be threatening to the person using it
100. The reason why the town... yes town centre is an unsafe place to be
101. Yes please stop gangs for young adults causing trouble
102. This really puts me off from parking in the City Centre, as some of the people begging can be quite aggressive
103. Can be very worrying especially if withdrawing cash.
104. Do not know what it means
[REDACTED]
106. It happens a lot
107. As previous answer.
108. Make sure this is enforced
109. Around town centre supermarkets particularly
110. Intimidation is really unpleasant
111. Keep loitering away
112. It's unnerving having people watching you, I never use a cash machine in the street, I always go inside a bank
113. To keep safe
114. I don't know how the prohibition has helped
115. Fear when I approach the payment machine
116. Again harassed at pay points at car parks
117. Definitely needed
118. Very intimidating when people do this
119. I've never encountered this
120. There are a lot of people who do not use Apps for parking so still pay at the machine
121. Feel uncomfortable
122. Pay attention to the comments don't just say so what.
123. Get the SYP Chief Constable to get some uniformed Constables patrolling on foot.
124. Never use one always go into the Halifax for greater security
125. Never feel safe always go into the bank to make any transaction.
126. I do not know what the prohibition is it that it is used.
127. It can be frustrating to see people around these places
128. as above
129. This is extremely intimidating. I actually don't use cash anymore. If I occasionally do need some I will go to somewhere out of town. Or get cash back at the supermarket.
130. People should not be allowed to inappropriately loiter anywhere, so it is important that this remains unchanged
131. As above
132. Still not working
133. There is a lack of enforcement
134. Nuisance
135. N/A
136. I wouldn't feel safe with someone watching what I was doing and feel I can't use the ATMs outside of the banks etc.
137. As before rough sleepers and beggars loitering around the machines intimidating
138. again a greater Police presence would help
139. The problem has not gone away
140. People feel unsafe and at risk of theft and abuse from people loitering.

141. Proposal supported to ensure safety and feeling of safety.
142. Car parking machines are the worse for this from my experience
143. I will not use a cash machine outside
144. The street team do a fantastic job of keeping the bins empty and cleaning up litter.
145. it's very distressing worrying about if they are going to try something when you are using the machine
146. Unsure what the laws are
147. Loitering anywhere should be policed.
148. Beggars have become a large issue in the city centre. They follow large groups and make individuals feel uncomfortable.
149. Enforce the orders
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
151. Bring in stricter powers
152. I've not seen what PSPo 2 is??? These beggars need opportunities/ jobs/ hope- they appear to me to be organised crime - told/ manipulated by others! They need help.
153. I very rarely go to Doncaster, on the odd occasion that I do, I make cash withdrawals from inside my bank, as most cases on the street you are accosted for money when leaving outdoor cash machines
154. Extent to include the walk way between the college and Chappell Drive car park. Have police presence especially in winter when it's dark and we have to walk alone up to 9pm.
155. Keep working at this. It is intimidating
156. Don't know where pspo is to read it.
157. These people should be encouraged to move on and not loiter in the city centre.
158. Feel uncomfortable if people are just hanging around especially at bank machines
159. Is it working?
160. They are intimidating
161. Too much temptation for them otherwise
162. Makes you feel unsafe & threatened.
163. Feel unsafe, special for kids.
164. There are still people loitering around car parking machines, offering advice and then wanting payment. Feels intimidating
165. I haven't experienced this issue
166. See previous comment
167. Entering a dimly lit carpark as a lone person is not nice when the pay machines have several youths around them
168. Expand to other local areas
169. For safety
170. It's unnerving
171. Its intimidating
172. This used to be a major issue and made me scared to take my purse out to pay for parking
173. I didn't even know it was prohibited but yet it still happens
174. Haven't experienced this in a while so couldn't comment only to say it seems to happen less in my opinion.
175. Does it work? Or does the problem just shift somewhere else.
176. It's stressful being watched at cash machines and fearing what people will do.
177. It is intimidating
178. See above.
179. As previous answer
180. it's intimidating in an already unpleasant environment
181. again still happening every day
182. No
183. Its intimidating.
184. I don't see this much at all

185. People do not feel safe anymore. Until the public regains their trust in the local authorities, they should feel safe and comfortable in their own locality. In order to do that, we should discourage thefts and robberies and this was the first step in achieving this. I would strongly recommend keeping this in place for at least another year.
186. It makes you feel nervous I go in banks to use machines as I don't feel safe outside
187. Not safe
188. As above
189. I would feel more safer if these weren't here
190. A bit threatening
191. Dangerous behaviour by mostly youths when we have a aged population in doncaster.
192. DO NOT FEEL SAFE
193. Keep us safe and these scrubbers away from the town centre
194. Very unnerving when someone comes near me when using atm
195. Intimidating when people hang round
196. Not everyone has apps on their phones
197. No reason to change the prohibition. Safety needs to be felt by all -against potential 'watchers' with intent to do harm or steal.
198. As above
199. As my last comment
200. Is there any 'prohibition'????
201. As above. Prohibitions only work if enforced
202. Definitely ban this! There should never be a need to loiter around where people has cash exposed, its dangerous
203. Again this makes me feel uncomfortable and should be extended to all supermarkets if possible.
204. That's bad if people are hanging round when you are using atm's very scary,
205. Seen no problem
206. I've never seen this
207. This has to stop its not safe for the public especially women on there own and elderly I NOW GO BUY TRAIN AS I HAVE A FEAR I MIGHT BE MUGGED IN CAR PARKS
208. It's intimidating when for instance paying for parking and being approached for money.
209. This needs enforcement
210. This is an ongoing problem, it needs to be dealt with.
211. No comment
212. I don't understand the PSPO item
213. though it is prohibited i am accosted at the market car park and on the streets almost every time i am in town
214. Don't like to be constantly bothered by the drug addicts who target you when they think you've got cash on you. It's very intimidating and causes great anxiety when you're trying to go about your daily business.
215. It can be quite intimidating especially when accompanying vulnerable service users
216. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like
217. I am not aware of any major problems.
218. when i've had visitors from outside the area, come to stay the fact that some one was there to explain that actually buying a full day was cheaper than 3 hours stay made my friend happy. they also said actually if that person was a regular at the payment machine it actually makes the carpark safer as its like they were a free warden to watch the car park
219. Again it's essential
220. They offer a threat to the vulnerable
221. It's intimidating and threatening
222. Never had an issue at cash machines so no negatives from me.
223. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.

224. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as its these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do
225. Not experienced this myself
226. CCTV. Warn repeat offenders
227. It can make people feel unsafe especially with the mugging around the town
228. As above enforcement
229. I do not use machines it is unsafe
230. I haven't witnessed this so cant comment
231. This can be very upsetting for people as many are not aware of the abuse they can receive. Also it is scary to have people so close to you when making a transaction.
232. The town is dead I will never shop there
233. Same as Q 6
234. Answer as above.
235. Feel intimidated at times
236. This can be quite intimidating particularly to the vulnerable.
237. It needs more enforcement
238. I wouldn't draw money if i was on my own people dont keep their distance and invade your space
239. I was asked for money in the market car park.
240. Same as number 6
241. "I act cautiously when using cash points.
242. Cover the pin entry & check area for unusual items."
243. No
244. Intimidating
245. It's scary having someone approach you for "change" when you've just withdrawn cash from a machine or are trying to use a pay machine. Especially when I'm with my children. The train station front is terrible. I avoid it.
246. Makes you feel unsafe and not enough police presence to make you feel safe
247. It can be very intimidating having people hang around near cash machines so prohibition should continue
248. If prohibition is to be changed, it ought to be made more severe
249. ditto above
250. I have seen them hanging around both Lloyds Bank and the Halifax, it makes customers feel threatened, that's why I always go inside my bank to withdraw money.
251. Rarely use cash machines in city centers so don't really worry about it.
252. Having people who are not using cash machines and hanging around them makes me feel uncomfortable and unsafe
253. As above.
254. see answer 6/5
255. There are numbers of people are constantly watching, staring and stalking around bank machines and then asking for money, waiting for the moment to go and hurt a vulnerable person or and a group of people.
256. i don't use atm's in public if i can help it
257. We require police & marshalls walking the streets again.
258. We think it is about right
259. Groups of undesirables.
260. They are intimidating to lone women and the elderly
261. Remove them- security risk/ hazard
262. Unable to view the proposed changes as suggested?
263. As much prohibition as required to make the city centre safe.
264. Usually the loiters are up to no good.
265. needs greater enforcement

266. There still there soon as officers go another one comes

267. Street patrols would help with the perception of safety.

268. It's very intimidating. I'm all for helping people- and I do but shouldn't be forced.

269. Seems fine at the moment but needs monitoring all the time

270. Same answer as at number 6

271. Again it's intimidating

272. Stop them completely

273. I do not feel safe at any ATM

274. N/A

275. It's difficult not to view loiterers with suspicion. I no longer use the cash machines outside the bank, but use those inside the building.

276. I find this very unnerving especially if I have my grandchildren with me as well

277. Still a problem

278. Never go to town that often.

279. I use cash machine indoors if possible to many looking over your shoulder. trying to look in your shopping bags try to talk to you at cash machine to distract you etc

280. Much better

281. As above employ it

282. As previously answered

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

284. People looking for unfotunates

285. police it

286. "I only use cash machine inside the banks

287. "

288. Elderly people are scared going in and out of banks

289. This behaviour in our City Centre is to be discouraged on all levels, it is off putting to park in an area where beggars are asking for your money.

290. Enforce it

291. I hate having to walk by these people as a lone older woman

292. No comment

293. Haven't seen any people asking for money at cash machines for quite a while now, thankfully. It could be rather intimidating

294. I have not had a problem with this. Maybe it is working.

295. It makes people feel threatening.

296. "Guess where the beggars await their prey ? One 'works' long hours outside Tesco on Barnsley Road. Often there is a beggar outside ALDI.

297. I know for a fact that old ladies who live near to us no longer go to those shops for that reason. They feel intimidated. They are intimidated in their frailty. However, they can be significant economic agents and many of them are socially well connected. Hence your reputation."

298. This is also very intimidating. I rarely use a cash machine in town for this reason.

299. as in the previous question the prohibition is ignored because of the lack of security

300. Keep them moving on it can be threatening

301. I do not like loiterers, beggars and people demanding money. The town centre must be a place where people can go about their business unhindered

302. As above

303. non at this time

304. Haven't seen this problem recently.

305. You don't know if they're going to try and mug you

306. There is generally at least one person at the North Bridge car park doing this.

307. For the reasons stated in the question.

308. Annoying when going to pay for parking someone sat in front of machine or annoying me saying how I need to pay
309. People do not respect personal space around these areas so personally I like people to keep well back whilst I'm at a cash point or pay machine
310. I don't like being hounded at supermarkets, banks or car parking machines
311. I have seen loitering round pay machines I ignore these people they never have asked me for money.
312. Just Police it more
313. Stop all the loitering round the town
314. Although I think it could be policed better at least something is being done
315. Because they loiter near banks and cash machine especially I do not feel safe withdrawing money
316. It's alright keeping the prohibition but there's no one enforcing it.
317. As I said earlier Find them a Job and make them Work for a Living instead of loitering around the Town
318. The car park outside relish is rife with opportunists
319. The problem is still persistent and intimidating for my wife when she visits alone.
320. It's intimidating to have people loitering
321. I have not comment
322. These people make me uncomfortable so I only spend as little time as I need and leave
323. People become scared of loitering
324. Friend mugged outside Halifax last month
325. The prohibition needs to include loitering around car parks
326. Useless unless enforced
327. This can be threatening to the vulnerable
328. Difficult to enter the French Gate Centre when there are people regularly laid in front of the doors.
329. Keep
330. Ringo parking is not always in operation so cash parking should be still available. In this case the prohibition should remain unchanged.
331. Again, we all need to feel safe wherever and whatever we go into the City Centre for.
332. Don't know could be done council has tried everything
333. Nobody knows for sure who is waiting around cash machines and if they are bona fide but you have to be sceptical for your own safety
334. I want to say increase the prohibition, how do I do that?
335. I feel you need to be aware at all times when using cash machines
336. Can be very intimidating .
337. get these people out of city centre
338. As a former senior detective, I consider your prohibition to be very sensible and reassuring for members of the public making use of such facilities.
339. Fed up of harrowment
340. I would never use a cash machine in Doncaster city centre any more
341. I've never had an issue here
342. I agree with it.
343. Threatening intimidation puts people off visiting
344. It still happens
345. There is a sense of danger for some in this position. When there was a royal visit some years ago, it was remarkable who they suddenly stopped begging. It can be done
346. This needs dealing with as it puts people off using places or stores. There is a store near me which I avoid using because of the people loitering around the door or by the trolley bay and I am not the only one.
347. I used the old Tesco car park, which is now B and M but it was very frightening walking from there to the crossing for Frenchgate access, once again stopped using it. And now I would never use the multi-storey car parking, I haven't been in there since Debenhams closed, I dread to think what it must be like now.

- 348.no answer to the above.
- 349.More CCTV should be installed around payment machines to enable a true picture of this activity
- 350.I don't have any experience of this, I rarely use atm's in doncaster or anywhere else
- 351.No real reason
- 352.Visitors to the town centre have a right to go about their legitimate business without having to make excuses or use avoidance tactics to get round this type of activity. I NEVER use town centre, on street cash machines, because of this problem. The only time that this worked in my favour was when DMBC suspended parking charges on the market car park during Covid but did not widely publicise the fact. A homeless person was standing by the machine telling everyone there was no need to pay. He did not ask for money, but I gave him my parking fee anyway!
- 353.Makes my wife feel very scared and vulnerable.
- 354.People loitering round car parking machines I personally have found more help than a not. Those machines are not easy to use & many a time people have helped me.
- 355.I don't feel safe when using the cash machine outside the bank.
- 356.Fine them
- 357.As before
- 358.people are threatened to give money on car parks
- 359.Don't feel safe
- 360.It's to prevent criminals taking over the town centre.
- 361.Not only does it look bad for visitors seeing all these beggar's and drunk fueled people they need moving on
- 362.It doesn't feel safe as makes you feel as though someone is watching and waiting to steal money from you
- 363.These people can be a nuisance
- 364.Do not feel safe using a speed bank for cash
- 365.I always go inside the Bank to use cash machine. Not comfortable using outside cash machines.
- 366.Prefer not to be harassed
- 367.Was hassled only last week after 6pm meat csr park machine ...
- 368.Too many beggars in car park around payment machines. Intimidates people using car park, would rather go to other towns.
- 369.I don't use the market car park if I am on my own due to people hanging around the payment machines asking for money
- 370.I have felt safe whilst using atm's on st sep gate.
- 371.Intimidating
- 372.Shoulder surfing should be a criminal offence on warnings, straight to court.
- 373.It is intimidating and scary for the elderly and people on their own.
- 374.Need for vigilance
- 375.Cashless society
- 376.Enforce it.
- 377.I have not personally witnessed this but sympathise with those that have.
- 378.People asking for money/ change at the car parking machines is not good
- 379.Very necessary for customers peace of mind.
- 380.I have observed people sitting next to parking machines very recently and outside shops.
- 381.Give the police more powers to move them on. Ideally to the job centre
- 382.Groups of drug users hanging round in large groups
- 383.They can be helpful but a nuisance too
- 384.As above
- 385.They just want your money
386. Aggressive beggars in car parks tampering with machines.
- 387.Never noticed this
- 388.People congregating around machines puts me off using them
- 389.Intimidation and fear of being robbed.

390. I can't believe you've had such an order in for so long I've not seen any signs of this in the town. There obviously needs to be a much stronger presence and these people being removed and not just moved elsewhere in the town
391. I always go inside the bank. Because always people hanging around in the street.
392. I have felt wary at payment places where I have my purse out and someone who obviously wants money telling me how to use the machine (when I don't need them to).
393. Have you been anywhere around the Danum Hotel?
394. Obviously this is safer for all users of cash machines
395. Outside French Gate people loitering
396. This sort of activity is very, very anti social and puts women off coming in to our city.
397. ENSURE THAT PEOPLE LOITERING AROUND PAY MACHINES ETC ARE DEALT WITH
398. Haven't seen any problems with this, but have thieves everyday loitering around from of store waiting for staff to move, they need to be moved along at all times of the opening hours.
399. This needs to be however consistent in being enforced.
400. As before - I agree with this prohibition but I would like to know how these individuals are being engaged with and what services they are offered and what the success of this is. It is very easy to just push people out to a different area, which only moves the problem along.
401. I have given money before to people standing outside supermarkets, however when you offer them food, clothing or water they don't want it, because they are using the money for drugs. It's also really uncomfortable to the point I will avoid going to that specific supermarket because they are standing there.
402. I always avoid any cash machine with people sitting next to it because it feels unsafe.
403. Feels unsafe if people waiting around.
404. I don't want to feel threatened
405. I think it's the prohibition is effective
406. You can prohibit to your heart's content, it will avail you little.
407. Again I hardly experience such intrusion
408. I don't feel safe in parts of the town
409. Why are you still asking these questions? Law and order and public conduct drive people away from town and the council and police have known this for years.....
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
411. People need to feel safe in town
412. I don't trust people who loiter!
413. It's intimidating
414. There needs to be enforcement of the prohibition otherwise it is pointless.
415. Never had a problem
416. as above
417. "As above"
418. Security is important"
419. Very intimidating at cash points I always go inside the banks
420. Car park drug addicts waiting at the car park pay area next to Relish
421. existing powers are sufficient if enforced
422. It's fine as it is
423. Again more enforcement
424. Not experienced this
425. Those doing this seem to target women.
426. Let's have some Bobbies on the beat
427. Not safe
428. See my answer to question 6
429. People hanging around these things, though could be quite innocent and often is, people still feel uncomfortable about it.

- 430.This feels like threatening behaviour. If you don't pay up they may damage your car.
- 431.Last time I was in there was still the occasional individual loitering which I found menacing
- 432.That's happening ...
- 433.This can be absolutely maddening. Have often used an alternative ATM. Some of the people who do this ask if I have any spare change...while I am using a cash machine.
- 434.Old people have different approaches and difficulty with machines and screens. It is very depressing for them.....,
- 435.If a prohibition is dropped the problem will reoccur.
- 436.Same as question 6
- 437.Again needs to remain and be enforced
- 438.Again people do as they please, the damage is done already done to the city, cameras watching people isn't going to repair anything
- 439.important safety for elderly people in particular
- 440.Would find it intimidating
- 441.As above
- 442.Need a police presence to enforce it.
- 443.This can make people feel uneasy
444. I cant see PSPO so cant comment on whether this prohibition should be changed but again I would prefer people to not be begging for money at pay machines. It can be very frightening.
- 445.Need to feel that you can use services without being bothered by anyone, whatever their agenda.
- 446.One has to feel safe, especially in key area's where you have to handle money out in the open.
- 447.Extend prohibition
- 448.Never feel safe
- 449.Public Safety.
- 450.Beggars are everywhere. I don't want them watching what I get out of the machine. I can't even go in a shop without them asking me for money. I know they really don't need it. I have homeless friends, who I talk to and I can just chat to them, but not the ones asking for money, every day.
- 451.Loitering is always with intent and usually in most cases with a dangerous intent. It makes it unsafe for the innocent user of such pay machines- why should one be allowed to feel threatened when going about their own business?
- 452.Too many people still loitering and sad begging
- 453.I would be very worried by people loitering around banks as they may be looking to steal money from you if they can see you have taken some out in the bank. Same with payment machines, they may steal your purse/wallet/phone
- 454."Now it's something that should be prohibited?"
- 455.Having to access cash or wallet for Bank Cards with individuals loitering around is definitely not wanted! "
- 456.Need removing.
- 457.Can be intimidating when elderly
- 458.I do not like opening my purse in public. I feel threatened and vulnerable by these beggars. I do not have back cards or a mobile phone so feel very vulnerable.
- 459.I feel worried when going to and from the bank as groups of people are standing their. I worry for older people as they are sometimes more vulnerable
- 460.I am always very corshes of using any cash outlet
- 461.Without the prohibition people would not feel safe when using the ATM.
- 462.As above
- 463.Safety and to make people feel safe there should be a painted or roped off area in my opinion to encourage people to stay a safe distance away.
- 464.We need more police walking the streets
- 465.don't know what it is
- 466.I avoid using cash machines on the street, this is extremely worrying and intimidating. I have changed by routine and behaviour because of this.

467. Please keep it with any changes suggested from the others doing the survey
468. People like to feel safe.
469. Feel intimidated when people hover around me
470. Not been a problem for me
471. Unfortunately I can't see where a change is suggested
472. More constables on patrol
473. Nobody should be allowed to loiter outside banks, car parks, shops or supermarkets. NB. Beggars outside supermarkets in Armthorpe is also becoming a big problem! I have previously reported this to the police but the problem is getting worse!
474. Enforce action
475. As above. Prohibition is in place but isn't enforced stern enough.
476. Enforce it particularly at market car park
477. I have not seen anyone near the car parking machines recently
478. Does not make you want to use these facilities .
479. People loitering around ATMs causes people to feel intimidated and unsafe
480. I feel uncomfortable using outside machines especially for cash withdrawals
481. "These behaviours are threatening and people should not be put under pressure to give charity
482. There are better ways to give
483. Action should be taken to remove these people"
484. People loitering in NCP Car Park next to Relish not just for cash in the machine or beg but appear to be ethnic minorities selling cars.
485. Intimidates the user especially female
486. They intimidate you by being near you
487. As I said above don't understand all these orders just improve the town
488. Just enforce.
489. I never give money. Food yes.
490. It's threatening.
491. I have no problem with any of the above.
492. I do think people who are just sat begging in car parks or pay machines and banks can be very intimidating especially for old people.
493. Unsafe
494. I am not aware of this problem and I am currently unable to access the attachment
495. Makes you feel very nervous getting your own money from ATM.
496. Further enforcement needed
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
498. The adjustment to include parking machines is welcome as there is particular issues around parking machines in the Market car park with begging near the coin machine.
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
500. Makes you feel uncomfortable
501. I've used the market car park before, an undesirable was lurking and they had blocked the machine up, so when people put coins in they can retrieve them, as soon as my back was turned a bloke on a bike went up to the machine and got my coins..
502. If this covers the prohibition you're cancelling all well and good
503. Make it more difficult for people to do the above
504. I fully endorse this.
505. Due to this issue if I or family wish to withdraw we go in branch to do so or leave it
506. Be more aggressive with them.
507. Make it harder by having roaming wardens more often checking the car parks, principally the main market car park.
508. I will only use cash machines inside the bank

550. Makes me feel unsafe. I have a history of domestic abuse and town triggers me badly people having around me and my children as I fumble around trying to pay at machines.
551. Make it stronger it's currently not working
552. No comment
553. In addition to the above locations the grounds and precincts of the Doncaster Minister church should be included. Frequent occasions vandalism and groups of people loitering, drinking and drug use around the church and church house. This can be intimidating/ safety issue for genuine church visitors (young choristers and parents etc).
554. To stop reduce theft and intimidation
555. As this would not be covered by any police laws this should be improved to protect visitors to the city
556. We need special plain clothes constables and plenty of them patrolling our streets, especially at night.
557. Just because we go to town smart does not mean we have money to give away especially in the current climate.
558. I have experienced being asked for money near the car parking pay machines in Markets Car Park.
559. I have often been scared by the intimidating behaviour of people new to the country
560. I get fed up at folk asking for money at car parking machines and using foul language when you can't give them any money
561. Change if needed
562. Find people loitering around pay machines particularly in car parks to be quite threatening
563. As 6 above
564. Make it more severe
565. Enhance and enforce
566. This is threatening behaviour
567. I always use ATM inside the bank, it's unsafe to use the street ATM
568. Needs further policing
569. I won't go to a cash machine outside a bank but will go inside. Too many times when I went I was being watched or felt I was being watch by groups of lads.
570. There is no need to loiter around cash machines, so it should be banned.
571. Very intimidating and uncomfortable in my own home town.
572. Illegal
573. Na
574. Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!
575. More than once I've been asked for money by people hanging around these. I often don't feel safe in the market car parks.
576. More people begging, loitering around machines, makes it unsafe.
577. A bit unnerving for people.
578. This seems to be worsening especially around pay machines in the market. It's really intimidating so something new needs to be done.
579. Put in a definition of what the distance from these should be eg 50 metres
580. If the powers are not enough currently they should be increased to ensure this kind of behaviour is not acceptable. People should not be harassed at these locations.
581. Again target the individual and fine them
582. If one is using an outside cash machine it is a good idea to check who is standing nearby
583. These people make me not want to park in the centre. I stay in my car if I do have to visit, and use the parking Apps because the people loitering try to make you give them your money and who knows what they are capable of or if they are on drugs and unpredictable. I think the car parking machines should definitely be added to the next Prohibition
584. Play classical music on speakers in the car park. Have a warning that announces no loitering if CCTV show they are there and have PCSOs move them if they still go. If there in council homes threaten to end tenancy although many are from the Wharf
585. This is exactly the reason people avoid the city.
586. These are quite threatening to some and a nuisance.

- 587.No
- 588.I avoid outside cash machines if my husband isn't with me.
- 589.More consequences
- 590.I don't go to cash machines or car parks in Doncaster because of people loitering and the potential of cars cloning
- 591.I would like to praise our City Centre Engagement Officers for their endeavors in ensuring that our city centre is welcoming for our visitors. It's a difficult job but we cannot allow the disruption of a few people to deter more people coming to the city centre. Again if it was 7 days rather than 24 hours, their job would be made a lot easier. Also more police officers walking around the city centre would make it a lot safer too.
- 592.More control
- 593.It's often unsafe to withdraw cash in city centre
- 594.Very unsafe feeling, needs to be stopped
- 595.Again it makes you feel unsafe because of been asked for money
- 596.Keep beggars and low life's out of town
- 597.I have visited local city centres and others nationally. I felt much safer and saw less ASB in Sheffield and Liverpool.
- 598.Change to make more robust with consequences
- 599.Go with proposal
- 600.I avoid using the pay machine in the market car park because of the man who does this. It makes me uncomfortable and he should not be allowed to do this, it makes me feel unsafe
- 601.Needs stopping isn't good for public been hassled when paying to park
- 602.As before....make it harder for people doing these things...I would like to see bans harsher and go for permanent ones for regular offenders
- 603.Toughen it up and police it better
- 604.This is one of the most off-putting things about visiting the city centre.
- 605.PEOPLE NEED TO FEEL SAFE RATHER THAN STRESS WHEN THEY LEAVE THEIR CARS IN A CARPARK OR TRY TO GET MONEY FROM A BANK PAYMENT MACHINE
- 606.I have often been approached in the car park on East Laith Gate and the Market car park, it is unnerving particularly when socialising at night
- 607.Remove the dregs of society
- 608.There is absolutely no reason why they need to be there if they are not using them.
- 609.More police need to be patrolling the streets, Doncaster can be a very threatening place, they need to clamp right down on all these things as much as possible. These suggestions are all very well, but they need enforcing.
- 610.As above
- 611.Needs to be much stricter to protect people and not feel intimidated.
- 612.It's not safe to walk from some car parks in to town with my child
- 613.This is really annoying, there are too many people loitering around in and around the City Centre asking for money.
- 614.Again, more vigilance needed, I will not use machines on the street, always go into the bank
- 615.People need to feel safe in the City Centre
- 616.They add nothing to the town centre experience and positively discourage me going
- 617.As before
- 618.It's not nice
- 619.I've no idea what is currently prohibited but whatever measures that are in force need to be strengthened. (BTW I cannot see the PSPOs 1-7 referred to above.)
- 620.Theres no reason to be there other than using machines
- 621.Doncaster town is not a safe place to visit
- 622.Agree with the extended reasons to change this
- 623.People still loiter about!
- 624.Keeping undesirables off the street needs work and money. Is there any.

625. A change for the better.

626. Don't use machines in Doncaster anymore

627. see previous answer

628. They need moving on

629. Increase PSPO for reassurance of safety for genuine customers making withdrawals.

630. Agree with your proposal

631. I'm unsure exactly which areas are covered by these prohibitions. They should be extended to cover all town and village centres.

632. Again this is happening and makes me feel unsafe

633. "I understand the problems the council have, but things don't seem to be working.

634. People don't go to Doncaster, no good shops, scary environment totally run down"

635. Get them removed permanently

636. Make the PSPO stronger giving the officers more powers to act against these loitering people making respectable people feel uneasy.

637. This should be totally banned to ensure users feel safe.

638. There are miles too many,

639. Increase the measures

640. As it stands, it isn't safe to use the cash machines.

641. Very unsettling.

642. Needs to be stopped scary

643. Constantly asked for money in car parks. I no longer withdraw money from cash machines as I feel unsafe.

644. More CCTV cameras

645. Listen to what people are saying and asking for. Some areas of Doncaster are kept beautiful, others are just being left to rot. Balby Road is an absolute disgrace, it's like it's been forgotten about!

646. Make it stricter and ENFORCE it.

647. Make it stronger or enforce it more

648. This covers car park machines which the current order doesn't

649. I personally do not feel safe going to a cash machine outside and prefer to go to the inside of the bank.

650. Again not sure what's in place but there are usually homeless or Eastern European hanging around pay machines at car parks.

651. I'm absolutely sick of them

652. As PSPO

653. Shouldn't be allowed

654. Something needs to change. Being approached regularly by people begging is intimidating

655. Loitering people in the centre are a deterrent to making visits

656. Make it an offence

657. It's scary

658. I have changed my bank to avoid this problem as much as possible

659. As above

660. Original provision seems to be working

661. I would only want the prohibition to change if it increased the discouragement of these behaviours.

662. It does not feel safe withdrawing cash at night time - too many people hovering near the cash points

663. I was not aware there was any prohibition as these activities take place all the time

664. Drugged up jobs

665. This behaviour needs further enforcement

666. No more to say

667. This is where most criminal offence occurs

668. Don't like them doing this

669. Stricter PSPO required as this behaviour could lead to Robbery & muggings

670. One wants to be self without looking over your shoulder

671. I usually use the cash machine inside the bank, this seems a safer option.
672. If evidence shows that it was cash caused the issue then its right to change
673. No idea about this either. Is this really a thing? Sounds unpleasant
674. Enforce more
675. I have no experiance of this problem
676. And include a clause banning such people for one week
677. Crime is abhorrent in any circumstance but this is so frightening and a very personal attack
678. What about a novel idea, have policemen in Doncaster protecting us.....
679. Again not enforced
680. Im unsure what psp02 is but changes do need to be made
681. There are often people loitering around the car parks which can be unnerving, even though probably many of them are there to cause harm or upset.
682. This bneeds mor enforcement
683. Not working as it is, Doncaster is a small place so these people plus drug addicts and beggars stand out like a sore thumb
684. as above.
685. Advertise the fact there is a prohibition
686. Can be disturbing for some people especially older people.
687. Refer to answer above - THERE IS NO DETERRANT
688. Employ city centre wardens with apprehension authority
689. Yet get people at car parking machines all the time please help stop this
690. It is a little intimidating when we go to park the car and there is always a guy hanging around the payment machine wanting money
691. It's not working
692. We need pso's
693. It makes me feel uneasy
694. As you get older many thing's become more intimidating
695. I only use ATMs inside banks as have had concerns in the past.
696. Might increase shopping in town
697. THIS WILL HELP PEOPLE return to doncaster
698. Nervous about using these facilities
699. Again no one is taking notice of it
700. Town is full of beggers e need to stamp out these people in doncaster wrecking our city
701. I do not use cash machines outside the bank I use the machine inside for safety.
702. There should be nobody loitering near banks.
703. Self evident
- [REDACTED]
705. People shouldn't be round banks loitering move on stay away simple as
706. Give tougher punishments and move people on with succession
707. See 5
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
709. "It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.
710. The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "
711. make Doncaster feel safer for people during daytime
712. I know people have problems, such as housing, but I find people acting in a way to cause unease very uncomfortable, I would like to go about my business unheeded.
713. It is intimidating to find people loitering near ATMs and Car Park Payment Machines. A prohibition needs to be included to deter this practice.

714. More police presence
715. Better safeguards are required to keep people safe and reassured.
716. Sort out the issue and move people on - it's intimidating
717. Not enough people to enforce any prohibition rules. I was approached three times whilst waiting for the bank to open. As a woman I felt very uncomfortable. This was at 9-15 am.
718. I get annoyed when people get too close
719. total city centre ban
720. This should be stopped.
721. Suggestion accepted
722. As above
723. Can't park
724. Needs strengthening
725. Needs enforcing better as I don't feel safe using these machines
726. This is also becoming quite annoying. There is usually someone at the Market short stay car park payment machine for instance.
727. Get them out!!
728. Idk
729. Improve effectiveness and monitoring of vicinity to identify usual suspect groups, encourage maximum regular use of surrounding premises, i.e. late opening cafes etc so that local clientele reinforce the safe area to discourage attacks on solitary targets.
730. Enforce the order as you do not at present why have it if you don't do something with it
731. Again it's not working or you are not acting on it
732. My worry on a lot of the recommendations for keeping streets wording prolific suggesting a lot of these behaviours still going on. Suggesting more enforcement needed
733. I won't use an external cash machine as I feel vulnerable
734. I think including pay stations in car parks is a positive addition.
735. Make and police it stricter.
736. Stricter enforcement of begging
737. People are already nervous about people loitering around
738. Machines need to be inside buildings with security at the entrance.
739. Where is PSPO number 2?
740. People are intimidated it needs to be stopped
741. Nothing is making any difference whatever you have in place
742. See PSPO NO2
743. Needs more doing, I was in the market car park 2 weeks ago and there were still people asking for money, he was very rude in his manner too,
744. These people make you feel unsafe they should be banned
745. Move all people off the Town Centre
746. Increase council awareness on streets
747. It can become threatening to women children
748. will not use cash machines, don't feel safe.
749. The laws should be stronger
750. Same as above. I feel very unsafe in these situations.
751. not enough is done especially in car parks.
752. People need to feel safe when they take their money out of the cash machines not being watched
753. Needs extending and stricter enforcement
754. "Whatever you are doing isn't working! this continues.
755. it makes people feel uncomfortable."
756. More checks need to be done of the same people loitering around ATMs etc
757. Needs to be stricter. The begging/amount of beggars in Doncaster is out of control
758. Nothing
759. If people ask about, I will not use the machine

760. Think this questionnaire could do with improvement, have to keep referring back to options!

761. The public's perception of safety is an essential element in attracting visitors to Doncaster.

762. Needs more patrols

763. Strengthen it

764. Ban it completely

765. More enforcement

766. Clearly you know the problems in the town centre that ordinary people are complaining about because you are highlighting the problems in the questions

767. Change is needed to make the city safe and user friendly.

768. This isn't as noticeable now

769. Obviously these people are hoping to get someone to give them money and personally I find this threatening.

770. It can feel threatening if there are people congregating close to ATMs

771. They are off putting to older people when they are approached afterwards .

772. See previous

773. I never use outside cash machine because of this

774. I think it is right to discourage people hanging around these areas, as it very intimidating.

775. I now use an app for parking so often do not have cash so this limits people asking me for money as I am not stood near the parking machine. I find it difficult when I am going in and out of shops when it is blocked by people begging, especially those that can be aggressive and intimidating

776. We have notices to inform what the requirements are?

777. I think stronger measures are needed, its frightening for the elderly to be pestered by people loitering around shops and banks

778. Currently not working

779. Remove "in a manner causing or likely to cause harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance to any person within the City Centre." to avoid any confusion or dispute about what constitutes causing or likely to cause harassment, alarm, distress, nuisance or annoyance.

780. See my previous answer

781. N/A

782. Stop it altogether

783. It is obviously not working.

784. "Pcso's are not fit for purpose. stop trying to pretend at authority and start employing more police who can arrest and move people on.

785. Yet again an example of trying to address a problem. With a sticking plaster ."

786. As per answer in number 6

787. As above give tougher penalties

788. I would not use these places

789. This is clearly a police matter.

790. What is PSPO number 2?

791. Can't see attached document. I suggest to make stricter as I've been intimidated by people as parking meters asking for change

792. It will cost more on safeguarding people and children on the street, but it's only going to get worse if we're not protected at a higher level.

793. This needs to stop as is very intimidating to most people going about their lawful daily business.

794. Not working

795. Additional policing added to the order.

796. "Again needs to be stricter it's not working beggars are everywhere in town, I never feel safe shopping only inside Frenchgate centre

797."

798. Stronger measures are needed or more staff to enforce it

799. Change it for the better for the honest citizens. Druggies trying to rob parking machines in broad daylight

800. Stop all anti social behaviour
801. Move them on in a strict way
802. While this from what I've seen does look to be slightly better enforced with regards to atm & banks etc. It absolutely should be expanded to the whole city Center and a greater emphasis on removing the negative elements.
803. Tougher punishment
804. I have noticed lots of loitering and kids running and shouting through the shopping centre for goodness sake.
805. Needs to be covering all shop areas around the City
806. Stop people begging
807. There is no reason to loiter orderly cue for legitimate use
808. Clearly this is unacceptable behaviour, there is only one reason why individuals hang around cash machines
809. Do more because its currently a dangerous place
810. Cant view no2, but i believe the carpark should be a move on order for everyone loitering beggars or not
811. Enforce it and move the culprits on.. all doncaster is on camera surveillance. Use them to keep us safe and stress free.
812. its not working
813. Not so bad for young people who can handle themselves but the elderly are vulnerable
814. People doing this need to be moved on immediately by pcso etc, it's intimidating
815. It's difficult to use cash machines as people sit or stand in groups outside banks and cash machines .so the only way to get money out is to go inside if it is open
816. Never seen this
817. Stop people it's wrong and intimidating, it doesn't only happen in donaster Town centre
818. We need to feel secure and protected everywhere in town
819. Bigger repercussions needed
820. It is frequent at car park machines in most of the car parks and can be intimidating particularly at night or when alone. It has never stopped!
821. Same as previous answer.
822. They make you feel very unsafe.
823. Needs enforcement
824. They don't stop it now
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
827. It has got to stop, I wouldn't dare take money out of an ATM or pay at any pay machine in town, too dangerous people about
- [REDACTED]
829. move them
830. Make it stricter that they are not allowed.
831. This is one reason I don't visit more often. If you don't give them cash you get verbally abused.
832. Give police more powers
833. I have never had a problem with this issue
834. Basically I will answer the same. Remove or undesirables and intimidators from our city.
835. It should be tougher ban them from city centre for a month if they are caught begging
836. More police in town centre day/ night to get them sorted
837. Prohibition needs to be strengthened
838. People shouldn't be allowed to hang about around cash machines or car parking machines it's intimidating and unnerving

839. People ask for money out of car parks. Parking should be free for 2 hours
840. Again not enforced
841. Have more PSCO's to help people move on quickly and safely.
842. Again didn't know there was one
843. [REDACTED]
844. I'm on a phone and there is no attachment showing so as to read the various PSPO. The current one isn't sufficient it needs improving still. This needs to be done alongside improving hopeless facilities and support.
845. Enforce it.
846. Ban them. Employ others to move them on.
847. no one should be hanging around cash machines
848. Tougher penalties are required
849. Remove all loiterers do not allow to return.
850. These prohibitions aren't working.
[REDACTED]
852. no
853. Beggars are still operating outside supermarkets
854. "These are really annoying
855. When one asks about hostels they all moan but basically they can't use drugs there"
856. Enforce it !!@
857. Change for something else that works, although I do understand it's quite difficult
858. Zero tolerance of all ASB and illegal acts.
[REDACTED]
860. enforce it
[REDACTED]
862. It should be made illegal for them to loiter and they should be removed.
863. As previous Doncaster is open to anyone any situation and any nationality which the City is willing to take if Government funded.
864. To extend the PSPO with changes from feedback. Again need Police presence for reassurance when going into town.
865. More action is needed with consequences for loitering near payment machines/cash machines
866. should be made harder for them.
867. The prohibition doesn't go far enough as the begging is still happening.
868. I think loitering in these places should be prevented
869. Improve laws about this and make the consequences stricter, due to these people hanging about it stops me from using these facilities in the town centre.
870. as my previous answer
871. Ban for months
872. Loitering around cash machines seems to be fashionable at the moment and is very threatening.
873. It is frightening and would certainly stop me using these services.
874. Not working always beggars around
875. Can't see PSPO but see my answer above as same applies here
876. The main problems are knowing who to notify, action actually being taken
877. Keep these people out of town
878. do not feel safe
879. Always looking over your shoulder when at the cash machines.
[REDACTED]
881. The issue with this is one of fear by the more vulnerable users of such services. These people are unknown individuals who all too often are in need of support. The users of these facilities are having to carry out their business transactions in front of these people. Two factors are presented on the behalf of the users, fear and vulnerability. These factors are compounded by the emotions also

experienced potentially by the person who is using the facilities, sadness for the desperation and need by the people loitering and the feelings of wishing to help but help but not feed a potential bad habit of say drugs or alcohol.

882.Same as above.

883.The current prohibition order is definitely not working and needs to be strengthened to its strongest possible level.

884.Should be made stricter, nobody feels safe in doncaster

885.as suggestion, but amend the car park to include the whole area, not just the area around the payment machines

886.I believe that the prohibitions should be increased in areas where people have no need to hang around.

887.This is what is putting people off coming to the City people hanging about just looking at you.

888.As previously answered, more police presence

889.Same reason as No 6 answer.

890.Be more respectable to our residents

891.Force authorities to police this

892.As before not enough is being done to sort the problem it wants zero tolerance and people to carry it through

893.This can be a real problem for people who don't know or understand the risk of having their PIN number stolen then being robbed or pickpocketed for their card,

894.Very intimidating puts people off doing their business

895.As number 6

896.Makes people afraid

897.Everyone worries about vagrants in the city,it's not comfortable

898.No one should be hanging around these places it makes us feel unsafe and this needs to stop!

899.Please see my answer to the above begging question with regard to people loitering at car park pay machines. One thing I find extremely distressing is people seeming to take up residence on the permanent statues/monuments in the city centre. Every time I go into town there is somebody sitting or laying in their bedding on the monument outside the Frenchgate Centre near the Halifax Building Society. Usually they are surrounded by other people who are clearly either drug addicts or alcoholics and it is not pleasant to have to be around these people when you are trying to go about your business. I think you should include loitering on permanent structures as well as temporary structures in the change to the PSPO.

900.REQUIRES A TOTAL BAN, LEGALLY ENFORCED

901.Enforce it more as they are very intimidating.

902.Again all this does is spread to areas close to town, more police presence is required and less money spent on things we don't need.

903.more police less crime

904.A greater police presence is needed, particularly at night

905.Nothing has changed, still happens

906.How do you stop this?

907.Intimidating. Should not be allowed.

908.Have not seen number 2 .p

909.People should never be allowed to loiter outside banks or ATM's. I'm not too worried about supermarkets.

910.MAKE IT TOUGHER

911.when your buying your car parking ticket they are sat down and makes you feel uncomfortable and vulnerable.

912.This is a big problem again, and needs addressing. The general public are being hounded out of the city centre, due to feeling unsafe

913.You do not feel safe withdrawing cash

914.Move them on

- 915.Haven't noticed a difference.
- 916.Stricter enforcement called for
- 917.As you engage with people loitering around these areas when you come to town, then the prohibition is not working.
- 918.I have no idea what pspo number 2 is. I don't want to see people loitering to get money.
- 919.There has been an increase in beggars and homeless and druggies shouting and swearing and littering over the past 2yrs. There hasn't been an improvement atall. It's worse.
- 920.Make the prohibition more stricter.
- 921.Get rid of them
- 922.Enforcement required
- 923.Again enforce better as happens all the time
- 924.There doesn't appear to be any prohibition currently
- 925.Make them stronger
- 926.More stricter rules needed
- 927.Move the person on
- 928.Seems to be not working
- 929.Widen the area. A family member has a business within DN1 and on the footpaths outside it is constantly occupied by drug users/ sellers
- 930.As previous answer
- 931.See my previous answer
- 932.Should be strictly no loitering around cash machines banks etc
- 933.The Market Place Car Park is where I have noticed this, people asking if you need help & then asking you for money.
- 934.Answer as above
- 935.I think some rules need to be put into place as people are reluctant to use some cash machines because of this issue
- 936.Enforce
- 937.As above, a strong crack down is over due.
- 938.The prohibition cannot be working because they are still doing it.
- 939.More street patrols are needed to move people on
- 940.More police needed, don't you lot realise that majority of people don't feel safe
- 941.What ever is in place is not working the city centre is intimidating
- 942.Longer and stricter
- 943.it needs to go further. around the market it is a joke
- 944.I honestly don't see people that are waiting in front the ATM machines. It would be good the police officers to be outside more often.
- 945.It's unnerving when people hang around I myself got robbed at a cash point so don t go near them now
- 946.City should ask people loitering to move away from machines.
- 947.I hear people complaining daily about it on social media
- 948.Change it might work out better.
- 949.Enforce it more.
- [REDACTED]
- 951.Ban them for causing stress and harassment to the general public
- 952.Needs stopping
- 953.We need sine sort of security around the city or we will just shop else where
- 954.Police better
- 955.Don't feel safe using cash machines outside
- 956.Again more stricter
- 957.Some people get nervous when they're getting money out of banks and should be able to feel safe
- 958.See above
- 959.I don't have personal experience of this.

960.Remove them from payment parking machines
961.I use internal cash machines if needed. I will try to walk away from those situations.
962.I've never noticed this
963.There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
965.Do you dream of developing the city? Parking fees and traffic restrictions are one of the reasons why I prefer to drive and spend my money elsewhere. I've been watching the city center turn into a deserted area full of suspicious characters for years. Instead of people running their own businesses and their potential customers who constitute normality, today you are collecting your greed and have pathologies on the center streets.

966.Don't understand

967.Address the issue of why they are there, not what they are doing

968.see my answer above - also look at the levels of increase in benefits sanction ion Doncaster - the cost of housing/living crisis and then just reflect on why people might actually be begging for bits of cash

969.I have never witnessed this behaviour and the prohibition seems excessive.

970."Pointless, you don't enforce it long term.

971.Move them on, let them straight back.

[REDACTED]
973.As above, putting little signs up with a load of rules on means nothing unless anyone actually enforces it. teh council care more about generating fines for parking and littering.

974.Stop policing homelessness.

975.I have not encountered this issue

976.See previous answer.

[REDACTED]
978.I never feel safe in a morning when I'm walking from my carpark to work

979.I've never encountered this problem

980.As answered above

981.Because its never enforced

982.Don't even notice any except outside Aldi

983.as i have already stated ,applies as above

984.As previous

985.I have never been intimidated by anyone in the town centre

No return in 24 hours – Responses from organisations

1. LACK OF ENFORCEMENT IN AREA
2. although does it work
3. "Those sleeping rough need to be moved to allow business to continue.
4. The dispersal order needs to be more active around loud and abusive buskers especially in St Sepulchre Gate. "
5. A core of persons loitering ,drinking and being antisocial in specific locations within the town center continues to be a nuisance . I have also personally seen small bags being passed from one to another in full view of passing members of the public.
6. this needs to be longer and enforced more strictly
7. As much disruption as possible to law breakers
8. Making life more inconvenient for the perpetrators and disrupting their behaviour must help, but again more police would help as a deterrent instead of only arriving after a crime has been committed
9. I don't know if this is being enforced

10. People being banned for 24 hours is not a long term solution to the problem. People with mental health and substance abuse issues will always gravitate to the City centre. Can perpetual offenders be banned for longer periods? Does this just push the problem elsewhere. I certainly do not have the answers to this very complicated social issue, but I do know that our City centre suffers financially and reputationally from its effects.
11. This is an essential tool. We have received tens of thousands of pounds of loss of income as a result of damage to the city centre reputation where people have been exposed to large intimidating groups , fights and generally causing distress.
12. Have more people in authority around to be able to enforce this.
[REDACTED]
14. Ban them for life
15. Why can't band be extended for repeat offenders?
16. Should be longer .
17. I personally think a longer time than 24 hours may have more of an effect sometimes the same people are back the next day doing exactly the same thing.
18. Should be banned for longer.
19. Should extend from 24hrs
20. See above
21. Can there be a longer period of time than 24 hours? Even within the Frenchgate centre?

No return in 24 hours – Responses from individuals:

1. Not improved.
2. ASB continues to be an issue
3. Should be enforced by SYP if they return in the 24hr period
4. Keeps people safer
5. I've never been aware of anyone being asked to leave.
6. Definitely as Same people never leave the area
7. Seems a reasonable timeframe.
8. Yes - there needs to be consequences for poor behaviour. If you can't behave you should be ask to leave.
9. But to be honest the current order has been a total and utter waste of time. It has not resulted in any significant reduction in this behaviour because enforcement has been next to zero. So why bother? When will the authorities learn that legislation without enforcement is meaningless? The public are not fooled that you are 'doing something', this is a box ticking exercise.
10. A focus needs to be around the railway station, where antisocial behaviour has seemed to have increased, particularly with teenage groups.
11. Not well come
12. As my answer previously
13. This should be kept, but the offenders should be fined as well. Antisocial behavior should not be tolerated at all. In the cases of teenagers/kids, their parents should be informed and a fine issued to them for lack of care.
14. Shame it couldn't be longer
15. Needs thoroughly enforcing though, with Police attendance
16. It should be for longer
17. Keep in place we don't need people like that in Doncaster
18. Keep the order...
19. As in the last answer, it can be worrying for older people.

20. Yes keep it. There has to be enforcement but doubt it makes any difference if they are intent on being anti social
21. As a woman shopping I hate visiting on my own
22. As above
23. Also expand it so people can't beg outside local shops just outside the town centre and supermarkets like asda
24. This is a good idea but can it be realistically enforced?
25. None.
26. The Antisocial behaviour by the Doncaster Council Planning Committee allowing Developers to take away our Open Spaces, wildlife and biodiversity can't be downplayed. They shouldn't be allowed in Edenthorpe in the future.
27. "24 hrs is not long enough, they just return
28. Now we are a city surly it should fell safe and a pleasant place to be"
29. This should more than 24 hours
30. As before.
31. People need to feel safe in city centre
32. I have witnessed anti social behaviour in the past znd find it upsetting and depressing
33. Police in uniform required, kick your woke Police and Crime commissioner up the Gee and his equally woke Chief Constable, keeping resources around her in Sheffield whilst we suffer!
34. As above
35. We should ban them for a week at least
36. Should be longer and include larger group of men
37. It should be longer and they should be monitored as to where they go .
38. Keeps them out city centre but on down side they are now outside supermarkets in villages on outskirts
39. People riding pushbikes on pedestrianised streets; gangs loitering on the flowerbeds outside Frenchgate St. Sepulchregate entrance.
40. Should be increased to at least 72 hours
41. Doesn't really work. But keep trying.
42. no
43. None
44. This is still an issue in the town centre.
45. This has got worse and needs rigorous and firm action
46. [REDACTED]
47. This is a sensible measure, however the scope of the area needs to be considered, because people causing antisocial behaviour end up in the areas immediately surrounding the zone, causing misery for residents, for example where we live on Thorne road
48. Extend it to 7 days
49. Can't see document, but ban is good idea
50. Will this be enforced? And by who?? At the moment it very rare to see Police (unless it's football)
51. More officers to make bit safe
52. Having witnessed antisocial behaviour in the city centre it does put you off returning again, especially when you have young children with you. It doesn't feel safe and isn't nice for them too experience this.
53. If they can't behave and are spoiling it for others then they shouldn't be allowed to be there
54. resource needs to be put in place and ability to extend the footprint of the PSPO as the current PSPO just displace those causing antisocial behaviour and offence to just outside the footprint.
55. Do these people have somewhere to go though, or are they just going to take the antisocial behaviour elsewhere and be a problem for someone else?
56. Is this in force.
57. keep same
58. See previous andwer

59. The anti social behaviour has also spread from the city centre to retail parks & supermarkets. Same requests for money & same faces as in the city centre. The problem just moves on & is not solved
60. Should stay in as makes them think about their behaviour
61. There are people who cause disturbance and annoyance by shouting / swearing loudly / insulting behaviour etc.,
62. This needs to be enforced more. I've seen officers tell people they have a 24 hour ban and they walk round the block and are back 20 mins later.
63. Again we don't want these type of people in are city
64. They need sanctions
65. Make sure its adhered to
66. They keep coming back
67. Patrols need to be extended to cover the whole of the protection area to ensure no return
68. "It would really help to extend the area to cover Broxholme Lane and St Vincent Avenue.
69. Whilst our area has been included in the PSPO we are not aware of any enforcement. "
70. in our experience, it is the same people causing problems repeatedly.
71. Extend the duration
72. It isn't working make it more strict and enforce it!
73. This needs to remain to deal with the ASB causes by adults and youths in the City Centre. ASB leads to crime.
74. But they will still go back in
75. Unsure how this is enforced
76. An essential prohibition
77. Reoffenders should have a life time ban
78. If people cause a nuisance to people in the city centre then they shouldn't be allowed back and if they do suitable punishment should be in place.
79. Ban them for longer
80. To try to stop antisocial behaviour .
81. This seriously needs acting on does not feel safe
82. I am not sure how this would be 'policed' but antisocial behaviour is what puts people enjoying the city centre so giving a 'punishment' may impact any future behaviour
83. Nothing to add.
84. Absolutely zero tolerance for any type of negative behaviour.
85. Not sure it works but keep it
86. These people should be in jail.
87. No comment

89. Anti-Social behaviour is a visible problem in the city centre which needs tackling and perpetrators of such behaviour need to understand that a zero tolerance approach will be taken
90. again relevant to statement made at point 8
91. Keep it, too many youths hanging about littering and swearing, not to mention alcoholic falling out in the town centre.
92. Should be at least 48 hours
93. This doesn't seem to be enforced.
94. more tougher sanctions against repeat offenders
95. It feels intimidating when out if people are causing antisocial behaviour
96. If they have been into court for proves offences, then let out with fines. They need TAGING. So if in town. Pick them up again. And prison then
97. more should be done to prevent ASB in the CC in the first place.
98. More police presence
99. What is the point of dispersing people from the City Centre when all they do is turn the corner and remain in the Centre.

100. Have found from having a security officer as a husband and working in the town centre 15 years ago this ban does not take place.
101. Must be very difficult to monitor.
102. Ditto
103. Should be banned for much longer.
104. These people are not going to change unless they have this probation
105. Make sure it is enforced which I think is not happening now
106. Ban should be extended
107. To start to encourage people to return to the high street
108. Definitely needs better enforcement as all I ever see are council red coats and seen the abuse they get appalling
109. Needed
110. 24 hrs isn't long enough, and they probably return before then as there aren't enough police to enforce this
111. Don't know how this will deter them from coming back unless there is diligent policing.
112. Especially in Frenchgate
113. Uniform Police officers needed to enforce
114. Even though they have been asked to leave there are more to take their place
115. Tag them
116. As I say I do not know what it is
117. Groups of people causing trouble, sometimes connected to drug taking, has been a big problem in Doncaster and more should be done to try and stop this
118. They should be banned for longer and this should be monitored.
119. Needs longer
120. Stop them
121. as above
122. for second offences a longer prevention should be in force
123. Just moving people on is not an answer but they certainly shouldn't be able to just come back immediately afterwards !
124. "This should most certainly remain as it is and will only anyone refusing support should not be made an exception
125. "
126. Town feels unsafe. More needs to be done
127. Keep them out for longer periods please
128. Same as before, not working.
129. Good idea
130. "24 Hours not long enough 24 week may kick their habit
- 131.
132. "
133. All this does is push people into the residential areas the scheme needs a wider area
134. There needs to be a deterrent to stop this behaviour and encourage people to use the town centre and feel safe , not a nice thing for children to witness either
135. Why only 24 hrs?
136. Proposal supported to ensure safety and feeling of safety. Focus needed on persistent offenders with higher level enforcement.
137. No drunks
138. Maybe if behaviour was better I would go to shop in Doncaster more. The smoking outside the Frenchgate is a huge problem. I do not want to breathe in second hand smoke nor do I want my children to.
139. antisocial behaviour in the city centre makes you feel unsafe and makes me not want to visit
140. Again what is the law
141. As above

142. They should if possible be prevented from coming to the centre of town for much longer than 24 hours
143. Why should we have to put up with such behaviour at all
144. They should be banned for longer than 24 hours
145. Keep them out
146. Is it enforced/working
147. Agree
148. It's important to prevent crime to make Doncaster a safer place.
149. Make it MORE than 24 hours
150. It might teach some that bad behaviour has consequences
151. I THINK IT IS JUST FAIR THAT THEY ARE NOT ALLOWED IN THE CITY CENTRE IF THEY CANNOT BEHAVE IN A CIVILISED WAY AND RESPECT OTHER PEOPLE
152. I didn't know about any of these prohibitions
153. I feel unsafe in Doncaster
154. These are exactly the people who keep myself and others from visiting town. You see nothing like this at meadow hall/lakeside village etc.
155. I don't know how you will enforce it
156. Need more police and DMBC officers need to be serving PSPO's and enforcing it
157. See above
158. not enough police or town centre wardens to enforce this properly
159. if someone has been asked to keep away then this should be enforced
160. No
161. People never adhered to this in the first place. But it is always a good idea to have our local authority (NRT, Enforcement Team) and police backed by policies like this.
162. People still causing nuisance
163. Very unsafe
164. KEEP THEM OUT AND PROSECUTE
165. We need more powers and more police
166. They are spoiling our city and giving it a bad name. People do not want to visit our city.
167. As above
168. As my previous comments
169. As above!
170. As above
171. Make sure it is enforced
172. Keep any deterrent in place
173. Had no problem
174. Not sure how it can be monitored but hopefully it's a deterrent
175. Should be longer and more police to about to see them as they are there when they should not be
176. No comment
177. I don't understand the PSPO item
178. Doncaster is not appealing to visitors
179. Those who cause annoyance in the city center should be removed until they are better behaved or less intoxicated.
180. You need to enforce it.
181. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like
182. "Not sure how you can " police" persons not returning in 24 hours
183. And where do they go for that period of time???"
184. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.
185. Remove altogether

186. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as its these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do
187. Again I would say give the officers more power's to act
188. I think they should be charged for there behaviour & longer ban if they return
189. If it works
190. Not safe
191. Havent witnessed
192. Ditto
193. As above.
194. Very difficult to enforce.
195. This is necessary and hopefully a deterrent
196. They will do what they want there is no punishment which will deter them they do and say what they want
197. How do you prevent them returning within 24 hours.
198. Same as number 6
199. Under staffing & lack of resources is an issue
200. No
201. 24 hours is not long enough.
202. Should be longer
203. Prohibition should continue
204. The current prohibition works as it is
205. Enforce it!
206. There's not enough people enforcing the rules
207. The last time I went to Doncaster about a year ago I could not Waite to get out as it is now not as good as it used to be No decent market
208. Keep it as it is
209. Should be banned from city entirely.
210. Constant using foul words, threatening and abusive behaviour. Certain people are often Skateboarding and cycling in and around the shopping centre.
211. how is it policed?
212. seems appropriate and further bad behaviour should result in longer penalties
213. We think it is about right
214. I agree of the use of the dispersal but do feel it can have a negative impact on the local residents at the boundary of the map which is predominantly residential
215. These people can be intimidating and threatening- unacceptable
216. More penalties for antisocial behaviour needed.
217. As above
218. If the original provision hasn't solved the problem it may need a rethink
219. I would only want the prohibition to change if it increased the discouragement of these behaviours.
220. needs policemen on the beat
221. Full of drugs and drinks near Halifax and statues
222. Ban them for 6 months and show their faces on the big TV screens across the city and in the City centre pubs
223. If this is the only punishment you can give them we'll all have to try and live with it or stop shopping in Doncaster City centre.
224. More police foot patrols might reduce anti social behaviour. As it is there doesn't seem to be any reason for these people to stay away.
225. It should be longer than 24 hours
226. Need to get tougher and more police on the street
227. Is it even enforced? There is rarely visible evidence of the authorities pro-actively confronting individuals.

228. Apart from the French Gate shopping centre I do not feel safe in Doncaster
229. Not severe enough punishments
230. Prevention of returning to City Centre should be lengthened.
231. No more to say
232. Who checks
233. Ensure this is enforced
234. No tolerance
235. They should be banned for much longer
236. police it
237. Maybe a week instead of a day
238. Doesn't mean they'll stay out of the town centre though.

240. We want a City that we feel safe in, antisocial behaviour should not be tolerated at all.
241. Enforce it
242. No comment
243. Crowds of people young and adults disturbing the peace with noisy and aggressive behaviour, including foul language spoils shoppers enjoyment and intimidates older people.
244. People should behave. I include myself. If it is a public space then the Golden Rule applies. It may be their human rights and politically correct to forgive aggressive behaviour. However, as ever punters will vote with their feet if they have an option. They have options. Do you want a civilised and inclusive town or not? In the last 20 years or so, it seemed not.
245. see my answers to previous questions
246. People caught damaging property or behind a threat to the public should be prosecuted without a second chance
247. See my answer in 8.
248. As far as this concerns begging for money - as above. As far as it concerns violent and abusive behaviour yes keep it in force and take steps to see that it is enforced!
249. non at this time
250. As long as it can be policed.
251. is it enforced? i see no sign of it
252. If they continue they should be banned all together
253. How do you actually stop them coming back?
254. Still required.
255. Can not see how this can be improved without being seen as heavy handed
256. Need to be enforced as witnessed this happening and the same person still in city. Why?
257. I think it should be extended and I would question who actually monitors and manages this?
258. I think it's a good idea to keep those who cause a problem out for a period of time but it can also have a negative effect upon those being kept away
259. If they are constantly using threatening or abusive behaviour, then they should be banned for a month from that site.
260. Too much anti social behaviour
261. I feel intimidated by them
262. This is good so long as it is enforced.
263. Seems fair

265. Not sure if 24 hrs is long enough
266. Useless unless enforced
267. I have regularly seen the same few individuals shouting and abusing shop staff.
268. Keep
269. Start 3 strikes and if you get 3 band for a month
270. If the PSPO is enforced no change is required.

271. Not sure if it's implemented
272. Try anything to make the city centre safer and a nice place to visit
273. If you are in the wrong then you deserve to be removed from the city centre
274. Prohibit them for longer than 24 hours but do more to find them with rehabilitation and a home to live in.
275. Big problem with anti social behaviour and one that makes many people feel very intimidated and in some scenarios quite frightened.
276. Good
277. It can feel intimidating on your own.
278. We need more police on the streets to ensure this rule is followed.
279. Keep them out of city centre
280. Doncaster needs to attract people into town. Bad behaviour stops people visiting Doncaster/
281. Antisocial behaviour can be very frightening for both young and old and I would prefer to see offenders prosecuted for causing a 'Breach of the Peace' but preventative measures are a second best.
282. Why not ban them altogether.
283. They now if they cause bad behaviour they should be kept out of town for longer than maybe while people don't go to town because of these clowns
284. Use police
285. Who prevents them from returning ,because they do return
286. As the local authority you have to have a presence to enforce this.
287. I agree with it.
288. It should be longer than 24 hours
289. Not sure how you 'police' this but keep it.
290. It is hard to enforce this without a large amount of extra funding
291. Seems to be the best answer
292. Needs to be further enforced not removed.
293. I do not believe that the people who are anti-social will take any notice of any prohibition. There are no consequences which is why they are anti-social in the first place.
294. As before
295. even with the prohibition when walking through the city centre for work purposes, i have seen drug taking at certain location in view of the public.
296. On top of the prohibition you need hard policing strategies. It needs a full time uniform presence and strategy with shoplifting squads reintroduced. We need proactive measures not reactive ones.
297. Why only 24 hours ban them for a week
298. There's been so many people shouting and swearing in the city centre making it a really uncomfortable place to be at times. If people understood it wasn't acceptable and that they couldn't return within the next 24 hours hopefully it may prevent them repeating their offense
299. There always seems to be plenty around Frenchgate. I have also been asked for money in market area and on railway platforms.
300. Keep it safe - move them on and they won't return
301. Are they monitored?
302. The 24 hours should be extended.
303. Keep the psps as it is. also people riding e-scooters and cycles should be prohibited
304. That's a joke. Who polices it
305. The town centre should be for civilised people only
306. Yes this should be the case
307. See comments in question 9
308. Enforce it.
309. Nuisance everywhere
310. About right
311. Needs enforcing better

- 312.If actioned, very good. If not it serves no purpose.
- 313.It would be nice to lock them up if possible. I did see what looked like some gypsies fighting with a homeless looking person in the car park opposite relish a few weeks ago. There seems to be quite a few homeless taking root in there recently
- 314.Lock them up
- 315.Enforce the prohibition
- 316.Zero tolerance on that
- 317.We deserve to be free from intimidation
- 318.You will never stop them
- 319.Persons causing antisocial behaviour needs removing from the city centre.
- 320.They should be fines.
- 321.I still see antisocial behaviour in the city centre.
- 322.24 hours gives enough time to sober up and reflect on why they were asked to leave. This needs the person to accept responsibility for their behaviour though.
- 323.Zero tolerance on this. Need to make it a welcoming place to visit not worsened by risk of previous bad experiences
- 324.If people are in our city causing a problem then we need to exclude them.
- 325.AS LONG AS IT IS ENFORCED
- 326.Suggest longer ban
- 327.For thieves this needs to be indefinitely.
- 328.People sleeping all day in the street in front of Frenchgate brings down the safety, look and feel of the city centre. If people want to sleep outside, it should be in designated areas. Sometimes the smell in these areas are puke worthy as they must be using the street as a toilet.
- 329.There's enough people causing issues in the town we don't need any more
- 330.I think it's the prohibition is effective
- 331.Shouldn't be allowed back into city centre at all
- 332.Dependent upon the severity of the ASBO
- 333.Not enough police to make sure it is enforced
- 334.How efficiently is this enforced.....
- 335.how is this enforced?
- 336.Drinking behaviour as people don't know when they have had enough
- 337.There needs to be consequences for antisocial behaviour
- 338.Never had a problem
- 339.Not acceptable
- 340."Zero tolerance required
- 341.New York great success with zero tolerance"
- 342.The big gangs of youngsters blacked out with caps & balaclavas are horrendous & should not be allowed
- 343.Fair enough or longer
- 344.It's fine as it is
- 345.Should be excluded for longer
- 346.It works if it's caused by substances as they hopefully will have calmed - but not if it's behavioural
- 347.If anything increase the time to stay away for up to a week .
- 348.This is still a big problem especially around the Jazz cafe which is a shame as I no longer go to this cafe as I hate passing these people, mostly men
- 349.This should be retained
- 350.In lieu of being locked up for being D&D etc this is a proportionate action
- 351.They should be banned for at least 24 hours if not more
- 352.Them once makes city unsafe & ugly..
- 353.People begging should be approached by mental health or other team, get their story and log the issues causing their demise, offer help in rehab or other, offer bed n breakfast for those accepting

rehab or help. These people need help as you would help those coming from war torn countries, this is their war against the system that brought them to drugs n crime, no one is born bad.

354. was not aware this was policy

355. And has it worked? Or are we just glossing over bad paint work

356. They should learn to modify behaviour

357. As before

358. I question if it will stop the behaviour but at least it's something if it's enforced

359. People who offend need time to reflect on their behaviour

360. 24 hours does not seem a long enough ban to me, and surely requesting them to leave means that they don't have to, so they can continue to stay and spoil the centre for everyone else.

361. Perhaps ban them for longer periods

362. Make it a longer period

363. Same as above

364. Waste of time dose not work

365. Beggars won't leave me alone.

366. 24 hours is an insultingly short time they should be barred for much longer especially if they have been caught and barred before.

367. It's good if only you enforced it more,

368. "Usually because the affects of alcohol or drugs!

369. They actually need help with their addictions?

370. What measures can you the Local Authorities and Police do see that people who are in need of help do to facilitate treatment for their addictions?

371. Otherwise it will always remain a problem? If not in the Town Centre then within the local community? "

372. Need to be kept out of the city longer.

373. Difficult policing people you can not find

374. I know the PSPO is in place but these beggars are still in the city center.

375. Not sure if I've chosen correct response- change if needed in line with feedback preferred

376. Thinks this is required

377. Any antisocial behaviour causes issues for shoppers, children going to school, shop keepers and commuters. Repeat offenders should be banned for far longer than 24 hours, possible a month

378. keep em out

379. Note to say.

380. Yes, good idea. it has helped. keep it up

381. It's a good thing not to allow people to drink on the streets

382. More enforcement

383. In reality how can this be enforced ?

384. Why let them return at all.

385. Doubt it happens to be honest

386. Prohibit returning for a much longer period of time.

387. they should be kept away, if they can't behave in a reasonable manner.

388. This needs enforcing a lot more

389. We don't want to see drunk people any time of day/afternoon/or nighttime

390. That seems fair if they have crossed the line with antisocial behaviour including people who are drunk and disorderly.

391. Thus is just a load of rubbish as they just laugh and return

392. As above

393. My answer is, I no longer visit City Centre

394. I only stay in town to carry out my business. I would not stay to look around as I find the town very intimidating.

395. I agree!

396. Anti social behaviour should be totally condemned.

397. Could you not make it longer
398. I think that people who are being antisocial in anyway should definitely be banned for more than a day.
399. Again unsafe
400. This does not affect me.
401. Prevention should be longer than 24 hours and who exactly polices this?
402. Make it longer
403. Keep them away for good
404. Need to be prohibited from entering for longer periods as it doesn't seem to affect them from behaving correctly in public areas.

406. Make it a permanent ban
407. Should make it 48/72 hours.
408. When I was last in the town. Guy kept asking police officer just said don't ask others for money so he just stayed there as she left, there's always a guy outside the works shop.
409. As before how many repeat offenders are recorded?
410. Ban them for 30 days and recruit some town centre officers who can actually enforce these PSPOs, and make the town more pleasant for those who want to enjoy
411. Ban them for longer, a year.
412. Should be for longer than 24 hours
413. Make it more difficult for people to do the above
414. currently not working
415. Ban them altogether
416. Make the ban longer for repeat offenders
417. Make it a year
418. Change the no return period to 6 months, and if abused make it permanent.
419. They should be banned from entering Town centre for at least 1 year.
420. The exclusion period should be far longer, 7 days as 24 hours is no deterrent
421. Ban them for a year
422. Be more aggressive with them.
423. Should be a longer length than 24 hours.
424. Give them a fine
425. 24 hours doesn't seem long.... sliding scale? Longer..... Dependent on misdemeanor?
426. 24 hours is not much as they only come back and do the same things
427. Prohibition should be longer and enforced
428. Banned means banned
429. Make it for a longer period of time
430. Make it a month
431. Should be longer that they should be banished from the city 24hrs isnt q long enough deterrent.
432. As per 6
433. Extend it to three months
434. I wonder does this 24h prevention actually works? Town centre is full of suspicious people..
435. Make the prohibition a lot longer
436. If they offend more than once they should be barred for much longer. 24 hrs is not enough as they just return a couple of days later.
437. Keep them out of the town for good.
438. No right of return
439. Extend exclusion to a minimum of one month.
440. 24 hours is too short ,make it 72 hrs

441. Extend the time before people can go back. If people are stop on a Saturday it almost does not matter if they can go back on Sunday when there is nothing worth going back for.
442. Needs to be increased, starting at seven days increasing every time this is broken.
443. If causing a problem they should not be allowed to come back in for longer than 24 hours.
444. A longer prevention period
445. Increase the order in banning time significantly
446. Make it longer
447. Ensure this happens!
448. Increase the amount of time they are prevented from returning to the city centre after they are requested to leave.
449. Should be longer
450. what is PSPO number 3?
451. Make that time longer.
452. It would be a good idea to increase the exclusion period.
453. They should be banned for a longer period.
454. Make the ban longer, it's too soft.
455. Change by 6 month ban in 1 mile radius of town centre for any anti social behaviour also tagging with a curfew.
456. 24 hours is far too short a period for banishment.
457. There has to be a consequence for people that have been asked to leave or trust and confidence in both the City Council and Police will cease.
458. Ban them for a month
459. Stop them all together
460. Make it tougher, imprisonment and fines should be considered a ban for 24 hours means nothing to these people.
461. Make term ban longer
462. Not working
463. 24 hours is not long enough
464. A prohibition which is not working (and is therefore ineffective) needs review, not more of the same. I am interested in how people are being encouraged to and supported in changing their behaviours.
465. See previous answer.
466. This needs tightening up to more clearly cover antisocial behaviour directly linked to drinking in particular later at night. The feel of the city centre definitely changes at around 11pm after large groups of people have been drinking for some time. Consideration around dispersing large groups would be helpful. This is in place in places such as York. People are aware that if they are in a large group they will not get entry to pubs and clubs and will be dispersed so they don't do it. It reduces the feeling of antisocial behaviour erupting if groups are managed better.
467. extend it
468. Make it a longer ban.
469. Make the time longer, regular offenders should be banned either for good or months
470. This should be at least a month to have any effect
471. Again, no idea how its actually being applied but doesnt seem to be working
472. Extend it beyond 24 hours and consider permanent ban
473. Put the ban in for longer as 24 hours clearly isn't working as they will be causing the same issue the very next day
474. They should be banned for 30 days. A strong consequence will likely be a bigger deterrent. Also issue them with a huge fine.
475. They should be banned for a longer period
476. Be stricter
477. They should receive a stronger punishment
478. Ban them from the City centre
479. Longer ban

480. Change it to a month if re offend keep them out permanently
481. Needs to be longer than 24 hours. Maybe a month
482. Enforce it.
483. Extend it
484. Expand this to all of doncaster mbc area.
485. Make it 7 days and extend the boundary. They just head to OneStop at Carr House Road because it is outside the centre and cause problems there instead
486. Extend the period longer
487. Make it higher than 24 hr
488. "This is the most pointless PSPO, yes I've seen people being told to leave...and then a few hours later seen the same individual spaced out laying on a market stall.
- 489.
490. Or they simply come back 24 hours later and the whole process starts again.
- 491.
492. Make the bans permanent with exemptions for legitimate reasons to be in the city Center."
493. The prevention should be for longer than 24 hours
494. Make it 48 hours as 24 hours is not enough.
495. Tougher punishment
496. Make it 48 hours?
497. Should be banned for good.
498. Make it stronger
499. Make the period of time longer before allowing them to return. There is, especially in warmer weather, more incidents of antisocial behaviour which makes it unpleasant to visit.
500. Prohibit for 72 hours
501. Should be longer than 24 hours change to 48 hrs minimum
502. Should be at least a month.
503. I believe the length of time for staying away from the City centre should be longer
504. Ban them for a week
505. A total ban on being in the town centre with a support programme to help these individuals get back on track. There is never any feed back of the good happening for them.
506. How do you enforce this with under 16s. Are you recording their names? Ifvth3 ar3 told to leave do you ensure the6 get home safely?
507. 24 hours is not long enough it should be 48 hours
508. 24hrs isn't long enough!
509. How come they can come back after 24 hours?? Utterly pointless.
510. More has to be done
511. Ban them
512. Make it longer than 24 hours, more like a week
513. Make it seven days, and enforce it.
514. Extend the ban to a week minimum
515. People dont leave they just move to a different area, they should be physically transported out.
516. Should be longer than 24 hours.
517. "Any one causing any negative behaviour should be excluded from city centre for a minimum of 7 days
518. 24 hours isn't a deterrent "
519. It's should be long they don't care it's only 24hours
520. If caught these individuals should be banned fir at least 7x days
521. Fine, ban, arrest. More immediate protection for people in the way of security
522. Increase length of time they are prevented from returning.
523. Should be a week
524. Make the ban longer and make it mean something
525. It should be longer

526. More policing needed so that people feel safer
527. Make it more severe
528. who prevents it?
529. Make them stay out of the city centre for a significant amount of time, at least 1 week
530. Make it a month so they can reflect on their behaviour. How will it be policed.
531. Some people causing anti social behavior or begging may be asked to leave but obviously don't.
532. Make it longer as they have no respect for the place or other people
533. Pointless people just ignore it
534. The prohibition should be longer and at least cover 48 hours and so the whole weekend
535. Should Stop for A Week At Least
536. Should be banned FOREVER
537. Make it longer.
538. It should be changed to a week or more ban from the city centre.
539. Again just dealing with the problem as it is. Not finding out why this happens.
540. Same all over, put them under house arrest for a month.
541. They just keep coming back and the cycle repeats and repeats.....
542. They don't stay out of town, they are back in as soon as 5 mins
543. Extend it to 48 hours
544. I would like to see them being prevented from returning for more than 24 hours but am not sure how this can be reinforced
545. Restriction should be extended to 48 hours at least
546. Should be a months ban as a minimum for antisocial behaviour.
547. 24 he does not stop them causing anti social behaviour bar them completely, or make stiffer punishments.
548. Needs to be enforced better
549. They are asked to leave????? never seen that happen-
550. Who is responsible for enforcement? If the police are not there in the first place what is the point of this new rule? Police have all the powers they need but no reforce!
551. Either enforce it, or go to previous answer.
552. Keep however is there a condition where individual is then banned all together after so many strikes?
553. Extend to 168 hours
554. 24 hours isn't long enough
555. Give them a longer ban. Make town centre feel like a safe place for vulnerable people
556. Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!
557. Make the banning order a longer period
558. Not good , make it longer
559. Make it 48 hours or longer
560. It's not good enough to ban individuals from the city to stop this behaviour proper action needs to be taken against individuals.
561. Extend it to 72 hours for a second offence and a 12 month banning order after that. Is it capable of being policed as it is anyway?
562. Make it two weeks
563. Make it 72 hours. And lock them up if in breach
564. Should be more than 24 hours
565. Make longer the period until they are allowed to return.
566. Change for a longer amount of time
567. A 24 hour ban is totally insufficient
568. The homeless people need somewhere to go . Why are they begging , have they got some social security money are they begging for drug and alcohol money. Is there enough places to accommodate all those who live on the streets. By stopping them returning to the centre are you pushing the problem elsewhere
569. Needs more enforcement by getting more PSCOs on the streets

570. I think they no return should be longer, what difference is 24 hours going to make? They will just return the next day and do the same, there are no consequences for them doing so, they just continue to repeat offend
571. If they return what happens? Probably nothing.
572. Ban them indefinitely
573. Make it longer. We have street drinkers who will just keep coming back, and using Frenchgate doorways to sleep in. It has been rife since the Covid era ended.
574. Ban them for 1 week
575. at least 48 hours
576. Ban them altogether, they are not supporting the town centre, they are not helping to make it a better place to visit, its such a shame the place has gone so much down hill, the market has been ruined for many different reasons over the years, not enough parking, unsafe altogether
577. Keep out for at least a week
578. longer out of the town centre
579. They just keep returning to the area, I reported a bigger daily to a council enforcement. His reply was " Ash is ok I know him from when I did town Security" surly he should be treated the same for breaching the rules.
580. Ban for longer
581. "Ban them for longer
582. "
583. Make it stricter with more police/security presence as there is so few it doesn't prevent them coming back
584. It doesn't deter anyone.
585. They should be prevented from returning for longer
586. 24 hours is not a deterrent just a reason to move on
587. This banishment is insufficient.
588. They should be banned for much much much longer than just 24 hours. Forbidden for a week with ease offence getting longer.
589. Increase the suspension time from 24 hours to 7 days.
590. Please see my answers above. I would like it to be 7 days and not 24 hours. If I was causing trouble in the city centre sending me away till tomorrow would have little impact on my behaviour. 7 days would be much more of a deterrent. Again more police officers present to would help.
591. How do you physically stop them returning?
592. 24 hrs is not enough time
593. 24 hours isn't enough of a deterrent, make it 48/36
594. Keep them out of centre longer than 24 hours it's a joke 24 hour ban
595. It should be longer than 24hrs. However as there doesn't seem to be anyone around to enforce this, then I'm sure that the perpetrators take no notice of this prohibition.
596. As previously. For those under 18 though you should go after the parents. 6 weeks prison for the parent of an offender will soon sort things out. Even a curfew imposed by tagging a parent. Deny the parents something they value.
597. Should be up to period of 48hrs exercisable by an officer dependant upon the reasons for the behaviour as 24 hrs may not be enough if caused by serious drug/alcohol intake.
598. It should be tougher ban them from city centre for a month
599. Make the prohibition long. Up to a week.
600. Make the ban longer, why should the minority ruin it for everyone else
601. Ban them for longer, why only 24 hours?????
602. Enhance the action taken
603. 24 hours? A week minimum and enforced
604. This should be longer than 24 hours, it is not a sufficient deterrent.
605. 24 hours is not long enough
606. The period preventing re-entry should be longer and strictly enforced

607. It needs to be longer or at least start to charge them with anti social behaviour
608. Should not be allowed to return for a longer period
609. So they are back in 24 hours. It needs a more meaningful penalty
610. More robust and more consequences. More or better policing of the situation
611. Increase the order to 7 days.
612. Have more PCSO's to help people move on quickly and safely.
613. Extend to a month
614. 24 hour ban, what's the point, how is this managed and they just take their anti social behaviour somewhere else
615. Longer ban equals stronger deterrent.
616. That will not resolve the situation they be back following day we need to get to the root cause (more help for the homeless and users proper shelter and support)
617. Improve it!! 24 hours?? Depending on the level of anti social behaviour that's not enough?
618. Refer to last comments
619. Ban them for at least 7 days
620. 24hrs is not long enough.
621. Extend it to 28 days
622. Make this longer than 24 hours. Their constant antisocial behaviour keeps normal people away from town.
623. Increase to one week this interdiction.
624. Should be banned for longer, dependent on the severity of the asb
625. It needs to be a longer period of time, by the time they have sobered up, they can come back
626. Should be 7 days prohibition. As it is they can come back every day
627. Change it to more than 24 hours.
628. Ban them
629. Extend the time further than 24 hours.
630. 24 hours is not a deterrent, should be at least a week (better a month)
631. Enforce it.
632. I dont see any difference again so cannot comment.
633. The answer's in question 9. They will return within 24 hours pointless
634. Longer ban, although I'm not sure how easy it is to police
635. Employ people to do something about it. Oh yeah. Police. Where are they??? Ask the conservatives.
636. It should be a longer ban - and reinforced so it is not a paper exercise
637. Make it more stringent
638. Remove them for indefinite period of time
639. This is clearly not a good enough deterrence
- ████████████████████
641. It's okay asking them to leave when all they do is turn the corner and return, ineffective.
642. Zero tolerance needed. A longer ban.
643. Longer needed, they are back the next day begging and taking drugs in full view of all, including children.
644. 24 hours is not long enough. People causing antisocial behaviour should be prevented from entering the city centre for a month
645. Needs to be increased and policed much better.
646. If people aren't allowed to re entry the city centre why are the so called office looking at them instead of removing them ????
647. Extend to 168 hours - 24hrs is just a nap to some people and if it was 7 days it would give them ample opportunity for them to contemplate their behaviour and encourage a positive change. A 24hr ban may deal with the immediate situation but does it have any long term impact. In life if a footballer is sent off they typically get a 3 match ban, if this was 24 hour ban it would have no impact at all.
648. As before
649. More enforcement needed especially in the St James street estate

650. How on earth is this policed? Does it work?

651. Permanent exclusion is the only answer.

652. Ban for life.

653. On the spot fines

654. make it stricter

655. Month ban

656. Probably should extend

657. Should be harsher repercussions. Antisocial behaviour should be more than a slap on the wrist. We've had stabbings and often even as a 30 year old male I feel unsafe in the city.

658. They should be banned for a month

659. 24 hours is too short

660. A 24 hour ban is not a deterrent! It should be longer

661. How do you police it for a whole 24 hours? A fine might be sufficient as a deterrent as long as it is administered there and then when reported and found to be true.

662. Banned completely

663. It's a waste of time

664. Changed to seven days and enforced

665. Should be longer

666. I would make it longer than 24 hours. Possibly 48 hours

667. Maybe a longer ban could be given.

668. ban not long enough

669. 24 hours is not long enough

670. Place a permanent ban on them

671. A longer ban needed

672. Come back 24 hrs later to do it again. It's not stopping it.

673. Should be a longer period of ban.

674. People who have been causing antisocial behaviour should be tagged and banned from the town for an extended period of time

675. Need longer bans

676. Make returning a longer time than just 24 hours.

677. Make it much more strict.

678. The anti social behaviour is the main reason we don't go to the city center in the evenings. Caused in the main by the numerous drinking establishments.

679. I think it should be increased to 48/72 hours so those whom are disruptive are kept away for longer

680. Extend the ban to 3 months minimum.

681. This is not working

682. Make the prohibition order longer

683. Antisocial behaviour should have a longer ban, our systems are too soft, no deterrent even if sent to court they only get community service or suspended sentence.

684. Make bans for a minimum one month and up to 6 months

685. These people do not adhere to the prohibition and should be arrested

686. I feel this needs to be more rigorously enforced

687. A month

688. The ban should be for longer, eg at least a month.

689. 7 days first offence, 30 days second offence, 3 months third offence.

690. Make it so that they can't come back for a week

691. enforce it

692. Ban offenders for longer

693. Increase the measures

694. "You need enforcement officers in the town

695. "

696. Longer prohibition and how would this be enforced?

697. This prohibited should be longer, 72 hours unless for specific reasons, i.e. Medical to claim benefits or attend pre arranged appointments.
698. Longer bans up to a year
699. They shouldn't be allowed back at all.
700. "Extend the period of return
701. Although nearly impossible to police"
702. Prevent from entering for longer
703. Make the Order Stricter. You may then get more LOCAL people FROM Doncaster using the centre .
ALSO make it FREE to park in the CENTRE car parks. Take a look at the out of town retail parks, their car parks are FULL because they are FREE.
704. Make it stronger or enforce it more
705. Ban for longer
706. Antisocial behaviour is threatening to the public
707. Make it longer than 24hrs
708. Depending how serious the instance of antisocial behaviour is, offenders should be monitored and if they repeat the offence, they should be banned from the city centre completely or after a certain time of day. Merely removing somebody for 24 hours is not a sufficient deterrent and would not make me feel any safer. This should apply to everybody, whether or not they have alternative accommodation.
709. Should be a minimum of one week.
710. Should be longer
711. 24 hours is not long enough to provide any kind of deterrent
712. Longer periods of prevention should be introduced.
713. longer than 24h
714. Anti social behaviour ruins city atmosphere and should be stamped out if you want people to frequent the city
715. Should be more lengthy ban.
716. Psp0 not working.
717. They should be banned for 7 days
718. Make it forever they are a nuisances
719. Make changes to extend time limit of going into town but how will this be policed??
720. Anyone barred should be barred for longer
721. Prevent them from entering for a longer period of time.
722. Prohibit the law breakers from entering the city for 1 week.
723. 24 hours is not long enough
724. I was not aware there was any prohibition as these activities take place all the time
725. they should be barred for at least 6 months
726. Make it a longer period of time
727. Lock them up
728. 24 hours is not long enough
729. Extend the duration of the ban
730. Extend this to 48 hours
731. Make it longer, 48 hours would be better, but who is policing looking out for the antisocial person when they come back an hour later.
732. Ban them for a longer period
733. Keep them away longer
734. They should be banned for a lot longer and arrested and charged if caught again.
735. One week
736. Should be a longer period
737. Does it work and how is it policed and monitored for compliance
738. They should be arrested and banned from the city centre.
739. Lifetime ban

740. extend the period its not a deterrent
741. Ban them for good? Will only go and be a nuisance elsewhere so maybe leave them
742. Make it stronger and more policing
743. Keep them away for longer.
744. requested to leave!!!! lock em up
745. Ban them for a month
746. People involved in antisocial behaviour should be banned from the town centre for longer periods if not indefinitely.
747. Make it tougher
748. Keep the change as suggested but include a town centre ban for one or two weeks
749. Whats to stop them returning.....nothing. Stop pussyfooting around and lock them up for 24 hrs.
750. Ban them for a longer period - perhaps a week
751. Extend the prohibition for months rather than days.
752. Our daughter is a shop manager in the precinct shoplifting by kids is rife but again no police presence
753. Maybe prohibited from returning fir a longer period of time.
754. They should not be allowed to return.
755. How can you possibly police this? Also, 24 hours? Maybe a month would be better suited.
756. 24 hours not as it is not long before they are back
757. In its present form it is not working
758. Increase the exclusion time to discourage more.
759. as above
760. Refer to answer above - THERE IS NO DETERRANT
761. Permanent ban
762. A ban should mean a ban
763. They are back after 24 hours causing problems again
764. Make it longer, if they are frequent offenders ban them for a longer length of time
765. It should be a week not 24 hours, that is hardly a deterrent.
766. the majority need to feel safe from the few
767. Make it permanent. 24 hours not long enough
768. A standard 24 hours prevention order may be sufficient for some instances; others far too little or on the other side of the coin, far too much. This is a matter that needs greater thought and attention. For example;, someone who threatens violence against an individual thus creating terror in that person perhaps needs a longer ban from the location of the crime.
769. They ignore it
770. Do not request order with a penalty notice as a driver would get for parking
771. Barr them for a week not a day !
772. The current prohibition order is definitely not working and needs to be strengthened to its strongest possible level.
773. Make it longer.
774. Make it longer than 24 hrs
775. Give them a permanent ban, 24 hours isn't enough. We don't want these kinds of people in our city
776. Permanent ban for Ante social behaviour, one strike your out
777. 24 hours isn't long enough. They could be back the next day causing antisocial behaviour.
778. Change it from 24 hours to 48 hours or longer. Give people a break from being hounded by them
779. It doesn't appear to being policies as there is no sign of numbers dwindling
780. People who are guilty of anti social behaviour should not be allowed re-entry into the City Centre for at least six months, and get the Police involved.
781. A 24 hours stay away is nothing they just come back the day after .
782. They just come back after a while, about an hour
783. They should be banned from city centre for much longer
784. More police powers should be allowed removing them for 24 hours doesn't work
785. Make it harder for them say 48 hour ban.

- 786.As before
- 787.Make the ban at least a year.
- 788.I've already answered that
- 789.Send them to a lock up as the kids have no respect and the "homeless" don't care
- 790.24 hours not long enough
- 791.Make it one week
- 792.7 days prohibition for first offence, graduating upwards for subsequent offences
- 793.As with everything not strict enough and not enough people to see the job done
- 794.Self evident
- 795.Anti social behaviour is unacceptable and people who indulge themselves in it should be permanently banned from the area concerned!
- 796.Ban them for a minimum of 1 week
- 797.Increase the time ban.
- 798.Make it longer than 24 hours
- 799.These people should be made to behave, there's nothing in place that stops antisocial behaviour
- 800.See 5
- 801.As number 6
- 802.Minimum ban of 7 days!
- 803.Lengthen this
- 804.Stop them coming back at all
- 805.They should not be allowed to return. We had friends in Doncaster with us last weekend and even I felt unsafe.
- 806.24 hours is not long enough to stop someone's anti social behaviour. Ban them for life and when they have children they can explain to them why they are not able to visit the town centre. Why should normal people have to tolerate their bad behaviour.
- 807.It should be longer in my view
- 808.I want to see a happy vibrant City,this will not happen as things are,I know some of these people are not at fault because of circumstances
- 809."It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.
- 810.The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "
- 811.Needs to be longer than 24 hours! It's not hard to bloody behave
- 812.more community officers, making sure that they move people on when required
- 813.People causing antisocial behaviour should be banned for longer than 24 hours, and repeat offenders should be totally banned.
- 814.Ban them for a month
- 815.They should be prevented from returning for a longer period of time than 24 hours.
- 816.Ban them completely
- 817.longer bans.
- 818.LONGER BAN
- 819.24 hours doesn't seem long enough, perhaps a month. But help should be available for vulnerable people.
- 820.Make it longer than 24 hours, to at least a week.
- 821.Should be banned for at least one week on first offence and be increased for persistent offenders
- 822.Find the homeless people shelter to live in
- 823.Extend the period before they can return.
- 824.Make it longer than 24 hours
- 825.needs changing from 24 hrs to 48 hrs
- 826.24 hours is not enough
- 827.Again this then becomes a problem in areas like Balby, my local shop has to have it's door locked at all times and buzz in customers as it's an unsafe place for people to work.

828.It should be at least a week
829."Why only 24 hours?
830.How many offenders obey the 24 hour ban?
831.Are figures recorded on how many bans are issued and how many are obeyed? "
832.Ban them indefinitely.
833.Should be banned as not acceptable
834.A longer return period before they were allowed to would be better.
835.ban for 1 month
836.Ban them for 6 months from returning to town.
837.Exclude for longer - no punishment really
838.It's not working as the centre is still full of them every day
839.A greater police presence is needed, particularly at night
840.No one monitors them they still enter
841.Should be prevented from returning for at least a week.
842.Prevent people causing antisocial behaviour from returning to the city centre for at least 72 hours-24
is not enough
843.I've seen council staff stuff prohibition orders into the pockets of people who are intoxicated from
alcohol or drugs. How can they be expected to remember they were told to leave and not return.
844.Have not seen number 3 .Any officers in town are few and far between and if one does see any they
take little or no notice of what may be happening. They do not move around with any purpose.
845.I feel it should be longer. At least a week.
846.72 hours minimum. And arrest if they come into town
847.SEE SECTION 8
848.extend it too 7 days on second offence.
849.Start to monitor/police the situation would be a help.
850.More enforcement longer restrictions
851.longer 24hrs nothing
852.Ban them for longer
853.Why are they only being "requested" and who can possibly police the 24 hour rule. This is no
deterrent at all.
854.The prohibition should include this action.
855.repeat offenders should be banned for longer
856.Longer exclusion period required
857.It should be longer
858.24 hours isn't long enough
859.Increase the timescale and potential powers to ban
860.Haven't noticed that this has made a difference to antisocial behaviour.
861.Ban for longer period
862.Ban them for longer. Enforce fixed penalty notices for littering
863.Don't left them return for a month.
864.Should be a longer period before being allowed to return
865.You see the same people every time you go to town so what is in place obviously isn't working.
866.Ban them for weeks
867.For 12 months
868.Months not hrs
869.People who show antisocial behaviour should be banned for far longer than 24 hours.
870.Should be longer.
871.Needs to be longer than 24 hrs
872.This needs to be more severe
873.Tighten it up especially in the bus station (if this is in your control)
874."Make it longer than 24hours. Again I have seen people given this order and by 24hours they are back
doing the same stuff they were to get the order to leave

- 875."
- 876.should be longer. 24 hours is nothing.
- 877.Ban them all together.
- 878.24 hours in not long enough.
- 879.Needs to be stricter and policed better
- 880.Extend the prohibition
- 881.Make the prohibition more stricter
- 882.If they have been causing problems and asked to leave then come back 24 hours later causing the same problems surely they should be banned from returning again
- 883.Remove repeat offenders right to be in city centre ultimately completely using sliding scale.
- 884.Keep them away for a month
- 885.Enforce the order as you do not at present why have it if you don't do something with it
- 886.You don't act in it so what is the point
- 887.Ban for longer
- 888.Make the enforcement longer
- 889.Keep them put longer
- 890.Needs toughening up and more enforcement.
- 891.increase
- 892.Make it longer. 24 hours too short to have impact.
- 893.They should be banned for more than 24hrs. Should be alot longer and for all age groups
- 894.See above answers
- 895.They should not be allowed to come before a week.
- 896.Too lenient, they are intimidating and make the city unpleasant to visit.
- 897.Should be longer term
- 898.I think it should be longer than 24h.
- 899.I think 24 hrs isn't long enough, particularly for repeat offenders - perhaps the period of exclusion could be increased for repeat offenders. (24 hrs initially, 48 hrs for a second offence within a defined period) etc.
- 900.24hr ban not enough.3 days or more
- 901.Total ban .
- 902.Make it permanent ban.
- 903.Need more more pspos
- 904.Ban them for life
- 905.Stricter rules put in place & complaints needed acting on quicker
- 906.Stricter enforcement
- 907.24 hours not long enough
- 908."At least 48 hours
- 909."
- 910.Shouldn't be allowed at all to return. Good people know how to behave. If there is a neurological or medical problem for the behaviour then that's to be understood
- 911.Ban them for longer or lock them up as a deterrent.
- 912.It doesn't work they don't even leave and stay in town, they are homeless and have nowhere to go, it is a pointless task.
- 913.How is this really managed are you finger printing every single person who comes into Doncaster
- 914.If causing problems/Antisocial behaviour ban them for longer.
- 915.It should be 7 days
- 916.There needs to be a more stricter version
- 917.Widen the area
- 918.Need to be longer than 24hrs I've not seen anyone stopped and asked to leave what I have seen is the officers walking past this anti social behaviour and turning a blind eye
- 919.Time should be longer than 24 hours ,
- 920.Increase it.

921. 24 hours isn't long enough and there are not enough police around to police it
922. make it for ever
923. Make it a month
924. Extend the the period, longer exclusion
925. Increase the time that they are banned
926. Should be banned for much longer.
927. It ought to be longer than 24hrs, with more serious repercussions if they are persistent.
928. Ban them permanently
929. More policing and security
930. The first offence ban should be longer than 24 hours (say 48 to cover a full weekend) and re-offenders should be banned indefinitely.
931. Enforced
932. Antisocial behaviour needs to be penalised and consequences needed to be serious as removing from council houses and relocation to places where it can harm others: for now it is harming streets and peoples living even if one 'bad family' or 'bad person' is living nearby.
933. 24 hours is too short - change to 48 hours
934. Change the prohibition to 12 hours. 12 hours is enough time for someone to sober up or reflect on their poor behaviour after being confronted by an Officer. Further antisocial behaviour can be dealt with accordingly with increased penalties from local law enforcement if necessary. Changing this to 12 hours will prevent people who had a one-off bad evening from having to miss work the next day.
935. increase timescale to at least a week
936. Increase time limit
937. Ban re entry for one month.
938. Keep them out for far longer
939. Increase this to a week or a month. Too many druggies and unsocial individuals milling round in Doncaster.
940. They should be prevented from returning for longer periods of time depending upon the severity of their actions
941. This behaviour needs to receive harder penalties. It cannot be tolerated. This area is where a very small amount of people, will keep a majority of people away from the city centre
942. I think it should be longer than 24 hours, especially for repeat offenders.
943. Need a total ban
944. Need to ban for longer
945. there needs to be a stronger deterrent.
946. Lock them up and also get the culprits to clean the graffiti, clean the streets of litter the list is endless, but we're a political correct nation now, more the pity
947. Anti social behaviour is currently growing so whatever is in place is not working
948. Ban them for longer than 24hrs
949. what does that do really? if they enter town what happens?
950. 24 Hours won't make a lot of difference it should be longer.
951. More punishment and stricter
952. Should be made longer than 24 hours
953. Whatever you are doing isn't working! this continues.
954. Make it a month ban minimum, 3 strikes and 3 year ban
955. Stricter
956. Make it at least 7 days
957. Yes. But if they are under the age of 18 they should be sent to work with services such as epic in the frenchgate.
958. Should be banned for good.
959. 24 hours is not enough
960. Exclusion should be longer, at least 7 days otherwise there is no meaningful punishment.
961. 24 hours isn't long enough

1004. 24 hours is nothing to them
1005. Perhaps make the ban longer than 24hrs
1006. Ban them from the city
1007. Should be kept away for a longer period.
1008. There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
1010. Doesn't work unless policing is improved.
1011. Banishing people like in the times of Robin Hood? You have completely gone off the rails with your absurd ideas. Antisocial people who commit offenses are punished with fines (if they cannot afford them) or with imprisonment. Your ideas resemble sweeping the dirt under the carpet - it may seem clean, but it's still dirty.
1012. See above - and displacement of the issue by banning for 24 is no sensible solution to the broader issues - any PSPO is a sign of failure of public services
1013. Why 24 hours. Does someone think they are going to change their behavior during this time? They should be banned for a month!
1014. They just do as they want so why waste your time
1015. "Pointless, you don't enforce it long term.
1016. Move them on, let them straight back.
1017. You're being played for fools."
1018. They do nothing about it
1019. As above, if you can't enforce it, it means nothing.
1020. Again, not being enforced so why bother having it
1021. Stop policing homelessness.
1022. I do not believe that criminalising poverty and boredom is the solution here. The Council should focus on creating more meaningful employment opportunities and providing better parks and recreational areas for people to go to.
1023. no need
1024. How can you keep a check on this?
1025. As previous not policed properly. Those responsible just turn up else where.
1026. 24 hours does nothing
1027. What does this achieve
1028. As last two answers
1029. Nothing will change
1030. I am not sure how easy this is (or practical) It isn't the best use of manpower. There needs to be something more positive to address the issues.
1031. people can not help their behavior if they are naughty
1032. How are you even policing this? Effort may be better spent
1033. Get them locked up
1034. If asking for money etc is deemed antisocial behaviour I don't think they should be denied access to the town centre

Alcohol – Responses from Organisations

1. Definitely a useful section of the PSPO, again frequently used
2. More enforcement needs to take place.
3. LACK OF ENFORCEMENT IN AREA
4. Again this is something that happens daily on Thorne Road .

5. Recurring issue. Again this seems to be a small core of homeless (?) who openly walk up and down city centre streets drinking from cans and bottles.
6. Again, more enforcement needed as we are now seeing more and more shops selling single alcoholic drinks and then causing issues on the street before moving on, especially Saturday mornings, it's getting quite intimidating when turning up for work and being asked for money or getting abuse then our clients having the same issue when coming in to the studio. Also homeless sleeping outside relish or the studio is looking unsightly.
7. this needs to be enforced more strictly
8. Anything to reduce drunken behaviour
9. This is a continuing problem and we would be extremely concerned if we were unable to enforce them, this is a real problem for Doncaster and for the centre especially in a morning!
10. All drinking on streets and public spaces should be banned.
11. Again provide more patrols and more regular to enforce movement
12. Your ruining my town expanding the amount of drinking holes, absolutely no control of who is in charge, because you aren't and neither are the police
13. Ban it altogether
14. A total ban followed by a 7 day order
15. The PSPO prevents alcohol in the market square which limits its use. The market square should be a place for events and people to drink sociably. This works well in other towns i.e Barnsly so we should allow it here and monitor it
16. Drinking and being loud is off putting when your out shopping .
17. people still drinking on street

Alcohol – Responses from Individuals

1. This behaviour adds to the detriment of the city centre
2. Actually do something about it
3. I don't know of it but there's definitely a problem of bad behaviour
4. Enforce further
5. Seen people drinking and leave beers outside my ground floor apartment and always finding it near window or by door.
6. Quite a lot of people who appear homeless can be seen drinking
7. Keeps people safe
8. I've never had a problem with it.
9. Fed up seeing drunks and the litter they leave due to the cheap alcohol
10. Street drinking is not good for the City Centre.
11. Yes it needs to stay other wise it will create an excuse for individuals to loiter in the city centre and the alcohol will eventually fuel poor behaviour.
12. No reason for open alcohol, there is enough drinking locations in town.
13. The benches on the island opposite the gates of Hallcross school are a magnet for drinking, drug taking, littering and rowdy and unsociable behaviour and should be removed to discourage this activity.
14. This again is as bad as ever 2pm onwards is a no go in the city centre for vulnerable people because it is that intimidating
15. Clearly defined areas of consumption
16. Street drinking is very intimidating for visitors
17. Its not been enforced enough as it is
18. Not necessary to drink in the streets
19. Think it degrading to see people drinking in the street not a very good influence to the younger generation

20. No drinking in public places.
21. This should be stopped as it happens frequently
22. There is very little else in Doncaster and again no checks or real deterrent
23. N/A
24. Should only drink in approved places
25. Don't wanna spoil people's fun
26. Drunks are a nuisance, keep the order in place
27. Reason see answer 6. It intimidates and ultimately deters people coming into the centre to shop
28. Keep prohibition and enforce ban more on people ignoring it
29. There is no reason why people need to walk around drinking.
30. Yes keep it. It looks awful. Should be enforced across the whole of doncaster
31. Have noticed a little of this, outside Frenchgate, but less than in some other towns
32. There are too many places to drink as it is in the city centre.
33. Not pleasant to have to pass the groups.
34. City looks nasty and unwelcoming with people drinking and throwing empty cans in street
35. This still happens!
36. As before.
37. Should be enforced everywhere
38. Please enforce it .I have seen numerous instances and no enforcement
39. Should be enforced or it is pointless. Issue a fine on the spot.
40. There may be a prohibition but it doesn't seem to be working as I have had people pass me on the streets recently drinking from cans and bottles and you see cans and bottles left on the street and on top of walls quite often.
41. Usual outcome is anti social behaviour
42. As above
43. "These people are loitering when most have someone's home they can drink in. They put people off visiting due to their swearing, fighting, drinking and often thieving
44. "
45. Shouldn't be allowed at all.
46. Clear evidence of this; mainly makes, walking 'all over' drinking apparent alcohol from cans, shouting abuse for no apparent reason and not a police officer in sight when they become noisy.
47. Make pubs ensure drinks are not removed from the premises when in open glasses
48. Alcohol is a major problem and causes many situations of anti social behaviour
49. no
50. Prevents some anti social behaviour
51. This is still an issue in the town centre.
52. If causing a nuisance deal with them..if having a quiet drink in a park leave them
53. Something that adds to people's fears
54. Can't see document but agree this is good ban
55. Needs enforcing more
56. Again enforce this properly
57. The prohibition is only effective if it is actively policed.
58. Same again there's enough cameras in the centre if caught for a second time banned from town centre within 1 mile radius for at least 6 months.
59. Always very unpleasant to be in city centre, seeing drunk and drug-affected people and their behaviour - shouting at each other, staggering maybe into your path. City centre does not feel a safe, comfortable place to be. Always feels like a threat of something unsettling or even violent about to happen. Only go there for work, but do not like to do so for any other reason - leave as quickly as possible. Most people I know say this - will not go into centre.
60. I can see people coming to cabs/taxis with alcohol.
61. Should not be happening but it is at 9am in the morning seen with my own eyes on several occasions
62. These people can be seen most days

63. As per comment on the last answer. Not great to see when you are with young children in the day time.
64. THIS CAN LEAD TO OTHER ISSUES IF PEOPLE HAVE BOTTLES OR CANS AS WEAPONS
65. I don't know what the prohibition is. Can't find the info
66. It covers what's needed or just needs more feet on the ground to enforce it.
67. We all know who the problem is here. This should be in force to deal with them but there's no need to use it against decent people not causing an issue, who are just sat in one of the few open spaces relaxing.
68. Agree - drinking on the streets need to be enforced.
69. You don't stop beggars or drug takers from drink alcohol at the moment. Why.
70. See previous
71. Yes stops the litter and mess they leave
72. This is a huge issue on st sep near the miners statue and on the seats on french gate opposite boots. Groups of individuals drink heavily in these areas, intimidate others, start arguments and leave glass everywhere.
73. Drinking alcohol should be done in the appropriate places
74. If the market area had events you would just tweak this
75. Reinforce
76. Causes problems and littering
77. This is a constant problem left over bottles and cans often thrown into our garden
78. We do find littering in our gardens on a regular basis
79. we regularly fill a bin liner full of empty bottles and cans that have been thrown into our garden.
80. I think this should be clamped down on hard.
81. I don't think people should be walking in the city centre drinking.
82. The public does not want to see people heavily under the influence and drinking on the street when conducting their daily business.
83. Not enough policing to cope with this.
84. Have you considered a chewing gum ban, disgusting saliva ridden gum being spat out everywhere ruining the pavements and must pose health risk surely in a post pandemic world
85. An on-going problem so needs to stay the same
86. It leads to other crime and nuisance happening. People who want to be surrounded by people taking part in that activity will be in the pub. The vulnerable, elderly and young may not want to be surrounded by people intoxicated for safety reasons.
87. Implement the order
88. Alcohol should only be allowed on licensed premises
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
90. As above
91. This largely has improved standards. I've seen a noticeable difference in this area.
92. personally I would prefer powers to be extended but again policing these things is difficult
93. Alcohol is one of the main causes of ASB.
94. Again not enforced enough.
95. These people are a menace and need stopping.
96. It is intimidating when people are drinking in the street, especially when in groups.
97. Street Drinking is again visible in the city centre, it's often associated with Anti Social Behaviour and is both intimidating and frightening for visitors to experience
98. Answers its own question. Should not need to walk around with a beer in your hand.
99. To many people are allowed to leave pubs and clubs with drinks either in bottles or glasses, all vessels should be bar coded, and every vessel found outside of the designated area of service/ licences area should be scanned and a fine of £5 be applied to those premises. Each premises need to protect the public and our streets, bouncers can easily monitor this, the fines would soon stop this behaviour and also pay for a patrolling officer/ scanner !

100. drinking in the streets leads to antisocial behaviour and intimidation
101. No drinking in town on our ST. Take it from them, put gowns drains. Give a fine
102. Pubs/restaurants only
103. "It's very important
- 104."
105. Do t do a very good job already so why change
106. Drinking in the street is just uncouth behaviour.
107. So long as the enforcement is applied to anyone, not just those who appear to be homeless / living on the street
108. Should not be allowed
109. Please stop them
110. These people have complex lives, just let magistrates deal with them
111. Should help to reduce bad behaviour AND the help reduce litter.
112. Ditto
113. Too many jobs making trouble with cans in their hand.
114. There are a lot of people who drink a lot it's frightening for kids oap disabled
115. Na
116. Once again who is enforcing this as it appears to be a free for all on the rare occasion I go into the centre
117. As no one seems to do anything about it anyway despite the best efforts of some people, there is no point in charging anything
118. No drinking
119. A lot of drinking on benches not very nice
120. Encourage antisocial behaviour
121. The mess they leave
122. Needed
123. Enforcement required
124. Absolutely
125. Needs sticker enforcement of
126. No good without policing
127. Need to keep streets clear
128. Again get on the case of the Chief Constable
129. There should be a safe place for drinking, away from the street and public areas.
130. Encourages drunken behaviour
131. Illegal
132. Same
133. Drinking should only be allowed in a pub, restaurant or at home
134. Enforcement..
135. as above
136. No real objection to anyone having a drink when walking around but do object to groups congregating in public areas as older shoppers find it threatening especially if they have had a few drinks.
137. Drinking should be a social activity not an anti social one. It's very sad that drinking outdoors has become equated with antisocial behaviour but it is.
138. Too much antisocial behaviour from drinking alcohol in streets, spoiling the town centre, no longer family friendly
139. Nice to sit out side a pub or cafe. Don't like to see people walking about with cans of alcohol in there hands
140. Alcohol is usually at the centre of begging and antisocial behaviour
141. This is not being enforced
142. Unpleasant and threatening to visitors
143. Move them on move them out where are they buying it from I know it's not illegal to sell it but I'm sure the vendors know the offenders they need some sort of local law to prevent this type of sale

- 144.No street drinking of alcohol other than pub gardens is appropriate
- 145.I think this section is sufficient
- 146.Drinking in the street just leads to antisocial behaviour and is yet another deterrent for the public to use the town centre
- 147.Proposal supported to ensure safety and feeling of safety.
- 148.Just enforce it
- 149.No asb drunks in the street
- 150.Only keep it if its working, if it isnt, change it, too much violence and waste of police time, how they do their jobs in the town centre is beyond me with what they have to face
- 151.Excessive drinking in the centre is behind a lot of the antisocial behaviour and very off-putting for shoppers.
- 152.No excuse to walk about drinking alcohol what so ever ther are too many pubs as it is
- 153.Some of the team are good at been able to deter the street drinkers.
- 154.What is the law
- 155.Unruly drinking should not be allowed. I sit on the fence with the public having a quiet drink.
- 156.Cannot have people drinking freely up & down the streets. Only on drinking premises should be allowed.
- 157.Not seen this, so cannot comment.
- 158.Too many people who are antisocial with drink
- 159.Need people to enforce this.
- 160.As above.
- 161.There should be a street ban on alcohol altogether , it may improve my aspect on street safety
- 162.It looks anti social and gives wrong impression of the centre
- 163.Causes problems with drinking littering etc
- 164.I dont want to see folks drinking anywhere not designated
- 165.Send out of town
- 166.Keep but ensure that it is enforced.
- 167.Is it enforced/working?
- 168.Agree
- 169.Enforce it, it isn't now
- 170.Shouldn't apply to those who may be walking back a pub etc but only to those causing a nuisance
- 171.Potential for crime & threatening behaviour
- 172.A basic cause of anti social behaviour.
- 173.Makes them more aggressive
- 174.ALCOHOLISM IS A BIG ISSUE IN DONCASTER AND WE NEED TO DEMISTIFY THE IDEA OF BEING DRUNK EQUALS HAVING FUN. THERE IS AN URGENT NEED INVEST EDUCATION PROGRAMMES TO TALK ABOUT ALCOHOL AND ITS DANGERS AND TO PROMOTE A MUCH HEALTHIER WAY OF DRINKING ALCOHOL IN MODERATION AMONGST THE YOUNGER GENERATIONS SO THEY CAN BE RESPONSIBLE DRINKERS WHEN THEY BECOME ADULTS.
- 175.This is not enforced currently
- 176.It seems to be less than before in my opinion
- 177.No need to be drinking in open public spaces.
- 178.See above.
- 179.We need to do more to support these individuals and discourage the anti social behaviours
- 180.it's intimidating in an already unpleasant environment
- 181.again see this every day so obviously not enforced
- 182.keep all drunks off streets
- 183.No
- 184.this is an issue outside of the city centre.
- 185.it is controlling this type of behaviour
- 186.This would never decrease the tourism, tourists know how to have fun. Therefore I would see it as a tool, helping us in increasing the visitors numbers (in City Centre and other areas) as people will feel

safer to come and visit during weekends (when everyone is out and partying), youths would feel safe walking back home from the pub on a weekend. And this supports local businesses as if anyone wants to consume alcohol in the city centre they would have to do it on a proper way (inside a pub, or a bar).

187. People should not be allowed to drink in the street as it usually results in visitors being intimidated
188. Need a tighter grip on this
189. No street drinking
190. KEEP IT THE SAME
191. We need more powers and more police
192. Does not give a good impression of our city
193. Again, it is a matter of safety for letting users of the centre feel safe, and alcohol can be slung around even at people by semi-drunk not just drunk people.
194. As above
195. As other answers, try to go to Mexborough town centre if you want an example of drunks drinking their tins and bottles debasing the area
196. As above
197. I don't come into town after lunch
198. Needs stopping
199. They should not do this if found should be removed may be more phone cubical to report these issues but no one works Saturday or Sunday
200. Still see people drinking especially bottom of Printing Office Street and St. Sepulchre .
201. I don't understand the PSPO item
202. you see homeless and other people walking about drinking alcohol from cans
203. Doncaster needs to smarten itself up.
204. It's OK
205. I feel endangered by drunken yobs
206. "In Europe people seem to be better behaved and because of this the authorities in other countries allow people to walk around the city drinking because they act more responsible. However, the younger adults here in the UK don't seem to be able to control themselves and end up becoming unruly when they are let loose on the street while drinking alcohol.
- 207.
208. "
209. You need to enforce it.
210. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like
211. street drinking and smoking of cannabis and other drugs should be strongly discouraged
212. It's OK
213. Please stop bars piping loud music out like the one next door to Ward Brothers they do this in the winter when no one is sat outside. If we are not careful we'll lose Ward Brothers too. Who wants to listen to that when trying to get a peaceful browse of some furniture
214. People should feel safe and not afraid while walking about in Doncaster
215. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.
216. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as it's these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do
217. Don't let the blight our city same punishments as my earlier answer
218. I don't want my grandkids seeing this behaviour plus they can become aggressive
219. As above enforcement
220. Not safe for anyone
221. Haven't witnessed
222. Nothing is worse than seeing people drinking in the city center, it gives Doncaster a bad name.



224. As above
225. How can they afford this when on benefits
226. A common occurrence. I see people drinking from cans/bottles at 7.30 in the morning outside the frenchgate. Very intimidating.
227. Can feel uneasy at times
228. This will hopefully cut down on incidents
229. This behaviour is not necessary and should be permanently stopped
230. Never happen see last answer
231. Same as number 6
232. Enforce the order with heavier penalties
233. No
234. It's antisocial.
235. Should be kept as is
236. The current prohibition works and is still required
237. Last Saturday I went into the city centre as usual at 8.00 to visit our market early to find several homeless sat outside the Halifax Building drinking Stella and bottles of wine its no wonder the elderly are getting scared to enter.
238. "Make it more severe
- 239.
- 240.
- 241."
242. Enforce
243. As mentioned previously in this questionnaire, they sit on the wall drinking alcohol, and using drugs on Spring Gardens, literally 1 minute walk from the main entrance of the Frenchgate Centre (at the back of Boyes)
244. Would not know
245. Don't really see this.
246. Alcohol should only be allowed to be consumed in designated and controlled areas for general public safety
247. Keep it as it is
248. Certain people drink alcohol (e.g from a bottle or can) in public and then drop it instead of putting in the bin. They sometimes often leave where they felt sick in the place where they had been drinking.
249. seems to work
- [REDACTED]
251. Most of them appear to be riding bicycles
252. More severe punishment needed.
253. As above
254. I believe that there is generally too much alcohol consumption even in the licensed premises. Extended opening hours was never going to be a good idea.
255. It's OK.
256. enforcement needed
257. Walking round off there heads
258. Once again policing is essential for the safety of the public.
259. "Total ban
260. CCTV should 'pick them up', show them on the big screens and police should be more visible
261. Offenders should be licked up for 48 hours - full stop !."
262. We are an area of loud, drinking yobs and I can't see it changing.
263. As number 6, people that are drunk can be intimidating and unpredictable
264. No drinking on the street at all
265. Drop outs you'll never get Doncaster back as it was with scroungers around
- [REDACTED]
267. More enforcement needed especially in warmer eather

268. I have seen people who walk in pubs with their own drinks, and I have also seen men trying to touch women up in bars by grabbing them etc when told bouncers they do nothing
269. It's a waste of time
270. As previously stated
271. There are too many outdoor drinking areas on the high street. It is always noisy/rowdy no matter what time of day. Feels a little threatening. Not a suitable environment for children.
272. Adequate
273. If they don't approach other people or stagger into them I don't see how this can be changed.
274. Drink fuels bad behaviour and violence - no brainer
275. police it
276. Centre is a no go at night for me
277. It's not something I've seen in the town centre.
278. The issue is supermarkets make it too easy to buy cheap alcohol. This needs addressing.
279. There are enough pubs in Doncaster to accommodate drinking, we don't need drunks on the street, we don't need people drinking on our streets. This often leads to antisocial behaviour and irrational behaviour.
280. Enforce it
281. Does not matter to me because I do not drink alcohol
282. The prohibition order needs to be enforced to make any difference
283. It's too late the Council have allowed the centre of Doncaster to become a drinkers paradise
284. I have seen drinkers walking around with cans/bottles of alcohol and standing outside of pubs.
285. Nothing worse than loud, drunken yobs!
286. Again, ask an old lady, unless you don't think she's worth bothering about.
287. see answers to previous questions
288. Drinking intoxicating liquids should not be allowed
289. Same answer.
290. It seems rather unkind to people who aren't drunk and causing a nuisance. The drink on its own is not really a problem - it's the bad behaviour that is the difficulty. I guess that from an enforcement point of view the two have to go together
291. non at this time
292. They shouldn't be allowed as I don't want to see this and if you got children or grandchildren you don't want them to see people drinking or getting drunk as they then start causing problems
293. People will tend to stand outside pubs when it is hot in the summer, particularly if it gets up to 40 degrees again like July last year.
294. I would feel more comfortable with the order kept in place.
295. Not seen a problem when I have been in the City centre
296. pubs should be shut till 6pm
297. Sick of seeing drinkers around and the mess they leave such as empty cans and bottles
298. This should be extended throughout the borough of Doncaster
299. Consuming of alcohol to be kept to the premises where it's bought
300. Nobody should be allowed to walk around with alcohol.
301. This should also apply to restaurants and licensed cafes that have tables and chairs in the street
302. Again you need to enforce this, it happens all the time in the market place when drinkers go outside to smoke
303. Should be stopped altogether, it's a disgrace to the Town!.
304. No alcohol drinking in the streets please
305. street drinking is antisocial
306. I haven't actually seen any drinking in the street
- ████████████████████
308. Don't think people should be allowed to walk around the City with drinks, have you seen the state of the footpath & walking areas, they are a disgusting mess. The owners of the pubs should be made to clean up the paths around their pubs.

309. Useless unless enforced
310. I am really fed up with the pavements being used for drinking purposes. It does add to wider anti-social behaviour
311. Why is this not enforced? A man sits begging every day in front of The Works and openly drinks alcohol all day.
312. Keep
313. As long as people are being responsible with alcohol and are encouraged to act responsibly, they should be allowed to carry a drink in the street.
314. As number 10.
315. There are more than enough places to drink in the city centre we do not need people doing so on the streets very often littering those same streets with bottles that get broken and then create hazard risks
316. It shouldn't be allowed because sadly the people who do it abuse alcohol often creating unsociable behaviour including litter. Every Saturday/Sunday mornings see an increased amount of discarded take away rubbish and alcohol cans thrown about in town and on streets when walking home from town after a night in the pubs and night clubs.
317. That's not a problem if they are in a beer garden if they are walking the streets with their drinks that is a different matter.
318. Doesn't seem to be bad
319. Many street drinkers intimidate people and end up displaying anti social behaviour. One of the reasons I don't visit the city centre unless I need to.
320. Shocking
321. This leads to bad behaviour people drinking in the street.
322. I cannot access the prohibitions
323. There is no need to consume alcohol in a public place and it can be an opportunity for antisocial behaviour; for that reason prevention is better than cure
324. Keep drinking to licensed premises
325. Smoking is rife in the town centre, why is it allowed? It's impossible to walk through some areas without passively inhaling cigarette/vape smoke. Why not ban smoking in the street, except in clearly marked 'addicts corners'. What example does it give youngsters when they see so many adults freely puffing away on cigarettes as they stroll down the street?
326. People are drinking in the street, pubs are spilling out into the streets they don't have beer gardens, they put chairs and tables on the footpaths in front of the pubs on the street.
327. I agree with it.
328. Again off putting to a visitor
329. It still happens
330. It is antisocial and a cause of litter. I am fed up of going out on the streets near me and finding bottles or cans left on walls, windowsills or on pavements and some smashed glass. Street cleaning no longer seems to happen or if it does it is poorly executed. Only this week I saw two people litter picking but they only did one side of the street and did a poor job of that. The bin men also often leave a terrible mess behind, particularly on black bin week.
331. More CCTV should be installed to capture any patterns of activity
332. It's ok if they are not being a nuisance, but can feel uncomfortable at times
333. Seems the best answer
334. Needs to be further controlled not less.
335. Last Saturday morning, about 9am, some men were drinking vodka near the market. I do not bring visitors from Canada for the anti social behaviour such as this. They were very noisy!
336. Doncaster City has improved a lot to what it was in the past, it could do with attracting more smaller interesting shops or 1 or 2 more department stores, even the Market now it more food sales does not interest me.
337. See my comments on loitering. I often see people congregating around monuments drinking alcohol.
338. This was very annoying when allowed, they were rude and abusive to anyone passing.

339. Anyone drinking alcohol in the city centre other than in authorised areas are not good for business or new visitors, not an image Doncaster wants to promote.
340. There's enough drug activity without drink as well
341. Who ensures the prohibition is enforced
342. Not policed properly, you constantly see them walking round the street or hanging about
343. Years ago you couldn't drink alcohol whilst walking around mang if us done understand why this changed. People who have alcohol in their system often act recklessly or become offensive
344. Again see people drinking in town centre and surrounding streets.
345. As above - should be banned from city centre
346. Any social ... not acceptable
347. No issues
348. I have witnessed this regularly and still see it as a problem
349. I have not seen this being enforced nor have I noticed any of the other prohibitions being enforced.
350. I would not visit centre at night because of drunks.
351. It works as it is.
352. This desire to ape the USA will not get us anywhere.
353. need for enforcement
354. Prevent sale of alcohol, shop keepers fined
355. Enforce it.
356. Don't want to see
357. About right
358. No comment
359. Same as 10
360. I have observed people drinking alcohol first thing in a morning and asking for money for food - usually in Baxtergate.
361. Take it off them and move them on (if they don't like it, lock them up)
362. It portrays a bad image
363. Zero tolerance again, however don't fine them, make them do community type hours
364. No need to carry drink away from where it was bought
365. Cannot comment as do not go into town to drink or socialise
366. They will drink anywhere
367. Still see people drinking in the city centre and as I walk into the city centre.
368. I can't understand why anyone would want to walk around drinking or eating for that matter. Not good for digestion.
369. I am a strong supporter of this measure.
370. They just hid it in bags
371. Haven't really seen anyone drinking
372. if the person is really drunk they should be escorted to a taxi and taken home.
373. No alcohol on the streets.
374. As before - I agree with this prohibition but i would like to know how these individuals are being engaged with and what services they are offered and what the success of this is. It is very easy to just push people out to a different area, which only moves the problem along.
375. There are groups drinking in the city Center every morning. When I have to go to the city Center I don't take my children with me anymore as I don't feel safe.
376. Keep as is, no need to consume alcohol in the town centre outside licensed areas.
377. Especially when they are drunk and causing trouble or being overly loud and aggressive.
378. I think it's the prohibition is effective
379. I am not normally in the city when drinking may be more prevalent
380. Will never get rid of this no matter what is in place
381. Should not drink in the streets
382. Town is horrific for homeless drinking and doing drugs
383. No need to be wandering around drunk alcohol

384. Ban drinking in public apart from the designated areas.
385. Alcohol should not be consumed on the street
386. Who wants drunks & druggies begging for money.
387. go to a pub
388. Alcohol Culture is a big problem Councils should play a part in control. Manufacturers should pay for the control of alcoholism
389. Love the idea of coffee bars & outdoor eating & socialising areas
390. Not enough police around to uphold it
391. It is still apparent individuals are walking around in the day with cans of alcohol. More community policing needed in the centre.
392. I agree
393. not a problem during daytime visits
394. Make it harder increase fines .
395. It's fine as it is
396. More enforcement
397. The drinking of alcohol should be contained to those premises.
398. There is a gang I've seen hanging early eve with drinks but I'm not sure a rule change will help - wider help to get the people off the streets is needed
399. Those drinking and acting in antisocial behavior frighten people away from town
400. It's bad enough in the evening but daytime drinking in the streets should be banned altogether
401. Keep as is
402. Not a good look for the city centre, discourages visitors to return.
403. There should be no drinking of alcohol in the street. There is broken glass from beer bottles on the pavement and it just encourages bad behaviour
404. "It needs enforcement
- 405.
406. "
407. As above.
408. You only have to spend a day at the racecourse and a night in the city to get the real reflection of what happens, and the next days clear up.
409. People don't need to drink on the streets
410. They should be given details about Alcoholics Anonymous, Aspire and New Beginnings services for support.
411. As before
412. Ban it
413. Stronger enforcement of this rule is needed.
414. For their own safety and other this needs to be in place
415. Drinking within a pub or an area where this is allowed seems ok to me as long as it doesn't spill out onto the pavements, making it difficult to get past them.
416. Lowers the tone. Enables drunks and drug takers into city centre.
417. "There is no reason to openly wander the city centre with bottles, glasses cans etc. Many pubs and restaurants have a allocated outside area.
418. Strict regulations should still remain as there is no benefit to anyone, and many major issues can result create serious consequences. "
419. Drinks in drinking establishments
420. To many venues for drinking
421. Enforcement needed
422. Defiantly, seeing it often outside the French-gate, myself and my kids see this regularly
423. It gives the City a bad image.
424. I'm afraid of violence.
425. Beer gardens are for the purpose of drinking outside. Streets are for the purpose of getting from A to B and not having to endure drunken threatening behaviour en route.

470. Stop them, take the drink off them and issue a prevention order
471. As per 6
472. Make it stricter
473. Be much more strict with these people remove them from the streets.
474. This should not be allowed
475. Things in place are not working
476. As above
477. People do not want to see this it is very uncomfortable when you are in the city I have witnessed this in the morning at the station and outside the frenchgate centre. It should not be acceptable.
478. Make this a no go area with people in authority to ensure it happens.
479. I hate all the takeaway coffees and fast food outlets that just add to litter. As for alcohol yes the prohibition should be kept but so much alcohol is available from anywhere it should be banned throughout the city not just the centre. Supermarkets should be encouraging to take home. I would stop more licenses being granted but it's money talking.
480. needs stopping full stop but needs monitoring because they will carry on
481. This is tricky it needs to be monitored as some are not drunk and disorderly, but others go over the limit and are making a nuisance of themselves in the daytime. But at night it's more of a problem and obviously can get out of hand. So more safeguarding at night time.
482. Ban drinking outside unless attached to a pub or restaurant
483. As previously mentioned in other section this can be intimidating and if everyone did this how would our City look? At least pubs have a responsibility towards people and certain powers for drunk or antisocial behavior.
484. Ban street drinking totally and police this by having street wardens
485. Stop them drinking on the street people don't want this behaviour when they are shopping
486. Make it tougher, this week I saw a drunk carrying a drink from an outside drinking area wander down the street as the the whole area was a pub bar room. He was also obviously drunk.
487. Make it stricter more policing
488. Remove areas where tables and chairs are on public pathments
489. The same response as previous comments - more of the same, with an unchanged process appears to be a waste of resources.
490. See previous
491. extend the geographical area
492. the placing of the tables of some of the shops make going pass them make it unsafe from the road traffic
493. Seems a shame places like the Market Square are included in this blanket street prohibition. i've been to events where you can't stand and watch things on the stage with a drink, you have to stand in the outside seating areas of the bars, which aren't really suitable when you want to stand nearer to the stage and enjoy the event. Why can't event days this be relaxed? I understand and have seen the nuisance drinking, particularly on the market stalls and agree this should be banned, but for events its a shame
494. Alcohol can cause many problems
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
496. Stop this altogether
497. Ensure this is stopped, it is intimidating when you are in the centre.
498. People has the freedom to drink anywhere. However, if they create any antisocial behaviours that affect other's right of peacefulness at the same place, then they will be escorted to police station or community centre to allow sobering
499. Take the drink off them and fine but enforce it
500. Expand it to all of doncaster
501. Confiscated and dispose of alcohol
502. Tougher punishment

503. More patrols needed. Maybe some volunteering roles put out by dmbc to help keep safe. But with support and power from police.
504. Make it stronger
505. Stop them doing this
506. There should be no drinking in the streets at all as it can lead to very poor personal and social behaviour and is quite intimidating to others
507. Anti social drinking no, walking with a beer ok
508. "Drunks swearing, shouting and acting in an aggressive manner is highly off-
509. putting"
510. More has to be done
511. Stop it
512. Same as previous answer
513. These individuals are a nuisance, some people go into the City deliberately to cause problems for others
514. Are small hip flasks covered here? What about medicinal products in alcohol solution? This prohibition appears too wide on the face of it.
515. See reason as my previous comments
516. Enforce it
517. Empty shops and doorways not attractive for passersby
518. Make it more severe
519. not working
520. Ban it completely.
521. I think that the problem is it could be effective if they are seen and action taken.
522. Should be banned from centre for a year
523. Change the prohibition to a stronger one.
524. People should not be allowed to drink alcohol walking through the streets of any town
525. Nothing has changed about drink and drugs. Police even work past turning a blind eye. It stinks to high heaven.
526. To increase the fees' penalties
527. This needs enforcing.
528. "Make the punishment stronger. Other countries never allow this it is law not to drink on the street
529. Full stop."
530. seen this happen a lot and no one seems to prevent it- doorways are full of empty cans and bottles - people walk around the streets drinking out of cans and bottles which gives a very poor impression of our town particularly in warmer weather.
531. You would not like my answer
532. As previous answer.
533. Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!
534. Safe areas should be provided for this
535. Just crack down hard on antisocial drinkers.
536. As above
537. wider area
538. The current pspo order is not being implemented so therefore it's not about changing it is about enforcing it
539. On the spot fines. But hard to enforce.
540. To cut out street drinkers. Warn members of the public who accidentally stray, but prohibit troublesome persistent groups of street drinkers.
541. Ban them
542. Ban
543. Make it stricter
544. Should be criminalised

545. Stop people drinking in the street it's awful for adults to view but worse for children to witness this behaviour
546. This seriously needs to change it's disgusting seeing people in the town centre it's worrying for our young children to see
547. Strictly no drinking or drugs, the smell of drugs in the area is disgusting
548. Absolutely ban it and impose tough penalties. Fines are not the answer. Denial of liberties is.
549. It should be tougher ban them from city centre for a month
550. I don't like to see this, bad example to younger people
551. Laws are laws, keep it in the pub or beer garden
552. Not working, still drinking and shouting in the streets
553. Prohibition needs to be strengthened
554. Banned altogether
555. Enforcement. Drinking on the street seems common place
556. Needs to be changed and shouldn't be allowed
557. Have more PCSOs to help people move on quickly and safely.
558. If they are in a pub garden, or drinking in an area it's allowed it should be managed by the people who own the area and support provided if required
559. Help and support alcohol and drug abuse
560. Again see other comments
561. Drinking on the street should not be allowed.
562. They should not be able to drink in street but they often are, so this needs to change somehow.
563. Not drinking in the street away from a licensed property. If outside area were to be fenced off to enable tables and chairs to be placed outside to give a friendlier vib
564. Some people may like to sit in the sun and have a beer. As long as they're being responsible and not causing distress or harassment then it shouldn't be a problem. Perhaps if the police showed more of a presence instead of hiding away in the station it might have an impact
565. Needs tougher enforcement by police and licencing
566. Enforce it.
567. Doncaster smells of cabise
568. It should be illegal to consume alcohol in the streets. There is absolutely no need for it. Again another cause of concern.
569. Don't want people drinking in the streets change the rules
570. Stop letting so many pubs appear in Doncaster. Reduce building rates for other businesses.
571. Strengthen the PSPO
572. Needs to be much stricter - it is a poor reflection on Doncaster and does not help to develop the center - it leads to anti social behaviour and creates a very hostile environment .
573. Make the rules more strict and ensure the rules are followed / enforced.
574. Saturday and Sunday are the worst especially opposite the Frenchgate Centre near Halifax bank
575. All of these need more scrutiny.
576. these issues have been in Doncaster for along time and nothing has been put in place they turn a blind eye
577. As before
578. Again this need to be stricter
579. People are blatantly drinking and as a result engaging in anti social behaviour outside the Frenchgate centre.
580. Shouldn't be allowed
581. "Alcohol is probably a more devastating drug than many and it is legal
582. Ridiculous
583. So of course it should be restricted to pubs etc"
584. Needs strengthening.
585. On the spot fines
586. make it stricter

587. Ban all together
588. Stop open alcohol containers in public spaces
589. Enforce it
590. Excluded for 48 hours from the city centre
591. Make it stricter
592. I think drinking is a part of our culture. As long as people aren't a nuisance I think it's fine
593. People come out on the pub to smoke & bring their drinks out on the street
594. This needs to be tightened up as there are many places in the city centre where groups of drinkers congregate
595. Soft drinks only
596. see previous answer . Honest law-abiding citizens with not come into the town as it is.
597. Inforce more on restriction of alcohol in public places other then the pubs.
598. Tighten up the restrictions to minimise the problems.
599. 1 warning then 3 month ban from city centre.
600. See answer in 8 above.
601. This is not working sort it make it more safe please
602. Drink only in pubs & pub gardens why inflict their drunken behaviour o others.
603. Make bans for a minimum one month and up to six months
605. Eject the offender's strate away and give them an order not to return to the city centre for a minimum of two weeks maybe longer.
606. Totally ban this activity.
607. enforce it
608. Increase the measures
609. Ban it all together. It is the root of a lot of the anti social behaviour, violence and crime. Can't walk through the city centre and surrounding nearby areas without being or feeling threatened and intimidated.
610. Stricter enforcement.
611. They should be removed from the centre and prosecuted/fined for being a nuisance. We need more police presence and not just on horseracing days or football days!
612. There are a high proportion of on street drinking areas outside pubs. Pub gardens are fine.
613. Make it stronger or enforce it more
614. The prohibition should also include rowdiness and anti social behaviour on outside drinking area of pubs and bars
615. More people on the ground to monitor street drinking
616. They need to be prohibited in the town centre
617. Remove from centre, they are a blight on society
618. Should only be allowed on licensed premises
619. In evenings some parts of the centre are becoming no go areas
620. Prevent drinking in open spaces, this leafs to anti social behaviour
621. More security personnel required.
622. They need to be arrested for anti-social behaviour
623. "I was not aware there was any prohibition as these activities take place all the time
624. This is getting worse and worse and noon seems to stop it. It is very intimidating when people are rolling around drunk (or drugged) when people are going about their daily business."
625. they need to make it harder
626. Again I would support a ban
627. Again the powers are not strong enough.
628. I think we need to be more strict on drinking in public places - it is intimidating and leads to antisocial behaviour
629. This is your problem from making so many ways too many ways to obtain it
630. No drinking in public areas

668. Ban them for a year.

669. Same as previous comments

671. Self evident

672. Unacceptable and anti social, culprits should be permanently banned from the area concerned.

673. Put signs up telling people no drinking on streets if court fine them

674. Tougher enforcement

675. See 5

676. Again change as 6

677. Stop drinking in the street altogether

678. Public space drinking should be enforced to stay behind barriers so that it doesn't spill out onto the highway or paths

680. "It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.

681. The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "

682. "pubs, beer gardens business's that pay to tax to Doncaster Council to run their business

683.

684. anyone drinking alcohol in Doncaster centre should have their alcohol taken and destroyed"

685. people should not be allowed to drink alcohol on the street, other than in a designated area.

686.

687. Don't allow drinking in public

688. no need to do it. total banning orders as there are many places to drink without it affecting shoppers.

689. TIGHTER ENFORCEMENT

690. Street drinking should not be tolerated. Again more enforcement of this is required.

691. Not allowed to drink alcohol in the street

692. Drastic action needs taking in Doncaster and surrounding areas

693. Should be barred from town for a week to begin with

694. Again more police presence moving or removing the trouble makers

695. This habit is of low moral behaviour and should be totally banned.

696. ban drinking in town only allow drinking outside pubs

697. Attract locals into town with great options for socialising at bars and restaurant

698. A greater police presence is needed, particularly at night

699. No one monitors them they still do it

700. Include Lazarus court etc at night. Night time economy needs addressing

701. Have not seen 4 .

702. This should be stopped especially in front of children

703. Arrest.

704. THIS ABOUT BEHAVIOUR WHICH NEEDS DEALING WITH, DEAD EASY

705. Ban it

706. harsher punishments make it an actual punishment that makes people think its not worth it

707. 3 words: lack, of, enforcement

708. This should be included.

709. fines need to be issued straight away

710. There is still countless people high on drugs and alcohol roaming the streets causing trouble.

711. Increase the time of ban

712. Ban drinking in the street

713. Ban them for weeks

714. Complete ban

715. Ban it and prosecution enforcement
716. Ban alcohol drinking in the street totally, without exception.
717. Move them out of the centre
718. Needs to be more severe
719. Less people like this would be better
720. There has been an increase in beggars and homeless and druggies shouting and swearing drinking alcohol and littering over the past 2yrs. There hasn't been an improvement at all. It's worse.
721. Needs making stricter I see a lot of this around the miner memorial sculpture
722. "Make the prohibition more stricter. Very upsetting to see people passed out/extremely drunk on the street and no-one cared/ignore them. The street is also extremely dirty after Doncaster city spent millions pounds to improve....."
- 723.
724. Money could be well better spent in rural village rather than city centre! "
725. Again this I see every day on the centre so the people who are policing this are not doing a very good job. If they are policing the centre three people just move to other areas of the town
726. No problem with encouraging a recreational drinking culture i.e. outside pubs etc
727. Ensure that street seating and tables outside bars and cafes are not impacted by this, and more importantly are actively encouraged to enrich the evening atmosphere, and perception of safety by numbers of eyes watching, and discourage (by shaming) unruly individuals as they walk by, (and also ensuring particular problem individuals are more readily noticed and reported)
728. Needs addressing
729. Total ban on drinking in street
730. Enforce the order as you do not at present why have it if you don't do something with it
731. You don't act on it
732. Enforcement needs to be strengthened
733. Once again make stricter and enforcement - happens all the time
734. ENFORCE STRICTER RULES IN THIS RESPECT AND ENSURE THAT IT IS ENFORCED
735. As above
736. Drinking should be only permitted on licensed premises
737. Stronger
738. Ban them from town centre.
739. Stop alcohol on the streets completely
740. Strictly rules needed
741. Stricter enforcement
742. Rejected from city centre
743. As 11 above. Visitors to Doncaster, first thing they see leaving Frenchgate is the druggies.
744. Again this is not stopping
745. Widen the area and include drugs
746. Should be no drinking in the street except in pub beer Gardens.
747. There are plenty of pubs/Cafes in the centre for people to drink alcohol responsibly so there should be no drinking on the streets.
748. As above
749. Items confiscated and instant fine.
750. More policing and security
751. Drinking on the public area is okay..
752. Stronger consequences of bad behaviour- education by work for society and funding society penalties if antisocial behaviour, police into action not pour admin work.
753. Extend to a one mile radius from the Mansion House (as a central point)
754. Increase the time limit
755. Need to be tougher
756. Ban them all
757. Again, whatever is in place is not effective

758. Change it to longer and more stricter and more punishment
759. There needs to be stricter rules to deal with this behaviour as it's getting worse
760. Extend it to more areas, alcohol abuse is rife in nearly all areas
761. Whatever you are doing isn't working! This continues.
762. Too many drunks openly drinking anywhere in the centre causing distress to many people
763. Increase time of ban
764. The law enforcement should patrol at morning, afternoon and evening. Not only in the centre, but on the streets, parks, neighbourhoods. People should feel safe.
765. Again still happens so change to something fit for purpose
766. Tougher legislation. too many loud drinking groups.
767. BAN LONGER GIVE THE CITY A BAD NAME
768. "Nobody should be walking around streets drinking alcohol. There are enough pubs in town to drink in them
769. "
770. Zero tolerance
771. Strengthen it
772. Enforce it more.
773. Stop all drinking alcohol in the street
774. Ban drinking in the street nationwide there's no need for it and doesn't look good for the city.
775. No drinking alcohol in town at all except in pubs or pub gardens
776. It's the actions resulting from public intoxication, not the act of enjoying alcohol outside of a pub/pub garden that is the problem. Responsible, quiet drinking shouldn't be prohibited for everybody if they're not causing harm or offense.
777. Please make sure all people drinking in the city centre are in there establishment or there in there outdoor facilities
778. certain sections of the public do as they like there is no police presence so they can
779. Anti social behaviour and damage to property when drunks are in the street openly drinking more.
780. Make the centre alcohol free
781. No drinking on street other than seating areas outside licences premises
782. Not very nice for children to see people drinking or drunk on the street
783. No alcohol in the street don't allow any more licences for pubs, make those selling the alcohol responsible for how it's consumed
784. The night shift workers many of them of European origin like to have a drink after work. I do not have a problem with that as such, many Brits do the same, it's just that it is seen out of context at 9-10 am. It must be hell living in a one bed room with nowhere to go and let off steam.
785. Can become aggressive and intimidating
786. See previous
787. As stated 11 above.
788. Needs to be extended to be removed from city Centre
789. Alcohol should only be drunk in the public house premises inside or in the gardens of the premises. Too much alcohol can cause serious consequences etc fights and aggression should not be allowed in the city centre of Doncaster.
790. There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.
791. [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
793. Again, doesn't work unless policing is improved.
794. From a logical point of view, it doesn't matter whether you drink in a pub or on the street, because the problem is not the location of drinking, but rather people's behavior after consuming excessive

amounts of alcohol. Only social campaigns and widely understood education about the consequences of alcoholism can have any effect. Don't believe it? Just remember the Prohibition era in the United States from history.

795.This shouldn't be prohibited in itself

796.Not an issue

797.The level of ASB in Doncaster Town Centre is strongly linked to the alcohol culture in the town and seeking to target vulnerable people as a problem seems a bit rich given the drive of the night time economy through drink

798.Not really an issue

799.There are laws in place and police have powers to deal with such behaviours with out the prohibition.

800."Pointless, you don't enforce it long term.

801.Move them on, let them straight back.

802.You're being played for fools."

803.Makes no difference

804.Same again. If you can't enforce it, it's a waste of time.

805.Stop policing people altogether.

806.This has not been an issue that I have encountered during my time in Doncaster.

807.Its a free country. Can drink where you want so long as youre not the cause of anti social behaviour

808.People will drink whatever you do and unpleasant drunks are just as likely to have been in the pub

809."They will drink no mater what.

810.There is not enough police "

811.Forth answer as above

812.Lets bring in the gastspo show me your papers sounds where this is heading

813.It's not the drinking but the behaviour it can lead to. I dont want quiet sober people being stopped from having a drink.

814.you may aswell. The cousin are already making waterfall in to A Bar Zone . this has been planned since before cofib.

815.They shouldn't drinking in the city centre.

816.let them have fun you you only live once mushhh

817."This is an unnecessary prohibition and prevents people from being able to travel between venues and other locations with opened alcohol containers, which causes people to either produce more waste (from pouring away alcohol and throwing away more containers), or to consume alcohol at faster rates so as not to be wasting purchased beverages, resulting in higher levels of intoxication of those individuals walking from venue to venue.

818.

819.The overall aim of this prohibition is to prevent antisocial behaviour, but simply drinking whilst walking is not antisocial behaviour, and, in fact, is actually more of a social behaviour due to promoting a friendlier and more accommodating environment for people to go out together.

820.

821.The antisocial behaviour prevention objective of this order is already covered under loitering and/or other generally aggressive antisocial behaviour legislation under national law, with PSPO Number 3 in place to police said behaviour.

822.

823.This prohibition is counterintuitive and would be better removed, even if only on weekends and at festivals or holiday events."

824.this still exists everywhere and is not enforced to my knowledge

825.if people want to drink they should be allowed freedom of choice, unless they are causing disruption

826.to be honest doesnt bother me and seems like nothing happens anyway, drigs are the bigger issue

827.Never been a concern

828.Lock them up

Intoxicating substances – Responses from Organisations:


1. "LACK OF ENFORCEMENT IN AREA
2. EVIDENCE OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA DAILY AROUND PREMISES"
3. Not enough is being done on Thorne Road for this, this is something that is really unsettling for my customers and staff. Every day we have people clearly on drugs and being abusive and aggressive and begging for money.
4. As indicated above I have personally witnessed the passing of small bags between groups on city centre streets.
5. Intimidating
6. Again see above answer, there's more and more drunks/drugs around the centre and the street than before. Large groups just walking around with alcohol or drugged up is causing a massive detrimental issue for businesses as customers just don't want to come into Doncaster.
7. this needs to be enforced more strictly
8. This is still very active within the town centre and it does prevent people coming in to Doncaster.
9. Anything to reduce behaviour whilst under the influence
10. We recently had an issue with this which the Town Centre Wardens addressed via patrols
11. It is down to resources and policing the town centre. I see and smell cannabis on most occasions I attend the town centre. Especially in the Silver Street area in the day. It can only deter people from using the city centre.
12. Although every single time I attend the 'city' centre, there are always people doing drugs.
13. Issues around Sir Nigel Gresley square, and the back of Cast/Savoy
14. People outside Manana Manana sat taking drugs in business hours
15. They are taking hard drugs on the streets run by the people who actually are in charge, again it's not you or the police
16. 100% ban on all places
17. 7 day banning order
18. I don't think they should be doing in view of people .
19. syringes on bins outside shop and near charity shop, people still doing drugs on street
20. See above
21. Don't just prohibit, punish.
22. offence in itself


Intoxicating substances – Responses from Individuals


1. This spoils the whole atmosphere around the city centre and deters lots of people from visiting
2. People can do as they wish , it's the resulting behaviour that is a problem
3. Enforce further
4. Not improved
5. Not enough being done at the moment .. quite scary at times and deters people from going into town
6. More needs to be done to remove drugs from the city
7. Keeps people safe
8. I've never had a problem with it. I prefer not to see it, but they generally keep to themselves.
9. Drug paraphernalia around the city disgusting
10. Need policing more
11. Yes - it is not acceptable to be intoxicated by drugs in a public place - it causes alarm and distress to members of the public who may feel these people are needing medical assistance as well as taking up the time of much needed NHS and ambulance staff.
12. I see this less in the centre compared with a couple of years ago



13. Yet again where is the change here? Printing Office Street, Cleveland Street, Wood Street are definitely no go areas
14. You will always get the idiots
15. More needs to be done to stop this
16. Totally stop
17. As I have previously mentioned
18. i have no issue with individuals smoking cannabis, however rules should apply as general tobacco smoking laws. any other drugs should be banned completely,
19. This should be stopped and policed better
20. Lock them up and throw the keys away
21. I avoid bringing my kids into town to see this. It's appalling. It frightens them and they feel unsafe. This is one big reason I've stopped coming into town.
22. Don't like seeing people taking drugs makes people nervous
23. I hope that is illegal
24. Really? KEEP THE ORDER IN PLACE
25. Where I have stated in my answers. Keep the prohibition as is -I really think in each case they should be extended
26. Keep prohibition and enforce ban more.
27. The City centre is far better now than it was in the past.
[REDACTED]
29. Completely blighting the city centre almost feels like there is no prohibition/policing.
30. Sadly it is a sign of the times. Addicts need more help. Not enough centres or support for substance abusers
31. There is nothing worse than finding people incapacitated and threatening
32. As 12 above (but can't always tell the difference between boozers and drugies)
33. Send for treatment or prison
34. Isn't drug taking illegal?
35. None.
36. Encourages bad behaviour isn't something children should see esp drugs
37. As above it still happens
38. Frightening for many, not what people want to see especially those with children
39. Actually enforce the prohibition
40. The smell of cannabis in the space outside Santander/ HSBC cannot be missed.
41. Again, it is for people's safety and removal of fear
42. Make it tougher
43. A prohibition that should be kept.
44. Again, there may be a prohibition but you still see people using drugs on the streets. There also seems to be a problem with 'farms'. Somewhere near the pedestrian crossing to college on Dockin Hill Road, near town, you could get high from the 'vile herbal aroma' while waiting to cross, and it has been the same for several days!
45. As above
46. As above
47. "People should not be witnessing this behaviour it is normalising it making it appear okay to everyone including young people
48. "
49. Again intimidating to see and not something children should be witness to or anyone. Maybe create a safe space drugusers can go to away from centre with help should things go wrong
50. Better measures are needed to stop this and make Doncaster a safe place
51. As per previous comments.
52. Absolute zero tolerance of junkies
53. as above
54. Definitely needs more enforcement.

55. ban it
56. This is still an issue in the town centre.
57. As answer in 13

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59. Again people do feel threatened by the use of drugs
 60. As the other answer
 61. As above, only effective if actively policed.
 62. This is a major concern
 63. Happening all the time has not stopped
 64. WE DONT WANT THIS TYPE OF BEHAVIOR IN OUR CITY
 65. As above answer
 66. More police presence
 67. This seems to be increasingly visible, definitely needs tackling.
 68. Same as above
 69. as my answers are all day hours , my answer is not complete
 70. These should be arrested on sight and banned from the town centre for at least a month
 71. Need to be much more enforcement of this element
 72. Seems "lawless".

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74. You don't stop this activity adequately now.
 75. See previous
 76. Definitely young children and older people shouldn't witness this
 77. What a question. Who wants to see people taking drugs in the city centre ????

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79. Drugs are illegal
 80. "They already do this
 81. I can't say I have seen stop and search etc
 82. DMBC officers and Security but not much Police presence in the day time "
 83. Needs enforcement
 84. This is a constant problem outside our property, drug paraphernalia often thrown into our garden
 85. Lock them up
 86. Again we often find drug paraphernalia thrown into our garden
 87. "It would really help to extend the area to cover Broxholme Lane and St Vincent Avenue.
 88. Whilst our area has been included in the PSPO we are not aware of any enforcement. "
 89. We also have to remove drug paraphernalia from our front garden including needles.
 90. They know nothing much will be done so carry on.

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92. Put more police patrols
 93. As above.
 94. Not enough policing to cope with this.
 95. Please enforce nest children's play areas in our parks too
 96. An on-going problem
 97. Drugs and those using them should be suitably dealt with and given the assistance they need. This should not be allowed to happen in the city centre or anywhere in Doncaster.
 98. Ban them for ever
 99. Need to stamp out using drugs in a public place
 100. Same as above
 101. "again I think a tougher approach might be better
 102. "
 103. As with alcohol the taking of drugs can and does lead to ASB.
 104. To many people smoking cannabis etc, not just the homeless but normal visitors to the City centre.

105. That's a joke see all the dossers off their heads
106. This should be an offence and shouldn't be allowed to happen.
107. Lock them up
108. This need to be applied in tandem with outreach and substance misuse support services
109. Drugs are illegal. Should be seen, many occasions I walk through the centre and I can smell cannabis.
110. Still far to prevalent i city centre and should be considered for prosecution
111. Recreational drugs have no place on our streets, too many people think it's ok to walk down the street with a joint ? It stinks
112. Prohibiting it doesn't seem to prevent it.
113. Ban them from the city centre for a month.
114. I've seen people out of their heads the few times I go in to town.
115. Definitely should be banned
116. Lack of visible support or policing
117. Paired with good measures to help people with drug addiction
118. That's why Doncaster is an unsafe place to visit. It's gone down the pan in the last 20 years because of the druggies

120. Not acceptable behaviour
121. See above.
122. Ditto
123. Much much more should be done to be rid of this menace.
124. It seems there a lot of people who use
125. More help us needed for these people and more places to get the help
126. Area around the minster particularly
127. makes me feel unsafe
128. The smell of some substances linger in the air so it's obvious people in the Town centre are using, and I call it a Town because I don't feel Doncaster has the substance to be a city
129. This is part of why people don't come into the city center
130. Definitely due to the discarded drugs items they leave no thought to anyone
131. It still goes off

133. This is illegal and makes the city centre somewhere no one would wish to visit for leisure.
134. Help to change lifestyles

137. it would be good strengthened
138. Don't see it as much now but they still find places such as the old collage grounds or the monster grounds to take drugs
139. Illegal
140. I am normally in town in the morning so do not come across this. I do not like them always sitting out side Lidl. They sit in the way.
141. But ensure those with prescriptions are not impeded if they have a prescribed drug on them.
142. No police, no enforcement, light sentences because the prisons are crowded, under funded rehabilitation whats the point of law and order!
143. Dealing with the presence of drugs in the city centre should be a priority. Perhaps then, people will feel inclined to visit the city centre more often
144. I do not want to see this when I am shopping
145. Needs enforcement
146. Make it even more strict
147. "Recreational? Does that mean illegal ?

148.As with all these things I don't know how you will enforce this. You don't have the neighbourhood teams any more. "

150.The toughest measures should be implemented with regards to this, not allowances or exceptions should ever be made

151.Drug taking and drug dealing makes the town centre unsafe. It has ruined the town centre.

152.As above

153.Nothing seems to work, I stopped friends coming to visit Doncaster and went to theirs instead.

154.This is not being enforced

155.Not acceptable

156.Impose a lengthy ban from city centre

157.hard for people to watch - especially as I may be taking my grandchild with me and wouldnt want the child to be watching this kind of behaviour.

158.Clear them out of the city

159.Drug taking is common by the same people in the same places. Proactive policing could reduce this. I appreciate this a Central Government responsibility, none the less it is still a problem.

160.No street drug taking to be tolerated

161.As above

162.What is the point if it is not policed?

163.Proposal supported to ensure safety and feeling of safety.

164.Just enforce it

165.No druggies

166.Even more scary for a mother with teenage daughters.

167.This needs to be enforced.

168.again makes me feel unsafe as they are unpredictable

169.What is the law.

170.I would suggest that the PO is not being policed sufficiently

171.Should not be allowed.

172.I'm sure that this happens. I have not witnessed anything, so feel unable to comment further.

173.More frequent patrols to move. Involve drug rehB services more

174.Taking drugs is illegal and those who want to do in public need to be prevented

175.Needs enforcing and people removed and prohibited from returning to the city centre.

176.We need more police presence/ walking the streets. There needs to be places for these vulnerable people to go to to be helped- given skills opportunities- given purpose through work.

177.Impossible to police , but all drugs should be banned from our streets

180.I presume it's a no, otherwise it must be

181.Stricter enforcement

182.Shouldn't be allowed

183.Don't want to see this at all not setting a good example to young children or teenagers

184.Send out of town

185.Is it enforced/working

186.I have no experience

187.Stop the drugs will reduce crime by 80%

188.Again enforce it. You can see people foing it every day

189.As previous answer

190.Should be arrested an prosecuted

192.We don't need to see this

[REDACTED]

194. Congregations of people who are high / stoned / otherwise under the influence of drugs is a real problem after 5pm, and makes getting from the workplace to car park / interchange an unpleasant, intimidating and sometimes downright frightening experience.

195. THERE SHOULD BE ZERO TOLERANCE WITH USING DRUGS IN PUBLIC SPACES AS WE NEED TO SEND THE RIGHT MESSAGE OUT THERE ABOUT THE DANGERS OF DRUGS AND SUBSTANCE MISUSE.

196. This is not enforced currently

[REDACTED]

198. There's your problem, tackle the drug dealers, curb the drug availability

199. Definitely antisocial behaviour

200. More needs doing to stop the drugs, people take them in toilets of pubs and clubs, they need more help from bouncers in these clubs, and again more police that do enforce these rules.

201. If the Prohibition is enforced as it is designed to do so then it will not need changing.

202. See above.

203. It's intimidating in an already unpleasant environment

204. Keep all druggies off the streets

205. No

206. This should have been illegal not only during the PSPO .. but on a daily basis without the protection order in place. We need to discourage the drugs use. As our society is already confused enough, the public needs support and information in order to behave reasonably.

207. It is so obvious what is going on with dealing, perhaps it is not important enough to have police on foot in town.

[REDACTED]

209. More support and more police

210. Feel unsafe around these people

211. Simply unacceptable and not good for younger people to be seeing this

212. I would prefer all such drugs to be banned or at least strongly encouraged to not be used for the sake of the user let alone any one else and pushing them would be included in the ban.

213. Hate my grandchildren seeing this

214. As the other comments

215. More active policing

216. Shouldn't be around kids

217. Not enforced enough

218. This is the scary one, when they are off their head and could be volatile, keep them out .

219. Needs stopping

220. IT IS VERY FRIGHTENING SEEING PEOPLE OFF THERE HEAD NOT GOOD FOR CHILDREN TO SEE

221. I don't understand the PSPO item

222. Yes and I have also seem dealing on the streets

223. It's intimidating at times.

224. It's sufficient

225. I feel endangered by drug addicts

226. Anything that can cause a person to become unaware of how they are acting due to taking substances which are mind altering should stay at home and on aloud to use such things outside where they can cause annoyance or concern to others .

227. As above

228. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like

229. This should be enforced more and stricter

230. People should feel safe and not afraid while walking about in Doncaster

231. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.

232. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as its these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do
233. Eep them out of the city lock them up ban them and make them have compulsory rehab
234. This needs to be prioritized particularly around the young street area which is very bad at night
235. Enforcement of prohibition
236. Haven't seen any
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
239. As above.
240. Anything to try and sort it out
241. Under age people vaping in the bus interchange
242. A common sight around the miner's memorial. I have witnessed dealing there also.
243. This is a National problem how do you change the mentality of idiots who take drugs
244. See last answer its all down to no punishment bothers them
245. It is frightening seeing people high on drugs .thats another reason I don't like going into the City centre.
246. Same as number 6
247. Enforce the laws with stronger penalties
248. Should be banned for a month and everytime after extend by a month
249. Keep prohibition
250. This prohibition is still required and makes the city centre a safer place for law abiding citizens.
251. Would be better if this prohibition was enforced.
252. Make it more severe
253. Drug use should not be allowed in any public areas
254. Keep it as it is
255. Underage people and certain numbers of people are dealing and taking substances and then dropping it onto the ground.
256. seems to work
257. Same as no 12.
258. More visible police officers required.
259. They will always be re offenders unless they receive treatment and support
260. More severe punishment needed.
261. As above
262. This is a bigger issue than locally which requires stronger law enforcement
263. enforcement not working
264. A challenge however, police are conspicuous by their absence and generally appear to be elsewhere at the time these activities take place
265. Again how can you alter this culture, no-one has the answer or inclination to find one. Too many living off drug pedaling
266. As number 6
267. Not acceptable at all
268. It would appear to be allowed, nothing is done to stop the smell of cannabis in the streets
269. Not a very pleasant sight seeing those under the influence, either swaying around, stumbling, shouting aggressively. Dealers are operating in plain daylight without being challenged.
270. Still a big problem
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
273. As previously stated but with stronger sentences
274. This is illegal and should hold more severe penalties to help the offender
275. They should be banned completely
276. Put them in jail

277. police it
278. I wouldn't go into centre in the evening
279. Another thing I've never seen, maybe I'm just naive.
280. Town centre is very intimidating as there are still people drinking and behaving badly
281. This should not be tolerated in our City, it is all linked with begging and stealing (pickpockets and shoplifting). No one needs to see drug users on our streets, anywhere.
282. Enforce it
283. It's their life not mine
284. Zero tolerance on this
285. People high on drugs can be rather intimidating when going round town.
286. Not sure how widespread this problem is but no harm in keeping a rein on this.
287. You have condoned law breaking for far too long. I appreciate that many politicians consider themselves above the law and seem to empathise with those of a like mind. Why not just repeal all the laws? Why pretend we still live in a rules based society?
288. see my answers to previous questions
289. But include a requirement to attend a help centre and a ban on visiting town centre until that takes place
290. Should be prosecuted
291. Drug taking especially in public must be eradicated.
292. How to get off a reliance on intoxicating substances should be the emphasis - again make it easier for us all to know what to say to people who are in that situation
293. non at this time
294. They cause trouble a lot of the time
295. Absolutely essential to be kept in place. We all should be able to use our City without feeling intimidated and uncomfortable.
296. Definitely not a great site seeing some staggering about high on something
297. "This is an absolute requirement! It's illegal isn't it? I would like to see more police presence on the streets to enforce our current laws.
- 298."
299. I'm totally against drugs certainly shouldn't be allowed full stop unless prescription meds weed has always been a problem but certain areas you can definitely tell groups have congregated to have a spliff together
300. If in sight of children or older people, they don't want to see it, does this include vapes because it should be blowing the vapour in people's faces as they walk by!
301. Strengthen the prohibition
302. People caught with any illegal substance should be put on to a rehabilitation programme immediately
303. Not a good thing for visiting the city
304. Again a Disgrace to the Town..... the Controls Should be enforced.
305. It is illegal- zero tolerance.
306. Simple; not acceptable behaviour
307. This seems to have become more of a problem lately
308. Not of any use unless it is enforced
309. This has improved - once again the support given to such people is key.
310. Why is this not enforced? People either laying or sat on the mining statue on Printing Office Street who have clearly taken drugs and openly smoke cannabis.
311. You can smell marijuana everywhere
312. This appears to be working as less drunken and open drug use.
313. Fines or court. Are there enough drug referral places?
314. Smoking weed is common, I think it's very anti-social and people should be cautioned or fined as it's a banned substance.
315. Wherever you go in the city centre you can smell cannabis and it is becoming more noticeable how many people blatantly walk around smoking joints it is totally unacceptable We target drivers for car

- emissions as part of a healthier living campaign we shouldn't be inflicted with obnoxious smell of cannabis as we go about our lives in the city centre
316. I'm a litter picker and have picked up bags of the tiny silver laughing gas capsules, plus several of the large heavy gas canisters, and of course lots of packaging from vapers.
317. Doncaster appears to have a dreadful drug problem. Have seen people spaced out, or laid out on the pavement. It's quite scary to witness
318. Pretty much same as Q13.
[REDACTED]
320. It's unnerving to
321. Stricter control needed
322. This is the same as people how drink too much
323. This survey is very different to follow , with bad explanation, I cannot see prohibitions
324. In my view there is no such thing as 'recreational drugs/ or intoxicating substances. The use of such substances attracts criminal activity in order to fund the activity and it encourages more criminal activity from those who supply the substances. Not only is it bad for health of users it affects the wellbeing of members of the public who are victims of crime related to the acquisition of these substances. The entire activity is criminal based.
325. More control
326. See my comment on the other widely used addictive substance: nicotine.
327. I agree with it.
328. See above
329. It still happens
330. I never see any police enforcing the law in the city centre.
331. Why would anyone want to see people under the influence of drugs, of course keep them off the streets.
332. No drug should be classified as recreational its a nuisance and make people afraid
333. More CCTV should be installed to capture any patterns of activity
334. Feel sorry for them, but will they take help, also feel uncomfortable
335. Seems the best answer
336. Must must must be further controlled.
337. I have never seen anybody actually take drugs but every time I go into the City Centre I see numerous people that clearly have taken drugs.
338. Again not a good image to have in Doncaster as a place to see drug users or intoxicated people. Very threatening.
339. As above
340. More police intervention
341. Who wants their children/ older relatives walking near people who are intoxicated in a city centre?
342. Have been down Woolmarket area when people have been shouting and staggering about.
343. Move them on
344. do not agree with use of DRUGS
345. I have personally witnessed deals taking place, the smell of weed is, particularly bad around the town centre. Still a huge problem. Needs sorting.
346. Can smell weed whilst walking around City Centre, not a pleasant experience
347. As answered at number 6.
348. Not aware of present prohibition
349. Get the dealers banned from the town.
350. Enforce it.
351. Horrible
352. About right
353. Horrid seeing people sprawling over the pathments high on drugs
354. Same as 10
[REDACTED]

- 356.If possible stronger enforcement
- 357.It portrays a bad image and can be intimidating
- 358.As above
- 359.The city should be drug free
- 360.This is a serious and widespread problem. Until it improves people will not want to spend time in the city centre.
- 361.You will never stop them
- 362.People smoke weed walking through town as if it's normal , nothing seems to get done.
- 363.Again still see people in the city centre affected by drink or drugs.
- 364.Ensure city centre is safe , and drug free and individuals who require support are identified, and drug dealing is effectively combatted.
- 365.If we are to clamp down on ASB we need this sort of ruling.
- 366.I see them dealing and using drugs in the demolished Waterdale
- 367.Ban them from the city centre
- 368.Haven't seen anything
- 369.This needs enforcing more!
- 370.No drugs in the streets.
- 371.There should be more control for this. My daughter goes to school in Hexthorpe and last year I had to call an ambulance as there was a guy unconscious on the floor next to the school. His legs were full of little holes and it seemed he had taken too much heroin. The ambulance took him away.
- 372.It should be on the PSPO but this includes illegal activity and should be dealt with by the police as well. The alcohol and drugs should include a dispersal order as well.
- 373.There is too many people walking to street drunk, drug addicts, homeless.
- 374.I think it's the prohibition is effective
- 375.Ban for life
- 376.is this a real question?
- 377.At least something is in place
- 378.Maybe if you were to enforce the law , would it be too much to ask ?
- 379.Again, it is good having a prohibition but pointless if it isn't properly enforced and I don't feel it is.
- 380.All you can smell is weed and all you can see is drug deals and homeless people drugged up and begging. Doncaster town is unsafe.
- 381.No something visitors to town need to see
- 382.Should be banned for 1 month
- 383.Seems unlikely to stop
- 384.Go Home get it off the streets
- 385.This is fuelled by Government Complicity. There is an association with development of psychotic disease in the young. A PR exercise is warranted
- 386.Definitely don,t want drugs in the City centre & should be stopped totally
- 387.More police required in the centre.
- 388.No drug area
- 389.enforce existing powers
- 390.It's fine as it is
- 391.Make it stronger to stop gangs of druggies around certain areas
- 392.More enforcement
- 393.Young children shouldn't be exposed to such activities or have to witness that if it can be avoided.
- 394.Hard to tell when it's drugs or upbringing/mental problems - very intimidating - education and help is needed for the individuals - not all drug takers are down and outs some are the suited taking recreational drugs .
- 395.These unfortunate people who have succumbed to drug use are unpredictable in their behavior and again discourage one from going into town
- 396.This seems to be getting worse
- 397.Keep as is

486. Actually stop it happening
487. Make sure this never happens.
488. Compulsory treatment should be included in order.
489. Action should always be taken
490. Definitely needs stopping don't know what they are carrying on them
[REDACTED]
492. This is a major problem and it is getting worse as young people are getting drawn into it at such tender ages and getting hooked on substances.
493. Again punishment must be harsher a minimum of 6 months ban in town centre
494. As last comment
495. I hate being behind anyone smoking any substance. I don't think drinking alcohol in the streets should be allowed.
496. Anyone intoxicated from illegal substances should be removed from the City Centre.
497. As above
498. Ban them all together
499. Make it stricter it's not nice seeing someone laying about in their own sick at 9 am
500. Not working seems to me all lip service get Doncaster back to how it used to be you let it get like this
501. Don't know what it is
502. I repeat, more policing added to the order.
503. Zero tolerance on substance abuse, get them entered into the system and treated.
504. I extend the geographical area
505. "This needs to be stricter, there's a massive drug problem in Doncaster town centre!! I myself witness this on a daily basis, I also witness drug deals taking place whilst waiting for my daughter to come out of school.
506. Beechfield house needs to be looked at and ideally could do with relocating as I feel it is unsafe across from a school. "
507. I'm not sure what the solution is but it's evident it's not catching all incidences. Every time I have been in town there has been several people clearly intoxicated through drugs, and is one of the main reasons I'm put off visiting. On the PSPO Data sheet (appendix 3) it was interesting to see that there were 6 breached in June 21. I distinctly remember being in town with my partner and we saw at least 6 people that day alone. It'd be interesting to know what constitutes as intoxicated and how this is dealt with (I'm sorry I don't have a solution).
508. Drugs like alcohol cause many anti social problems. The smell from cannabis at times is overwhelming.
509. More enforcement needed when drunk/drugged and not just left to walk around the city centre
510. Enforce this even more strictly. Ban from the centre for 30 days and issue a large fine
511. This is awful to see and have to walk past when they are off their head
512. Be stricter
513. Reinforce and partnership with rehabilitation services
514. This needs to stop, it is a real problem, the smell of cannabis in the centre is shocking. It is not pleasant to walk round.
515. Shouldn't be allowed.
516. I think this needs to be stricter.
517. Bar them altogether
518. The constant smell of cannabis needs addressing immediately. If ANYTHING is illegal it should have a zero tolerance.
519. Please enforce it or increase it.
520. Get them off the streets
521. Sort drugs in all of doncaster mbc.
522. Arrest and charge as a criminal offence

523. "This one has made a small impact, there's definitely less "smells" or evidence of drug use however this simply means it's not happening out in the open and it certainly hasn't stopped the hordes of addicts that plague the city centre.
- 524.
525. Can this process be improved via drug testing or something similar?"
526. Tougher punishment
527. Tighter rules on this
528. More presence in town flats. I worked there for 3 years. Sat doing drugs in the street. Elderly being pestered for money. Quads ripping up the grass. Machetes thrown around
529. Needs to be stopped. It's intimidating for people
530. Make it stronger
531. Seems to be on the rise.
532. Need to be removed and heavier penalties given out
533. Stop them doing this
534. As with my previous comment.
535. The penalty should be increased
536. Ban completely sorry if that sounds harsh but they don't have any control. The smell of cannabis in the city centre is dreadful and blatant.
537. Come down on this heavily
538. As previous answers.
539. They should be arrested and charged
540. Doncaster is an intimidating place full of people clearly heavily intoxicated with drugs. This is frightening for both the young old and everyone inbetween to see
541. More has to be done
542. Make it illegal and stop it
543. Get rid of them altogether but I don't think will happen because those doing the job are usually stood around talking
544. Confiscate all drugs and make these people do community service.
545. Same as previous answer
546. More cameras maybe to stop and follow up on these people
547. This needs tackling, it has been no different in the past 20x years
548. Arrest and ban/fine
549. Again can't read current prohibition, they should be banned from centre longer probably
550. I think that they should be removed immediately and banned from the centre.
551. See reason as my previous comments
552. Enforce it
553. Make it more severe
554. Not working
555. Make tougher
556. It is unlawful, let the police deal with it
557. Extend the area
558. "Not noticed any changes especially around the market and Bennethorpe where there are
559. People camping in the solicitors garden at side of Regent Park taking drugs and drinking"
560. Get rid of them completely
561. Make It A Stronger Penalty When Caught
562. As above stricter enforcement required for.
563. Never to return, should be jailed
564. Penalties should/could be stronger
565. Can't see why this order is necessary when the action is probably illegal in the first place
566. Change the prohibition to a stronger one.
567. Sentences should be high for drug dealers, their runners and anyone taking them.
568. Make it tougher, a zero tolerance policy!

569."They do it anywhere and everywhere.
570.Also the drug dealers, and they are dangerous on that electric bike that they use "
571.Increase restrictions for consumers of prohibited substance
572.Should be more police on streets to enforce this.
573.Again if caught they should be barred fined and charged with anti social behaviour made to take courses around their behaviour and how this effects others.
574.Bigger repercussions needed
575.more enforcement you can smell people smoking drugs and see dealing taking place
576.Stop the dealers
577.As previous answer.

579."
580.Again people slumped in the street isn't good or a new city's image. Many cause distress and waste police and paramedic/ambulance time
581.Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!
582.Tighten up on drugs, even the smell of cannabis is not welcoming
583.Should not be allowed. They need help. Give them a safe space.
584.Crack down harder on drug use and support individuals to get help to stop.
585.It does not appear to be being policed as it is. Extend the ban to include both cigarettes and e-cigarettes to support improving the health of the community
586.Lock them up. Kids don't need to see this
587.widen the area
588.Fine and ban from City Centre for a longer period of time
589.Enforcement is required
590.Stronger powers needed, sick of walking through town and smelling weed every 5 seconds
591.Better policing is required but we will not get it. Again ban from city indefinitely
592.It has to go altogether. They are a danger to everyone.
593.Make the penalties harsher
594.Again if its working keep it if not change it, another reason I stay away
595.Too soft on drug uses

597.Ban
598.Make it stricter
599.Need I say more!!!
600.Taking drugs in front of children in the city should not be allowed
601.It's all over the place, you could get high just walking behind some people.
602.This is another area what needs changing and fast
603.Jail time
604.I wonder if there should be something here about the intimidating, disturbing behaviour of those under the influence of substances if they've taken them somewhere else?
605.Stricter penalties
607.It should be tougher ban them from city centre for a month there should be more stop and search
608.Drugs are a scourge on society, more needs to be done to stop it
609.More tests on people and removal of such persons from town
610.Should be zero tolerance. This and people intoxicated with alcohol, are the worst aspects of ASB and are uppermost in preventing me from visiting the city centre.
611.Prohibition needs to be strengthened
612.Complete ban
613.More severe penalties required

- 614."Lock them up
- 615.More police presence "
- 616.This needs massive improvement, will not walk through the city centre due to this. People taking drugs in place me site with no consequences again it needs to be policed better will never change while no consequences
- 617.Have more PSCO's to help people move on quickly and safely.
- 618.It is illegal?
- 619.Stronger deterrents
- 620.Offer more support isn't a quick fix
- 621.Now this one needs to be a priority as families should NOT be seeing this
- 622.Ban them permanently
- 623.Definitely should not be allowed at all.
- 624.Extend it...lifetime ban
- 625.Completely ban them. I often witness individuals sticking needles into themselves on the street. It's completely unacceptable.
- 626.Every single time I visit town there is someone doing drugs so something needs to change!!!
- 627.The use of any drugs in public should be an arrestable offence.
- 628.Should be a drug free City, no excuses
- 629.Enforce it.
- 630.Additional work required here. It either needs changing or policing better as i have witnessed people taking drugs by the miners monument openly.
- 631.Get rid of people smoking dope
- 632.This is the most frightening of all worries I have about Doncaster city. I always see someone high on drugs. Last Thursday, I walked from the old bus station car park, across a few feet to the museum and someone was there, chanting, pacing, spitting, high off their face. I had literally only walked for around 20 seconds - with my 3 year old - before coming across him. It's absolutely terrifying, disgusting and offensive. It is also always the same characters too.
- [REDACTED]
- 634.As above
- 635.Needs to be much stricter - see previous answers
- 636.Ban from city center.
- [REDACTED]
- 638.Make the rules more strict and ensure the rules are followed / enforced.
- 639.Eliminate all druggies
- 640.Not only are these people drunk they seem to be on some sort of drugs
- 641.Again, more vigilance needed
- 642.increased powers needed
- 643.they all need to up there again do what they get paid for instead of stood chatting to people
- 644.I believe e-cigarettes can be used to smoke cannabis oil
- 645.As before
- 646."
- [REDACTED]
- 648.This is scary I don't like it and I'm a 57 year old women who ran a city centre pub for 11 years so how does it make children and OAP's feel?
- 649.It should probably be legalised like alcohol so it can be controlled and restricted
- 650.Needs strengthening.
- 651.Should be arrested by police drug taking is rife
- 652.more needs to be done about this
- 653.Lock them up
- 654.Ban all together
- 655.Need to get a lot strickter with this. See use of drugs and the catoring gas all too much and as its not an illegal drug the police do nothing about the antisocial behaviour.

656.Lock them up

658.Current rules are useless. Unless constantly policed, streets are full of beggars, drunks, drug addicts and vagrants

659.Again - is there any? Is there any enforcement?

660.Lock them up. There is no thing such thing as recreational drugs. That just makes it sort of ok. It's just illegal drugs.

661.Excluded from city centre for seven days

662.Make it stricter

664.Enforce a strict ban and permanent removal from the city centre

665.Tighter measures needed as this behaviour is scary

666.Stricter. Too soft

667.Ban from City Centre

668.lock them up , throw away the key

669.Inforce more restrictions on drug taking in public.

670.Tighten up even more.

671.Tighten up monitoring.

672.Endangering general public.

673.1 warning, then 3 month ban.

674.See answer to 8 above.

675.Again not working not enough support

676.Clamp down hard on drugs it's ruining our youth & society.

677.Make bans for a month or up to six months

678.Get rid

679.Arrest them,get them off the streets, do gooders will say they have a problem,well it's not of my making and why should I suffer and my town suffer

680.Every time I visit city centre I smell weed being opening smoked as people walk along. And outside B&M in particular lads in hoodies on cycles doing drug deals.

681.A year

682.Make it stronger

683.Totally ban this activity.

685.Increase the measures

686.Toughen up the prohibition and here's a novel idea - actually try to enforce the prohibition.

687.Stricter enforcement with zero tolerance.

689.These people should be arrested and imprisoned. it's disgusting and it's not what you want your children or the older population seeing. It's frightening.

690.Again Enforce Stricter Orders

691.Make it stronger or enforce it more

692.When groups of people are standing around and I particularly noticed outside the Mansion House taking drugs, or having taking them and sitting slouched on the Mansion House is disturbing

693.Don't know what's in place if anything but these people should be banned from entering not roaming around putting the frighteners on people. Even the police don't do anything as again I've witnessed.

695.It is horrible to see people staggering around absolutely helpless

697.There needs to be a major lockdown on drug taking, covering the whole of the City Centre and surrounding streets.

698.Not an appropriate action.

700. Take a harsher stance to deter them

701. insufficient enforcement

704. Anyone dealing in drugs should be prosecuted. Anyone using drugs should be arrested and sent to a mandatory drug rehabilitation centre.

705. Stronger sentencing for these people.

706. I would only want the prohibition to change if it increased the discouragement of these behaviours.

707. As above

708. "I was not aware there was any prohibition as these activities take place all the time

709. Disgusting behaviour everywhere"

710. need to make it harder

711. I would support a complete ban

712. "[REDACTED]

713. "

714. Be more strict with this

715. Shouldn't be allowed

716. They should be arrested and charged.

717. Stop it all

718. Enforcement who has the power

719. This is one of the main reasons people including myself avoid the city centre and go where this is not an issue

721. Stricter please

722. extend period

724. As above total ban and zero tolerance

725. Again its late, drug taking and drinking are all part of a good night out

726. Health and Safety of all

728. Make it tougher

729. Too many people spaced out, not nice for young children to witness

730. This is becoming very dangerous and too frequent

731. See previous answer

732. These people need help!

733. This is illegal and should be dealt with according to the laws. Some of these people can seem intimidating as they can often behave unpredictably. When people /families are shopping, they should not be witness to this.

734. Stop this altogether

735. No matter where you walk in town the smell of drugs is everywhere

736. Seems even more people are openly smoking cannabis

737. Needs to be firmer with more action taken

738. as above

739. Stop people begging after a certain time of day, how much do they need to survive a day? Still begging all hours every day, some of them will have more than enough, more than working people often I assume

741. Refer to answer above - THERE IS NO DETERRANT

742. This is a major problem and needs to be addressed

743. Not working, does nobody see what we the public see obviously not

744. stop it it's disgusting to witness

745. As above answer

746.This op is one of the main reasons I don't go to town often
747.Barr them from city altogether
748.The current prohibition order is definitely not working and needs to be strengthened to its strongest possible level.
749.Give stricter punishments, on the spot fines or arrest them
750.Should all be removed with longer ban
751.Permanent ban from the centre if causing a public nuisance
752.Raise or implement penalties and lengthen bans
753.This definately should not be allowed and requires a very strong response if anyone is seen doing this.
754.Need to get these people of the street they are a bad influence on younger people
755.It's rife in the centre but nobody seems to be doing anything numbers are not dwindling
756.Should be arrested and dealt with by the Police.
757.If you go to town you can see them all day the drug takers no wonder people don't com any more they Think it is not safe in in the City any more get councillors of the back side they no what is the problem.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
760.More help is needed to stop this happening immediately.
761.More police on the streets.
762.As before
763.Same answer as No 12
764.Come on, I've answered
765.Change to include people also under the influence of illegal drugs
766.Once again no one to sort the problem out
767.Self evident

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
769.There should be zero tolerance to taking drugs
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

772.Law enforcement and stringent enforcement is required
773.See 5
774.Again as no 6

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
776.Stop them all
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

778.More monitoring is required
[REDACTED]

780."It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.
781.The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "
782.I am becoming familiar with the smell of cannabis through visiting the Town Centre. Stronger measures should be taken to prevent this
783.Being incapable in public should be speedily dealt with with help and sanction.
784.stops people coming into the centre, so I think you know the answer to this
785.The taking of drugs in a public place should be against the law, and offenders should be taken away and charged for doing so.

[REDACTED]

787. Ban drugs

788. if its law breaking they should be arrested & banned from the area for a period of time. we want people to feel safe in town.

790. This should not be tolerated in public spaces. More enforcement required. The smell of cannabis is too frequently in the air.

791. We need more of a clamp down across the whole city

792. Needs to be as strict as is practicable

794. Make it tougher on these people. It can be intimidating

795. Again they move out to areas like Balby and make homeowners like myself scared to leave the house and de-values my property

797. Increase detection and fines.

798. This has been going on farrrrr too long ! They should be 0 tolerance and arrests

799. Enforce the laws.

800. Take to a police cell.

801. Tougher punishments

802. Stronger deterrent needed and treatment offered. Could they be sectioned and forced to have treatment?

803. Tighten it up

804. A greater police presence is needed, particularly at night

805. No one monitors them they still do it, its nearly as bad as the USA now. Spice City.

806. legalize places for them to go & get help. STOP making money on Peoples downfalls & Help our residents of Doncaster First. Which is Not currently doing .

807. Change prohibition in accordance with option 1.

809. Include smoking

810. All prohibitions should be acted on more seriously.

811. This should be banned. If they want to use this then do it in a less public space.

812. I don't know what the current prohibition is

813. Arrest every single time.

814. SEE SECTION 14

815. Extend too 7 days on second offence.

816. More support + increased monitoring.

819. these need to be monitored and moved as this is unsafe for them and the public

821. This should be included

824. There is still countless people high on drugs and alcohol roaming the streets causing trouble.

825. "stronger deterrents and punishment

826. Remove these people from the streets - a facility may need to be created for this purpose

827. Needs enforcing better. I see this taking place in broad daylight every time I go to the centre.

828. Need to be tougher

829. Increase penalty

830. Make it a seven.

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
832. Ban them for weeks
833. Complete ban
834. Ban it totally
835. Get them out of the centre
836. If they are taking banned substances it should be treated the same as PSPO Number 3.
837. Needs to be more severe
838. This needs to be stopped.
839. Make it more strict.
840. This issue is so blatant now visiting the centre is very intimidating
841. There should be less people
842. There has been an increase in beggars and homeless and druggies shouting and swearing and littering over the past 2yrs. There hasn't been an improvement at all. It's worse. Much tougher force needed now to get rid.
843. Allocate a safe location with medics where people that take these substances can do in a safe environment and out of the public eye.
844. Needs making stricter I see a lot of this around the miner memorial sculpture
845. Make the prohibition more stricter. Very upsetting to see female who took drug & passed out/almost died outside the railway station. It was so awful and extremely embarrassing for Doncaster City!!!!
846. Same as the above answer I've given still see this every day
847. I would like to see more done about reducing the drug availability and taking. It is so sad that we have a lovely planet with so many lovely things to get involved in that people choose to disconnect with reality, it's a wasted life and I wish more could be done to help them engage with other activities that bring them the same enjoyment.
848. Needs addressing
849. Full ban
850. Enforce the order as you do not at present why have it if you don't do something with it
851. You don't do anything about it
852. This is getting worse not better - needs more restrictions
853. Increase the area and clamp down harder

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
855. THIS IS AN INCREASING PROBLEM IN THE CITY CENTRE AND NEEDS TO BE ERADICATED INCLUDING VAPES SMOKED BY UNDER AGE PEOPLE. THIS RULE NEEDS TO BE BETTER ENFORCED
856. Arrest them and take them off the streets
857. As above
858. Its bad, not a good look on younger generations.
859. This is awful to see, I don't like to bring children into centre because of this.
860. Get the users proper help
861. Stronger
862. Ban them from town centre.
863. Again dependent upon severity
864. "Stricter rules need to be put in place & complaints need acting on quicker
- 865."
866. Stricter enforcement
867. Too many people on spice
868. Absolutely not allowed in Central areas
869. Drugs lead to trouble
870. As 11 above.
871. Feeling unsafe in doncaster Olson home town especially after 4pm
872. Keep the prohibition order but for a wider area

- 873.Nothing is done about this problem
- 874.Present one does not work
- 875.We need more police on the streets in town
- 876.Straight to the cells
- 877.Increase exclusion zone, instigate a more robust enforcement policy, no tolerance.
- 878.Anyone seen using recreational drugs in the street should be removed by the police immediately.
- 879.There should be no drugs taking in the City Centre - zero tolerance.
- 880.As above
- 881.Confiscation and instant fine.
- 882.More policing and security, also help for those affected
- 883.Needs more doing to help get these people the help they need to stop this happening
- 884.This needs strict enforcement to stop people taking drugs in the city, there is far too much of it happening
- 885.Provide a central drop in centre for those needing help with drug problems
- 886.As above and common sense
- 887.Extend across the city
- 888.Ban from town centre
- 889.I have no idea what the current prohibition is but whatever it is it's not working so should change. I find it intimidating when there are people under the influence of drugs milling around, laying on the floor or sitting whilst having used or actively using drugs. They are unpredictable and scary.
- 890.People on illegal substances should be charged where possible it is against the law
- 891.Need to be tougher
- [REDACTED]
- 893.Repeat of previous questions whatever is currently in place is not effective
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- 895.Longer and stricter
- 896.As above. More needs to be done
- 897.Extend it to all areas in the borough, and enforce it more strictly
- 898.Whatever you are doing isnt working! this continues.
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- 901.The people have too much freedom and they are using drugs on my street or are intoxicated. Please change the rules and help those people or do not allow them to cause disruption.
- 902.Nothing
- 903.Again still happens so prohibition is. It for for purpose
- 904.Make it harder for them to get back in the city.
- 905.Make things safer by clearing drug dealers off Doncaster and district
- 906.BAN LONGER
- 907.Ban them from town
- 908.Make it more enforceable and more stringent
- 909.people should be assessed to see if they need support with mental health/homelessness/addiction etc to turn their life around
- 910.Zero tolerance
- 911.It obviously isn't working as it's happening daily infrastructure of young children and non addicts
- 912.Again not enough patrolling
- 913.lock em up
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

915. This is intimidating for city centre users. But without consequences (or support for users) this is accepted as 'normal' behaviour. This sends out the wrong message to children/young people that substance use is acceptable

916. Enforce it more

917. Ban drugs, get the dealer and lock them up. Its the cause of all troubles

918. Should be banned

920. Full ban and full ban if caught

921. They should be prosecuted and banned from the city centre for at least a week with longer bans for repeat offenders.

922. Totally not acceptable

923. Ban these people from the town centre

924. Risk to the public especially young people.

925. The last time I was in the centre I could smell cannabis, there should be zero tolerance

926. Toughen up

927. Often these people start harassing citizens going about their normal business which is very intimidating.

928. Again not nice for children or adults to witness and can be quite frightening if approached

930. If you want people to return unless you stop this behaviour you will lose them forever.

931. See previous

932. People who are under the influence of drugs should be removed immediately. This is too common a sight and really puts people off visiting the centre.

933. As stated above.

934. Drug taking in public is an offence, these people should be arrested.

935. This is a big problem and need much more serious attention

936. Ban them from the city

937. These people should not be allowed in the town centre. Taking drugs or smoking cannabis is an offence.

938. There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.

939. Why do you need a prohibition order to stop something which is illegal anyway? Enforce the law. It's just a flag waving exercise.

941. There is no such thing as recreational drug use. Either you combat this practice decisively, or the streets of Doncaster will continue to resemble a gutter. These are too big of money-making opportunities for criminal organizations to simply withdraw from Doncaster on their own.

942. This is a problem in the town centre presented by many people - not just those you are seeking to target through the PSPO renewal

943. There are laws in place and police have powers to deal with such behaviours without the prohibition.

944. The overpowering stench of Cannabis in town suggests you do nothing anyway

945. They don't stop them

946. Stop policing people.

947. This has not been an issue that I have encountered during my time in Doncaster.

948. Not policed properly or with any conviction for it to be effective.

949. Drop it altogether no enforcement so the drug users aren't bothered

950. There are other laws to deal with these issues

951. Five in a row now

- 952. Same as above
- 953. I see "people" drinking late morning outside the Frenchgate Centre.
- 954. It's not working
- 955. Police should stop this.
- 956. Cannot comment
- 957. Doesn't seem to be working, call police have them arrested/referred to social workers

Urination and defecation in public – Responses from Organisations:

1. Again this is something we see constantly, in the church , in our doorway and on the street.
2. "We are heavily affected by buskers arbitrarily performing on St Sepulchre Gate at volume for long periods of time, often with professional amplifiers.
3. We appreciate and support that when done properly this can add to the overall shopping experience but all too often this is abused.
4. Support for businesses from DCC can often be effective but the same offenders do return. "
5. Not as common as in the past but in certain locations (the basement of the pillared mansion opposite the Regent Hotel) it is obvious these activities take place.
6. No option to make punishment more severe
7. this needs to be enforced more strictly
8. Common sense
9. There are no public toilets
10. This still happens
11. Surely this is a criminal offence?
12. "Hours and hours of cleaning hours are spent cleaning up after this is again a real area of concern and many customers and young people are witnessing this.
13. We have to protect the city centre from becoming a public toilet ! Which some of our doorways currently are! "
14. Issues with people using bins in the square to urinate
15. You've got bigger problems than people doing that on the streets
16. Lock them up
17. Prosecution and sentences
18. They should use the public toilets .
19. Not much change relook at plans
20. Better access to public toilets is needed.
21. covered by public order act

Urination and defecation in public – Responses from Individuals:

1. Provide public conveniences or at least direct people to them
2. Keep it as it is, but please provide more public toilets.
3. Can't really comment on this not seen it
4. Not acceptable behaviour
5. Keeps the city clean
6. I rarely see anyone doing it, but I am aware of certain areas (the walk between Wood Street / Hall Gate and down the side of the BHF shop towards St. George's). Outside the centre (Glasgow Paddocks, Elmfield Park, Town Fields...) it is a much more common issue.
7. Seen a male today urinating shocking behaviour
8. Need more public toilets, not just relying on shopping centre, especially when shops are closed.

9. People should be using publicly available toilets - there are plenty of them in the city centre.
10. Maybe the council could invest in some public toilets in the town centre, instead of relying on private businesses to supply the toilets..
11. We have recently had an incident of a bin operative urinating at the side of my neighbour's house next to Hallcross school in broad daylight. This is totally unacceptable and was reported to the council by my neighbour and myself without any response.
12. Charge them. As far as I am aware this is an offence.
13. Not noticed this behaviour
14. They're aren't enough public toilets though
15. Not acceptable
16. I have not witnessed this but keep the prohibition
17. Baan from town for a year.
18. This should be stopped and policed better
19. Heavily fine them and make them clean up afterwards
20. This is absolutely disgusting. Its unpleasant to see.
21. Plenty of pubs in town to that they can use
22. Hope this is illegal
23. Prohibitions should be rigorously enforced
24. Keep prohibition and enforce ban more.
25. Although there are not as many public toilets as there used to be, it is no excuse for relieving yourself in public.
26. its obvious!
27. I can't say I've seen this but have smelt the aftermath on pavements etc. Maybe more public toilets are needed
28. DO NOT NEED TO SEE THAT
29. As 6 above
30. None.
31. Fifty and unsanitary behaviour must be tackled
32. As above
33. "why are you even ask these questions is bloody obvious no one is in favour of these acts!
34. how much is this box ticking exercise costing?"
35. Free facilities after the French gate closes....where do you expect the rough sleepers to go. The inebriated should be made to sanitise the area when sober.
36. Certainly!
37. Keep.
38. Again a police matter. Even though it is unsavoury and unhygienic, it is extremely difficult to police, even with 24 hour operated surveillance cameras covering every street and every nook and cranny.
39. Just Terrible to deal with this especially in Minster grounds
40. Would help if there were some toilets for them to use!
41. As above
42. Decency
43. "Night time - girls and men can be seen urinating in corners round Bowers Fold, also they becomes 'gang strong' and present as intimidating for 'normal' law abiding citizens.
44. Bouncers in pubs are constantly joined at the pub doorway by cigarette smoking, tattooed individuals who all (including the bouncers) present as intimidating to 'outsiders."
45. Tough action
46. This should extend to private land as well as public, as we have had individuals urinating and defecating in our garden, and feel powerless to tackle this.
47. More public toilets may be the answer
48. Can't see document, but agree that this should be banned
49. As before
50. Has to be actively enforced.

51. Certain areas of the centre really smell and are extremely unattractive. Should have consequences.
52. I have witnessed this on weekends, at hall gate, parking of East laith gate and Francis Street.
53. When you enter the town centre via St Georges Gate from the minster, the smell of urine is the first thing you notice. Welcome to Doncaster!
54. I've not known this to happen but I don't visit in the early evenings anymore
55. As above
56. THIS IS WRONG ANYWHERE
57. As previously stated there should be tougher punishment. This could be avoided by police officers on the beat rather than relying on cctv and police car responses.
58. Don't know what it is
59. Genuine people with existing medical conditions exempted if caught short.
60. Targeting well known areas to education this is needed. Alongside cleaning up wel known areas such as the ally between silver Street and the carpark its known as Pi** ally and it literally is swimming in pee and reeks! Not what you want to smell or see in a city as a resident and not a good impression for visitors who get a wife while visiting the main night out stretch.
61. "I have also witnessed a taxi driver having a wee just outside St James swimming baths
- 62.
- 63.
64. "
65. as above
66. This is obviously disgusting and if the order doesn't already cover it properly then there really is no hope
67. Would probably help to have public toilets available
68. Investment in Public toilets
69. There are areas in the centre that stink of urine now. Why.
70. provide public toilets
71. Yes doesn't look good for this new City
72. I have cctv footage of 3 different individuals using my shop door as a toilet in the last 4 weeks alone. Signage reminding people of the punishment for public urination could be useful.
73. Have some public toilets that feel safe to use
74. Just disgusting behaviour
75. No excuse there are public toilets
76. This is a constant problem with human urine and faeces often found in the entrance to the back alley and in our gardens
77. To be honest there's only one public toilet and that's In the market place
78. This is a regular problem as we do often find human excrement in and around the back alleys of our properties
79. "Big issue surrounding our properties. Lots of cases on St Vincent Ave. again I would repeat my previous comment.
- 80.
81. It would really help to extend the area to cover Broxholme Lane and St Vincent Avenue.
82. Whilst our area has been included in the PSPO we are not aware of any enforcement. "
83. This is a regular problem, people using our front garden, and the space in front of our garden as a toilet.
84. There is enough public tolits to prevent it.
85. Not enough policing.
86. Why public toilets need to pay before using, that's ridiculous! Squeezing everybody to use the free toilets in the Frenchgate, McDonald etc, overloading their cleaners' work while the public toilets should serve its original purpose open for the public!
87. An on-going problem
88. It's unpleasant and lewd and should be dealt with appropriately. A thorough clean of the affected area should be a priority if identified.

89. Disgusting
90. May be more public toilets are needed
91. Same as above
92. Public toilets are an issues by virtue of the lack of them.
93. I have seen people urinating in the street on two occasions in the last few months. Once behind Halifax BS a once outside the Church at the top of Hallgate at about 17.00. Yuk!
94. Just get rid of the dossers
95. This needs stopping.
96. This is a difficult one due to the lack of open, public toilets. However this behaviour is offensive, unhygienic and should not be seen in public areas. More toilet facilities would be a bonus.
97. This is unsightly, and antisocial, and a zero tolerance approach needs to be taken
98. I try not to use public toilet as they are minging
99. More 24 hour public toilet access needed
- 100."More public and disabled toilets are needed, if you've got to go you've got to go !!
- 101.We are a city let's act like one !"
- 102.I believe this a criminal offence. Are you not duplicating other controls.
- 103.More public amenities, use of toilets in stores
- 104.It's a criminal offence but I don't see the police doing anything about it
- 105.Totally uncalled for and should be prosecuted
- 106.This applies across the board. Too many men coming out of pubs and clubs use doorways and alleys as toilets. Needs to be paired with good provision of public toilets.
- 107.What toilets
- 108.Take them to court
- 109.Make them clean up their own mess and any other mess also.
- 110.Ditto
- 111.Try to stop this happening but it will be very difficult
- 112.Lack of decency is pandemic in this town.
- 113.It is awful that these people doing this it's smelly
- 114.Enforcement again is the problem
- 115.Try to have more public toilets
- 116.Needs to be tougher
- 117.There aren't enough public toilets around town
- 118.Keep the city clean
- 119.Yes often see the drunks in day time doing this
- 120.Self explanatory
- 121.Please make sure there are sufficient toilets available
- 122.Same again uniformed officers needed
- 123.Public convenience areas should be staffed and available without charge.
- 124.Provide more clean toilets and charge a pound ... decent people will pay if they are desperate
- 125.Disgusting
- 126.Don't now go into town and never use public toilets as they are unsafe.
- 127.Same answer
- 128.Exception for young children toilet/potty training.
- 129.Give them nettles to wipe their backside with
- 130.Needs eradicating
- 131.Needs enforcement
- 132.as above
- 133.Keep as it is but make fines and penalties more severe especially for repeat offenders
- 134.Good grief. Of course this shouldn't be tolerated.
- 135.More public conveniences would help. Folk don't make me paying for clean toilets
- 136.The facilities in the market are excellent
- 137.N/A

138. keep the streets clean and also doorways - especially the shops that have closed down and no one to monitor.
139. Needs to be done
140. "Not acceptable (there is a serious lack of public toilets
- 141.
142. The city needs to get a solution like in other city's
143. Pop up loos to cover the night economy "
144. "Parts of the City smells
145. "
146. Should not be allowed but are any of the public loos open because cafes and shops might not want to accommodate them
147. A disgusting activity which makes the town centre look disgusting
148. Proposal supported to ensure safety and feeling of safety.
149. Just enforce it
150. What's wrong with some people
151. It's unbelievable that this even needs to be itemised; it confirms why I don't want to mix with people who need this spelling out to them. Maybe the Council need to do more in schools or get involved with Crucial Crew to address the impact on families and the local economy of antisocial behaviour.
152. I would make them clean it and make them clean toilets in Doncaster for a full month daily
153. It's disgusting and makes the city centre look untidy and smell it makes you not want to come in
154. Where are the public toilets except in the Market Place?
155. Not allowed.
156. The carpark on Printing Office Street behind Cool Spot shop is a notorious for people urinating or defecating where the bins are. Again making the exclusion period 7 days will help.
157. Not seen this happening
158. Never witnessed this type of behaviour, though I have no doubt that it happens.
159. There should be more public toilets, and they should all be open at the time
160. Also make them clean up their mess as part of punishment
161. "It's disgusting and needs to be prevented
162. But where are the public toilets "
163. In Spain/ France - the streets are jet washed weekly - the smell of urine isn't pleasant- Doncaster City Centre is unpleasant/ full of vulnerable characters- and generally not a safe place- with only the pubs full of middle/ old aged people drinking!
164. It's disgusting and needs more policing. I have seen human poo quite a few times near the college. Dog poo also a problem. Ban dogs from the town centre.
165. I thought this was illegal anyway
166. Can't read psp, but these people should be arrested and charged
167. Looks unsightly
168. Definitely not
169. Putting the title City doesn't make the place any more desirable
170. Fine or arrested
171. Is it enforced
172. Agree
173. Again enforce it
174. Police more
175. Makes it an unpleasant place to visit
176. We have public toilets?
177. Where are the public toilets on Doncaster? They seem few and far between!
178. There would need to be a decent provision of facilities before enforced
179. We don't need to smell this
180. Filth. No other words for it. Increase the penalties if anything

181. IT IS NOT ACCEPTABLE THAT PEOPLE DO THIS KIND OF STUFF WHEN THERE ARE TOILET FACILITIES AVAILABLE PLUS IT BECOMES A MAJOR ISSUE TO BUSINESS OWNERS WHO ARE ALREADY STRUGGLING TO ATTRACT CLIENT TO THEIR BUSINESSES DUE TO THE CURRENT COST OF LIVING, THEY DON'T NEED THIS EXTRA BURDEN.
182. Not witnessed so would assume its working.
183. Very antisocial!
184. The public order needs keeping but i do feel the public toilets in the market need opening back up. The trouble with Doncaster is there are not enough public toilets outside like around the market, the council closed them they need opening back up and keeping an eye on to ensure nothing unlawful is happening in them
185. As above
186. As Above
187. See above.
188. No excuse for this
189. I don't think this is working as corners of the Town Centre are dirty and smelly.
190. Fine anyone urinating in street
191. No
192. Enforcement seems to be affective
193. Not seen this recently
194. not witnessed this
195. Our city is our pride. The landscapes, the architecture, the traditions, the environment.. It should be our priority as a society to keep it tidy, protect in and maintain the beauty of this area.
196. consider installing temporary urinals that pop up out of the paved areas when the night time economy is in full swing
197. People dont want to smell urine etc when they ae out walking, however there are less and less public toilets - maybe Doncaster needs to invest in free public toilet facilities to prevent this in the first place?
198. Doncaster is one-off the better city centres g or public toilets
[REDACTED]
200. More support and more police
201. Disgusting. Leaves streets smelling and filthy
202. As above
203. As above
204. Ditto
205. It's no wonder Doncaster town centre is in such a state if this sort of action is required!
206. As above, active policing relating to public decency
207. Disgusting
208. I'm assuming its banned because its a criminal offence
209. Needs keeping
210. Your answer to this Is toilets open in bus station more staff to patrol these areas with cameras
211. See puddles of urine early in morning, this is happening at night.
212. I don't understand the PSPO item
213. yes i have seen them urinating in shop doorways and also letting their dogs mess in the middle of the road
214. "It's a disgusting habit..
215. Perhaps there can be more public facilities "
216. People shouldn't be allowed to urinate openly in the street. So, it's up to the Council to make sure there are toilets available in a variety of places where people are normally seen to be urinating openly in front of others on the street.
217. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like
218. Not aware of problems but this may be a problem in the evenings with uncontrolled drinking and gangs of young men and girls.

219. this type of behavior is not only unsightly its also unhygienic and unnecessary when by law all the public houses have toilets and have to allow public use of the facilities
220. Really?
221. However there needs to be more toilets
222. It's illegal anyway to urinate in the street. The Police need to enforce this
223. "Provide more public toilets with attendants ~ it's not rocket science make a nominal charge for the public toilets
- 224.
225. If there is an issue - solve it
- 226.
227. Not much point in prohibiting it - it's too late when someone has already urinated in a door way
- 228.
229. What are the costings of cleaning the area V providing more toilets ??
- 230.
231. Where do you go to the toilet when all the shops are closed ?????"
232. People should feel safe and not afraid while walking about in Doncaster
233. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.
234. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as its these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do
235. Review availability and condition of toilet facilities in the City Centre.
236. More public toilets
237. More attendant toilets
238. The smell is bad, when walking in those areas
239. We're becoming a third world country
240. Not witnessed
- ██████████
242. A health hazard.
243. There is a need to ensure that public toilets are available as the elderly or infirm often need to visit them at shorter intervals than younger fit people and so would be excluded from the city Centre, if they cannot pay a call,
244. More public toilets required
245. Am i living in a different dimension who would
246. Massive fine and be made to clean it up
247. Same as number 6
248. Enforce the laws with stronger penalties
249. No
250. It's one thing if a small child gets caught short but there's no need for an adult.
251. Keep prohibition
252. This is a problem. However, I do not believe there are sufficient public toilet facilities around town and may not be open after office hours.
253. Make it more severe
254. I have never seen this thank goodness
255. Admittedly I haven't seen this, but of course it needs to be stopped, it's a health hazard
256. Can't comment on this.
257. There needs to be adequate public toilets available 24/7 in the city centre
258. Keep it as it is
259. Certain people who use the toilets start using a lot of toilet paper by trying to block the pipes. They often leave a mark if used the seat. They don't even bother washing their hands after use.
260. public toilets are very unattractive and generally places to avoid
261. should be bigger fines

262. Fine them more
263. Shouldn't happen anyway. But public toilets are in very short supply in the city centre.
264. It would help if there were public toilets
265. There need to be more public toilets
266. Should be more toilets but when they are off there heads do it anyway
267. Force the offenders to clean up the mess!
268. "No excuse for this behaviour other than apparently too much alcohol consumed which leads to loss of inhibitions.
269. They can also become verbally aggressive and accuse innocent passers by of 'gawking / perverting'
270. Again - generally no sign of police e.g. side street next to the Red Lion in the market place "
[REDACTED]
272. They should be locked up like the animals they are if this is the way they choose to behave
273. Never acceptable
274. Fine them
275. 8
276. Still a problem
[REDACTED]
278. "What is the fine if and when caught to deter this?
279. "
280. As above
281. As previously stated
282. Behaviour of this sort is a public health issue. That said more public toilets are needed.
283. Disgusting
284. Provide more public toilets which are staffed avoid them being used for drug taking or any other related offence.
285. Provide more public toilets
286. Never seen this
287. Usually drink fuelled as above
288. It's anti social and disgusting
289. police it
290. we need more public toilets
291. Should be made to clean up and do street cleaning for a month they are discussing
292. Never seen anyone doing this. I'm not condoning this but are there any public toilets open in the town centre in the evenings?
293. Disgusting attitude it is sad that people feel it necessary to do this.
294. Absolutely not, there are public toilets in the market place. Disgraceful defecating in our streets, we all know the alleyways and doorways that it happens as you can smell them before you see them.
295. Enforce it
296. I do not want to see men peeing against a wall when i am out
297. Some people are just not grown up
298. Again zero tolerance
299. I have not witnessed this thank heavens, but pso needs to remain to deter.
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
302. I do think that Doncaster is poorly served by public toilets. This is a national problem for the UK, and should be a source of concern and embarrassment for all.
303. I know of 2 lots of public toilets, but I think they are closed at night. What do people who sleep in doorways do after the toilets shut?
304. see answers to previous questions
305. This is also covered by law which should be exercised on all occasions

306. In a public place is an offence
307. This must not take place. But provision of public toilets is not good and should be improved.
308. Yes but, speaking as an elderly man with prostate cancer and a 'bladder problem' it would be really helpful if there were more public toilets and those there are were open more of the time - the market place for example
309. non at this time
310. As someone living with cancer, finding a toilet quickly is not always easy. I have not had to urinate in public yet, but more by luck than good judgement!
311. Again you can have all the fine words that look good on the council website but what is the point if they are not enforced

[REDACTED]

313. I have not seen this myself
314. "If we had more public toilets perhaps this could be reduced but then we have an haven for drug taking
315."
316. Yes plenty of toilets about
317. I agree with this totally but there should be some widely available public toilets of a decent standard .
318. It's disgusting to do it in the street but then public toilets are more or less closed and none existent due to people's lack of respect for them and to charge for pee well this culture of anything is chargeable is just out of order I think as a tax payer I pay more than enough into the system and get nothing in return apart from my bin emptied
319. Perhaps the council could consider reintroducing public toilets
320. Disgusting
321. Again a disgrace to the Town, the law should be rigidly enforced, we are supposed to live in a Civilised Society and they should be severely dealt with. So embarrassing for everyone but more so for Female members of the Public.
322. make sure toilets are available
323. As above not acceptable at all
324. Stronger sentence needed for this.
325. Why are you even asking about this, surely it is an offence without prohibition orders. Every year we get invited to comment on these various prohibitions which never seem to be enforced. The litter strewn town centre has become increasingly unattractive.
326. Lavatories need to be kept open to avoid this. Charges need to be dropped in the bus station
327. "Should be more free toilet facilities
328. Charging causes this behaviour "
329. Keep
330. It would help if public toilets were made more available with no charge. If this was implemented then any damage caused to the public facility it would be clearly stated that offenders would be severely dealt with by the courts.

[REDACTED]

332. 24-hour toilets/showers should be available in some locations for homeless people. They need to be looked after and given their dignity.
333. I've seen a teenager urinating in public park only this week.
334. Not to bad
335. Filthy and disgusting behaviour.
336. Dirty
337. Unpleasant
338. N A
339. But we need more public toilets

340. Such activity is unhealthy for those who find themselves contaminated by such substances. There may be instances where - for medical reasons an individual is 'taken short' and that is excusable but the blatant act of defecating or urinating in public is unacceptable.

[REDACTED]

342. More public toilets needed

343. More control o

344. You really have to have a presence 24/7 and I sympathise with the extra costs

345. Seen this twice recently. Once at 2.00pm on Saturday afternoon near market. Once early evening up against the front of the station building while picking visitors up at the railway station. Very embarrassing!

346. I agree with it.

[REDACTED]

348. The limited amount of public facilities does contribute to this problem but it says a lot about the type of people you are dealing with when they do urinate etc. on the street. No shame and no sense of public decency!

349. More CCTV should be installed to capture any patterns of activity

350. Definitely the best answer

351. But as a person with urinary tract problems, diagnosed medically, it really would help if there were more toilets available for the public to use in the City Centre and the Frenchgate centre. In many European cities toilets are at ground level, which prevents/limits inappropriate use of the facility and ALL cafes allow use by non-customers of the facility, whilst in UK, prominent notices say that toilets are for use by customers only. If you are desperate, what do you do? Wet yourself?

352. Improving P.C to support prohibition is a must.

353. Needs to be responded too heavily.

354. exposure criminal offence

355. I personally have not noticed any of the above question. There could do with more public toilets. When Frenchgate Centre is closed it not easy finding toilets.

356. I would also like to see Spitting banned. The act looks awful, the result looks awful and can cause disease and danger of slipping for pedestrians

357. Disgusting behaviour police should be notified.

358. Toilets not always available

359. Shocking

360. Doesn't provide a very good image of a place that would be inviting to go and see.

361. Don't go into town

362. Only strong policing will bring order to the streets

363. Provide public toilets

364. There are so many swells and diseases spread.

365. Totally Disgusting

366. There should be more public toilets available 24 hours

367. Have seen people urinating in town through the daylight hour's.

368. Punch them

369. Doncaster needs more public toilets and they need to be open longer hours.

370. Keep it.

371. Open more public toilets.

372. make them come back on a market day in full hi-vis too clean it up on camera.

373. try open toilets and stop charging think of people like me at 82 that y I don't use town

374. Additional facilities required

375. However the need for public toilets for the general public to also use should be reviewed, please.

376. Nowhere like it

377. Disgusting behaviour

378. Needs enforcing better. Shop doorways are always filthy

379. Essential to have access to clean facilities.
380. There are plenty of toilets available in the Frenchgate Centre and market so this should not be happening.
- [REDACTED]
382. Again stronger enforcement
383. What public toilets ???
384. As previous answer
385. There should be options at night for toiletry usage.
386. Not enough toilets about town
387. Needs sorting
388. Need accessible public toilets.
389. I haven't seen any of this. Although town does smell awful.
390. Very good if you can stop this.
391. Can't say I've seen that
392. I have seen people urinating in the market square also high Street.
393. Urgh. This is disgusting to see, to walk through and for the owners of the doorways where it happens.
394. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED].
395. Again this isn't being enforced none of it is
396. There aren't that many public toilets
397. Absolutely disgusting
398. I work in the city centre and I am often disgusted by what I see - more action needed - please.
399. There are no public toilets. Where can they go
400. ENSURE THAT THIS IS ENFORCED. MORE PUBLIC TOILETS WHICH ARE KEPT CLEAN AND HYGENIC SHOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE. NIGHT TIME TOILETS NEED TO BE ALSO AVAILABLE
401. Need more public toilets
402. Haven't seen anything but can smell it in nooks and crannies around French gate so needs to be cleaned if not enforced
403. Fines
404. There are many streets in the city center that stink of urine.
405. as per comments in 14 above
406. As mentioned this is definitely happening in front of Frenchgate
407. I think it's the prohibition is effective
408. You will never be able to totally eliminate this
409. Fine and shame people but we need public toilets
410. Provide more public toilets...easy, there were more 30 years ago!
411. Nobody wants to go into town anymore, the market place is scary.
412. Keep it as it is, could do with more public toilets
413. Have more public toilets
414. Shut public toilets in markets I don't know of any public toilets.
415. Disgusting
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
417. Plenty of toilet facilities in City centre
418. Bad enough all the dog poo
419. Not a problem that I have experienced
420. It's fine as it is
421. More enforcement

422. Make sure there is access to 24 hour public toilets. It will cost money to pay cleaners but it will encourage people to use them.
423. Not experienced
424. Health and hygiene, and more public toilets as there is nowhere for people to go once the drinking establishments have closed.
425. Not seen it personally but the stench in certain areas is appalling
426. Keep the prohibition
427. There is an offensive smell of urine when you walk past some doorways or down certain alleyways.
428. Why would any sane person condone this?
429. Perhaps more public toilets should be available and kept in a clean condition
430. Complete prohibition..
431. This is a problem in some areas of the town centre, can measures be put in place to deter this (alleys, can cameras be put up?)
432. And how often are the city streets probably power washed or cleaned professionally, or is nature's rain the answer
433. It's unnecessary
434. A leaflet with public convenience and directions.
435. There must be severe consequences to this but public toilets are a must
436. Increase the number of public toilets available to reduce the issue.
437. As above.
438. This should be enforced
439. Why would anyone think this is acceptable?
440. "Provide toilets in key areas."
441. No one wants to see or smell human waste around town.
442. Why is this even in the questionnaire!"
443. If there are toilets they should use these for the purpose of and no damage should be caused
444. For this they should be made to clean it up
445. More enforcement
446. Again as mentioned outside the back of McDonalds
447. Where are the public toilets.
448. More public toilets may help to eliminate this issue.
449. Disgusting.
- [REDACTED]
451. I don't see this too often
452. It's just gross
453. Disgusting behaviour from a minority of individuals definitely should not be tolerated?
454. This is not normal human behaviour and I can understand why friends now refuse to travel to the City Centre.
455. Where are public toilets
456. We could do with more toilets in Doncaster especially for older people like myself and sometimes I don't go to town for that reason especially when it's cold
457. No comment
458. Often associated with drinking in the street, there are plenty of toilets and we saw it last week outside Home Bargains when Nelsons was open next door. There is no need and it stinks
459. More public toilets at reasonable charge or free to use
460. I thought this was an offence anyway
461. Public toilets should be available and opened - distinct lack of public toilets in a city of this size
462. Yes, good idea. It has helped. Keep it up
463. None
464. More Officers to enforce it
465. Ditto as previous
466. Lock them up they do it anywhere even if there's children about

467. And again.
468. The need for public toilets has grown in recent years
469. It's disgusting if needed place nighttime toilet sheds like builders use then make them come back to clean them out
470. Not acceptable behaviour at anytime unless you are medically ill and it's not willfully done.
471. The town stinks and is filthy, needs cleaning up
472. Spend less time sending these stupid questionnaires and get on cleaning the place up, we walk into town from a car park on the Balby side of town absolute disgrace with litter, bottles strewn everywhere
473. Just ensure public toilets are available. Market toilets were locked on Good Friday bank holiday despite many events taking place in the city.
474. We need more public lavvies in the town centre which are free to use or a minimal charge, that won't happen, I know
475. Hard to comment on this!
476. But commit to having public toilets available throughout the centre for all to use.
477. Disgusting
478. All comments as above. The place smells of urine especially waterdale area. Caught a few people urinating in the middle of days they just don't care. In fact the laugh and say couldn't hold it Mrs!
479. Not seen anyone doing that in city centre for long time. Maybe relaxed the prohibition little bit.
480. "We'll need I comment further. Seen this with own eyes. No shame is shown by these type of animals.
481. Ban permanently and heavy fines "
482. Increase the penalties for this offence
483. It's illegal so should not be allowed to happen
484. Make it so anyone caught performing these acts is banned from the town for 30 days and again enforced by council officers
485. Have more harsh consequences against people that do this.
486. Ban for life
[REDACTED]
488. To Increase the penalties for such behaviour .
489. as above
[REDACTED]
491. Disgusting habits but not many toilets
[REDACTED]
493. Arrest them under indecent exposure
494. Lock em up and throw away the key
495. As per 6
496. Extend it to ban for three months
[REDACTED]
498. We need more public toilets
499. Charged with public indecency, refer to criminal court.
500. 7 day ban
501. This is not acceptable needs to be stopped.
502. Actually stop it happening
503. Make sure this never happens. Where are the public toilets?
504. I suspect this is worse at night due to pubs and clubs and needs reviewing.
505. Again punishment must be harsher a minimum of 6 months ban from town centre.
506. Make them clean it up
507. This should never be allowed and is not nice for other people.
508. More attended public toilets
509. Ban them from town all together
510. Stricter need to look at public places eg town fields too

511. Definitely extend this into the residential areas. People coming back from town often use the back of my garage, flats, park as a toilet
512. Again, increase the ban and issue a huge fine. They must also have to clean it up. The more deterrents and security / Police in place, will ensure they do not come to the centre
513. As above, it needs to stop.
514. Expand all across dmbc area
515. Arrest and charge as a criminal offence
516. Fines.
517. Make it stronger
518. Give a big fine to them. In courts.
519. Harsher penalties
520. Need to stop people doing this, more free public toilets
521. As with my previous comments
522. The penalty should be increased
523. As previous answers.
524. Disgusting vile to see
525. More has to be done
526. Lock them up
527. Make it more strict and provide more free public toilets
528. Same as previous answer
529. Cells for a couple of nights and banned from Centre
530. "Where are the homeless to go then? I haven't seen a public toilet in years. People who don't have access to a toilet need them if this prohibition is to stand. In any event, aren't these activities already illegal? Why do you need this power?"
531. "
532. See reason as my previous comments
533. Build public toilets. Charge to enter.. keeps the homeless from sleeping in them.. then fine offenders.
534. Make it more severe
535. not working
536. Make tougher
537. Make it punishable
538. Need to be prosecuted not just prohibited
539. Extend the area
540. Not enough is done to stop this.
541. Should be jailed
542. public toilets might alleviate this situation
543. Make it stronger!
544. Why has the city council not got a street cleaning unit to combat the filthy smelly streets in the city, you have only to go down silver street, ally way to frances st, hallgate to eastleigh gate Bradford row. You need a very high powered detergent jet to remove years of grim. Come on don't you ever walk the streets.
545. "This also happens everywhere including Mexborough. I shouted at someone not long ago for urinating up someone's fence during the day in full view. I told him he should use a toilet like any other normal person. He shouted he had half hour drive to get home. He actually drove up and down the road looking for somewhere, parked his car with his family in it to do it. He was very aggressive but I couldn't let it go without saying anything to him
546. "
547. As 14
548. The human excrement should be eradicated by installing public toilets
549. Bigger repercussions needed
550. more enforcement - the doorways on east laith gate are often used for this as are many other alleyways etc.

551. Law and order?
552. As previous answer.
553. Just plain disgusting
554. Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!
555. Lots of urine corners in town. The alley in silver street is cleaned and disinfected every day. But it's still goes on peeing in there, Bowers fold corners used as a toilet. Cleaned regular by the council. There's cameras in the centre. May be more night enforcement officers needed
556. What prosecution do they face?
557. Taser them
558. People are now urinating where they want this needs tackling. day or night and there are young children around
559. More public toilets as it used to be.
560. Charge them and make them clean it up
561. Fine and extend the length of the suggested time from city centre
562. Enforcement is required
563. Make fines higher (Again policing)
564. Again, it is a public health nightmare and belongs in the Middle Ages. Don't tolerate it.
565. Same as 15
566. Too few public toilets in town full stop so might want to address this as a mitigation.
567. Make them clean the streets
568. arrest & on register for exposure in public place
569. Make it stricter, have more availability of toilets
570. Totally unacceptable
571. They should fined/charged for this behaviour. Why should families and children have to see this abhorrent behaviour
572. Provide public toilets
573. Prison.
574. It should be tougher ban them from city centre for a month
575. Disgusting behaviour, should be arrested. No deterrent
576. Higher fines
577. Remove offenders and ensure that sanctions are truly preventative. I have to say however that keeping public toilets at the market closed on bank holidays (I found them closed on Giid Friday) is not helpful.
578. Charge with public nuisance
579. Should be free parking
580. Banned from the City centre altogether
581. As previous answers make the penalties more severe. But also ensure enough toilets that are clean and safe to use are available and policed.
582. More robust rules but needs to be policed better. Will never stop when no one is around to stop it.
583. Have more PSCO's to help people move on quickly and safely.
584. Again, it is illegal
585. Stronger deterrents
586. If seen they should be made to clear and clean the area they spoilt with a small brush(toothbrush comes to mind)and then banned !!!
587. Defecating should lead to permanent ban. But pass a bylaw that all pubs, restaurants should allow public to use facilities without being a customer
588. Should be stiff penalties if found urinating or defecating in the street and banned from the town centre.
589. Lifetime ban
590. Enforce it.
591. It's disgraceful
592. Make it more punitive and enforceable

- 593.Sadly hard to police
- 594.Tidy the whole city up so there are no random places they can do it. Fine then on the spot.
Community service.
- 595.Needs to be zero tolerance - with consequences
- 596.As before
- 597.It disgusting and doesn't make fo a nice p;ace to visit
- 598.Disgusting and spitting
- 600.Needs strengthening.
- 601.On the spot fines
- 602.Prison sentence
- 603.Fine them on the spot
- 604.Please can you allow disabled people to access the only toilet in the market area? Otherwise, my husband will not go into town for longer than 45 minutes; he is unable to get out of his wheelchair and has to take a urine bottle with him everywhere and be padded out. Getting him to the council buildings to apply for a key is not easy. Make more toilets available, please.
- 605.No enough public toilets
- 606.Excluded from city centre for seven days
- 607.Make it harsher
- 608.Part of the issue is lack of public toilets or street urinals
- 609.Need to be banned from town centre
- 610.Again permanently remove them from the city.
- 611.Disgusting. Tighter measures needed
- 612.Stricter too soft
- 613.ditto above
- 614.Need banning for 6 months
- 615.Make defendants clean it up.
- 616.Should never be allowed back in to the city centre BUT there needs to be better facilities available.
- 617.you closed most public toilets open the underground toilets there still there theres no wonder there doing it in the streets a city with no toilet's
- 618.See answer to 8 above.
- 619.Make the town centre more people friendly and not scary
- 620.Again anti social behaviour it's what puts people off going into towns & cities. Clamp down on it, no example to our youth
- 621.Get rid
- 622.Lock them up
- 623.Arrest the offender's and give them a hefty fine
- 624.Prosecute the individuals in all cases to make the City Centre more hygenic.
- 625.Increase the measures
- 626.See above.
- 627.Needs stricter
- 628.Ban from city centre
- 629.This is a public order offence, they should be prosecuted.
- 630.Same as above
- 631.Make it stronger or enforce it more
- 632.Disgusting they should be fined.
- 633.Charges should be more stringent.
- 634.Harsher punishment for those that get caught
- 635.charge it is an offence make them clean it up
- 636.Get serious in bringing Doncaster back to a level where people would like to visit.
- 637.Provide more facilities! Even mobile ones
- 638.To reflect people's comments should be made to clean it up and fined.

639. Tougher sentencing.
640. I would only want the prohibition to change if it increased the discouragement of these behaviours.
641. Need to be charged and publicly shamed
642. "I was not aware there was any prohibition as these activities take place all the time
643. Seems to be the norm these days"
644. make it harder
645. Definitely stop this altogether
646. People urinating in the street should be arrested and charged. we are a civilized society this behaviour should NOT be tolerated.
647. Provide more access to public toilets
648. As per sect 15
649. Ban and make them clean up their mess
650. Not at all acceptable.
651. fine or court
652. Now lost for words. Now know why I never go into Doncaster!
653. As above
654. Its about pride in the environment, these people do not care
655. Again it's clear that not enough is being done to deter this antisocial behaviour
656. Fine
657. Just lock them up and fine them....Come on Ross Jones do something useful.
658. Give much stiffer penalties
659. Stop this altogether
660. Disgusting habit but City centre does not have a lot of public facilities
661. ditto
662. Enforcement needs to be done!!!!
663. Except where there are no public toilets open, at all times of the day there must be adequate toilets especially where there are car parks and numerous pubs
664. Refer to answer above - THERE IS NO DETERRANT
665. Arrest and charge
666. There is no need for this behaviour and people need to be fined
667. Isn't this a criminal offence anyway?
668. As above. Need tougher rules
669. As I have said above I saw a male undo his trousers and proceed to urinate in a bin , and he looked as though this was normal practice.
670. Make it a tougher punishment
671. Not many public toilets open even if there would be frightening to use them .
672. Bring charges against the perpetrators
673. Barr them altogether
674. The current prohibition order is definitely not working and needs to be strengthened to its strongest possible level.
675. Give on the spot fines
676. Permanent ban from town center
677. Stop closing all the toilets have more public toilets
678. Should be a law against it and a much stronger response.
679. Please tell me what the policing officer# ar3 doing nothing as far as I can see
680. As answer no 14 above.
682. Instant HIGH fines
683. This is disgusting and happens often in the shop doorway when voluntary staff have to clean up and disinfect the area. More is needed to be done about this.
684. Same answer as the previous two.
685. Same old same old no one looking on show with any real authority to do anything about it

686. Self evident
687. Completely out of order, and illegal, arrest, prosecute and ban from the area.
688. Make them clean it up themselves and issue a hefty fine
689. See 5
690. Remove them from the centre of the city
691. Keep in place but also provide more public toilets.
692. "It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.
693. The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "
694. Urinating or defecating in a public place is against the law, and offenders should be taken away and charged for doing so.
695. Should be charged
696. apply the law simple as possibly reduce charges to encourage people to use the public toilets.
[REDACTED]
698. This should not be tolerated. I do feel there needs to be more provision of Free to use Public Toilets. Perhaps temporary Portaloo type toilets in certain places, especially to cover the night time economy and any events that may be taking place in the centre.
699. Exclude for extended periods...fine them an appropriate amount...and community service including litter picking and street cleaning
700. More public toilets available in the evening could go some way to combat this
701. More police presence and give police the authority to do something about it
702. Keep them out of town
703. Again more police presence would help with this
704. Not acceptable at all - health hazard, especially when young children are out with their parents shopping. Disgraceful behaviour - plenty of public toilets in centre to use - no excuses for this
705. Take such people and place them in a police cell.
706. lock them up
707. Keep it up but tighten it up
708. THERE ARE VERY FEW PUBLIC TOILETS IN DONCASTER AND THOSE THAT DO EXIST CHARGE FOR USEAGE.
709. No one monitors them they still do it
710. again provide help . the government is responsible for what comes in and leaves our country . they allow and encourage a lot of racism, these are our gov's plans.
711. More toilet blocks required
712. This is a disgusting practice and I consider this is anti social behaviour and the perpetrator should be banned from the city centre as are those committing other types of antisocial behaviour.
713. I don't know what the current prohibition is
714. Arrest.
715. SEE ABOVE THIS IS A CRIMINAL OFFENCE AND NEEDS DEALING WITH AS SUCH NO IFS NO BUTS
716. Reverse previous Conservative mania for closing Conveniences and selling the bricks and mortar. Instal more streamlined automatic booths.
717. Charge them
718. harsher punishments make it an actual punishment that makes people think its not worth it
719. yes this is disgusting
[REDACTED]
721. This should be included
722. fined on the spot
723. Haven't noticed a difference.
724. These people should be arrested and fined/community service
725. Get tougher
726. Ban from city centre for long period

776. Yes it's true change plzz
777. Keep them out.
778. Put more public toilets
779. BAN LONGER
780. Ban for life
781. Make it a criminal offence
782. Needs more
783. open public toilets
784. This is common place and disgusting. Harsher punishments should be sought. This causes many problems, not only for staff trying to keep the city centre clean but is a public health issue. This also highlights the lack of safe public toilet facilities for responsible citizens
785. Enforce it more
786. It should not be allowed. Make them do community service and clean the areas up.,
787. Ban them from the city centre
788. Criminal offence so should face the law and be ban from town centre
789. They should be prosecuted and banned from the city centre for at least a week with longer bans for repeat offenders.
790. Please make sure these people are prosecuted
791. anyone caught should be forced to clean it up then do 100 hours cleaning our dirty streets
792. Unhygienic behaviour and unpleasant smell makes the street less attractive to shoppers.
793. Name and shame, and prosecute
794. this problem is partly due to a lack of facilities in the town centre ,there are far fewer than years ago.
795. Horrible to witness and not nice to walk past places that you can smell having been used as a toilet
796. Ban from area they are urinating and defecating in
797. I have lived in Doncaster for nearly 13 years. How many public toilets are there in use in the centre 24/7 ? I walk with my dog daily around Town Fields, it is regularly used as an open cess pit. One "happy camper" enjoyed a stay of nearly three weeks before he was moved on.
798. Disgusting behaviour in our city centre
799. What public toilets
800. Count how many public toilets are in Doncaster Centre . None. The only ones nearer to Frenchgate are inside upstairs.
801. See previous
802. Lock them up.
803. I'm sure there is a law against this already and anyone caught should be dealt with according to the law.
804. This needs to have more attention paid to it and made to be deterred
805. These people do not belong in the city centre. It is an offence to urinate or defecating on the streets.
806. This is a nuisance as well as a health issue. Make more public toilets visible and accessible. Not just in the arcade or the market area. The market ones are very clean when I have had a need to use them.
807. Where are these toilets ?
808. There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.
809. Where else are they supposed to go if you've taken away free public toilets? It's a basic human function.
810. Build more public toilets and employ beggars to clean them
811. It's the same, dirty streets, garbage everywhere, no reason to keep something that is not working, people park everywhere, on footpath, smells like urine and weed, roadworks are in place for years, so no point in this....
812. [REDACTED]
813. What public toilets, you have closed the majority or charge for there use
814. There is a severe lack of public toilets in the centre outside shopping hours.

[REDACTED]

816. There are laws in place and police have powers to deal with such behaviours without the prohibition.

817. Without Enough Public Toilets It Is Always Going To Be A Problem

818. Judging by the smelly effluent and piles of faeces around market carpark toilets and bin areas, you're not enforcing this

819. As above.

[REDACTED]

821. And open more public toilets so you can stop policing people.

822. This has not been an issue that I have encountered during my time in Doncaster. If this is an issue that the Council is concerned with, may I respectfully suggest that the Council should invest in providing appropriate public toilets.

823. It's sad you are asking about things that have been happening for years

824. ". . . does not include public toilets." What public toilets? Last time I was in the town (still not really a city IMO) centre the only public convenience that I know of outside of the Frenchgate Centre (the Markets PC) was closed. I can fully understand why some people would go down an alleyway to urinate. Is that really so bad? DMBC should make better provision of public conveniences in the town centre; install some French-style pissoirs maybe. No mention of enforcement action in the document, so amend it to make the aims clear. If prohibition not dropped, change "urinate . . . in any public space" to "urinate in public view"

825. Provide public toilets there aren't any

826. It might be more helpful to make sure there are sufficient public toilets

827. Six

828. Same as above

829. No public toilets anywhere at night so where are you supposed to go?

830. Never noted as a problem

831. Lock them up

832. Not enough public toilets

833. More public toilets should be provided

Tampering with parking equipment – Responses from Organisations:

1. Really well if they are doing this obviously you have lost control
2. It is less of an issue with contactless payment but can still be intimidating for some
3. "LACK OF ENFORCEMENT IN AREA
4. EXPERIENCE THESE ACTIONS DAILY"
5. Customers quite often comment that this behaviour is still active within Doncaster
6. Common sense. What would be their motives to do that..
7. "We have seen increased theft and damage to cars which we have previously won awards for having protected our carpark. However in the past year our carpark has been targeted for theft of cars and bikes and also cars being targeted for catalytic converters. We have also had tens of thousands of pounds worth of damage to our carpark as a result of ASB, some of this behaviour has caused damage to life saving equipment and the behaviours in the carpark have been very dangerous. We also have Pay on Foot machines that take and hold cash. We urge that This is not removed.
8. "
9. The impact that the interfering with any parking pay and display machine can have a significant financial impact on the City of Doncaster.
10. Seen around NCP car park next to Reslish when using car park
11. Lock them up
12. not fit for purpose

13. More enforcement if tampering or asking for money and standing next to individuals when trying to pay for parking, again this is impacting our customers the use the car parks around the studio.
14. After having my car windows smashed and a couple of other cars parked near by in a pay and display car park I think there should be changes
15. Covered in PSPO number 2
16. N/A
17. Nothing to add
18. Agree with the suggestion. As it will be covered in PSPO Number 2.
19. Not noticed this taking place recently.
20. It won't chance without regular patrols

Tampering with parking equipment – Responses from Individuals:

1. This needs sorting but without the number of staff being available all of the time it's almost an impossible task
2. This should not be removed
3. No comment. Don't know what to say.
4. Stops people breaking machines which makes it difficult for people to pay for parking
5. I've never really noticed it.
6. Scared to approach when trying to visit the city
7. There is still a section of society who are not using contactless payment cards or the Ring-Go App who still need to use coin payment to park. The Council should make sure the option is available and the equipment is not interfered with.
8. It is intimidating to park your car and be faced with individuals trying to "help" you pay then ask for money, especially for women and the elderly.
9. See above, the reason for less cash is the machines get blocked up on occasion, not to mention its becoming increasingly difficult to withdraw cash, since cash machines are disappearing or charging fees.
10. Visitors should not feel intimidated but Have you tried. Reading and putting information in some of the m/cs need better illumination and at appropriate level
11. Charge them, surely this is an offence.
12. Dare not park car always hanging around don't feel safe
13. not noticed this behaviour
14. Not acceptable
15. It's illegal keep the probation
16. Sometimes people will damage public equipment for no apparent reason, so pre-emptive action must be taken.
17. There is no necessity for anyone to do this
18. This is intimidating to parking motorists and is no different to begging at cashpoints
19. N/A
20. N/A
21. Once again there is no reason to do this.
22. Too many scallywags trying to ask to pay or 'look after' your car for you
23. As 6 above
24. I've seen people doing this on wood street and the market car park
25. Some car parks still have cash machines and should continue to do so. Not everyone has a smart phone with them, or wishes to use them, or put their card details into a website
26. None.
27. Having "tap and pay" available does not stop the beggars.

28. Ensure security
29. As above
30. Intimidating
31. Not witnessed by myself.
32. Parking is way too expensive in Doncaster and problematic enough. I walk in but would not consider parking at all if car parks were vandalised and unsafe
33. I still feel intimidated by those who are in car parks when using machines. Now that debit cards can be used to obtain goods to £100 it is cards they are after.
34. Tough action
35. I can't see document, but this makes sense to stop people skimming credit cards
36. As before
37. Has to be actively enforced.
38. Do not want to use parking app etc - cash or card preferred. So do not want to drop any safeguards which protect this option.
39. If this is dropped, the amendment in PSPO 2 is not strong enough to stop the behaviour by itself. Ring Go is a poor option for some - sometimes it's difficult to get a signal, plus it costs more. I believe if the additional fees were removed people might be more inclined to use this regularly. Furthermore, it can be difficult to find the Ring Go location/code if you're not tech-minded - the app can be quirky and on-street/current signage can be difficult to find unless you know what you're looking for. It also sometimes involves going to a pay machine to find the info, where people might offering be loitering offering to 'help'. Current signage also tends to be fairly small which can be difficult to see, especially for those who have vision difficulties requiring glasses - again, this means leaving the car and approaching somewhere closer, on foot, to read and people sometimes congregate around here as well. With improved and accessible signage and the removal of the Ring Go fee, this could perhaps be removed and 2 would be sufficient. If the fee can't be removed, then the signage should make clear the additional costs, or perhaps parking fees should increase slightly to cover this, although this would also likely further drive more people out of town to seek facilities which offer free parking.

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
41. AGAIN THIS SHOULDN'T BE ALLOWED ANYWHERE
 42. Not witnessed this.
 43. Stricter
 44. With more police presence
 45. Don't know what it is
 46. as above-day time
 47. agree
 48. Much better now they have gone cashless so they don't seem to block the parking meters up anymore
 49. yes makes me feel uneasy when parking
 50. As a city centre resident I don't use parking machines but have been told of instances previously in the market place carpark by customers.
 51. Lock them up
 52. It needs to be kept to prevent fraud
 53. Not enough policing or council staff to keep this in hand
 54. Public parking area should be free from car thieves or video monitoring for 24/7 hours
 55. Makes people feel uneasy and isn't necessary. It needs dealing with and people need moving on and dealt with suitably if this behaviour is repeated.
 56. Ban them
 57. No further comment

58. When I have parked in town in the market car park I often see people sat next to the machines asking for money. It is very intimidating, luckily I have the app now to enable me to pay by my phone while I am sat in my car.
59. Such people can be off putting for a potential parking customer. If they feel unsafe will then either park elsewhere or return home.
60. Didn't know this was in force
61. Anyone loitering in car parks may be looking to steal vehicles.
62. [REDACTED]
63. If interfering with things. Not there's. Fine them.
64. This is still a problem when people are using cash to pay at the machines
65. Ban them from the city centre for a month.
66. You don't do much now so what difference will it make
67. Scrotes
68. Not acceptable behaviour, Keep taking people to court
69. Make anyone damaging any public property or equipment pay for any replacement or repair.
70. Ditto
71. I have not seen this but probing is a good thing
72. Always very wary of parking in the town even in the designated car parks
73. Often pay machines in car parks are not working and if this is due to vandalism then the prohibition should be kept
74. If people are no longer vandalising parking meters, why are so many out of service. I believe your findings to be erroneous.
75. Unsafe
76. Yes as I feel uncomfortable approaching the payment machine
77. Regular occurrence
78. Needs stricter enforcement.
79. And police the car parks more to prevent damage and thefts of private property not just council property
80. Do they?
81. Bigger repercussions needed
82. It is the duty of the police to stop this
83. Needs enforcement
84. Not seen any evidence of this
85. Although this is now deemed a minor concern with the upgrade of parking systems, it should remain in place to deter general vandalism of equipment for no financial gain that may still take place
86. No need to stand around or damaging equipment
87. Lower or get rid of parking charges completely. Out of town parking, York Rd etc is free and buzzing
88. N/A
89. Keep the prohibition as it is but police it better and ensure it is enforced - I never see any police or council staff in the streets in my visits
90. I have never seen this , most of the payments are card. It can be useful to receive instructions from them how to use the machines.
91. There is still the feeling of being unsafe if you are paying by card and it looks very unsavoury that machines are being tampered with
92. Proposal supported to ensure safety and feeling of safety. This is similar to prohibition 2
93. Just enforce it
94. Same answer need better policing
95. Why drop it?
96. I can't believe this is even a thing! I've brought up my own children to just behave in public!
97. "The problem is some of the town centre enforcement team are really good, others let things slide.

98. The comments about when I did security in town and he is ok is not professional. Every incident should have the full correct response. Unfortunately this member of staff also talks to the group outside of work and hangs around the town daily."
99. Not allowed.
100. Not witnessed this behaviour.
101. Involve police more
102. Retain for a further period to ensure the data remains low/nil and remove it if not required on next review
103. Other people's property should not be interfered with, it's bad enough having to pay to park without walking miles to find a working machine
104. As above
105. If things have been let go over years I certainly isn't going to improve with any amount of work it is ACTION that is required. Looks as if the powers that be have been asleep at the wheel.
106. Fine or arrested
107. Agree
108. More support why are they begging??
109. Makes you feel unsafe & threatened
110. PEOPLE SHOULD NOT BE MESSING WITH PARKING EQUIPMENT AS IT COST A LOT OF STRESS AND MONEY TO THE COUNCIL TO PUT IT RIGHT AFTER IT HAS BEEN DAMAGED.
111. Not everyone has the ability to pay by phone/online, usually the elderly who feel more vulnerable and prefer to use cash.
112. Not witnessed so assume its working
113. See above.
114. There are people in the market car park that hang around the parking meters and ask for spare change this can be uncomfortable, if there is not one else around.
115. No
116. Not witnessed this
117. again not witnessed this
118. We all know that ASB is hard to tackle, but mostly there are the same people doing it. I would recommend tougher fines and punishments for those interfering with Parking equipment as this is theft it should be treated with more seriousness.
119. This continues to happen with beggars sitting on the pavement asking for money - market car park
120. Anti-social behaviour in the city centre here seems worse than most places I've been to recently. It has put off my wife from ever visiting the city centre. I know other people who feel the same. The area at the bottom of Printing Office Street seems to be the worst, with a lot of unpleasant characters congregating there.
121. KEEP THEM OUT OF TOWN
122. More support and more police
123. People need to feel safe
124. Ditto
125. Enforcement needed, better security.
126. Too many parking restrictions
127. Vandalism, it's a crime
128. Needs keeping
129. More cameras needed in town center that are working and persons to act to the situation that is happening
130. I don't understand the PSPO item
131. Anyone seen to be messing around with machinery that's there for the usage of others should be dealt with severely by hefty fines.
132. Still needs actioning and many are left to do as they like
133. Not aware if problems

134. there should be free parking in the city center and free park and ride to encourage more people to use our amazing city center
135. A nuisance.
136. These people have to be taken into care with a plan put in place to break the social cycle trapping them.
137. Should be a max number of times they can infringe on this as it's these pests that ruin it for business owners as ppl are too scared to come in for fear of being mugged or harangued by ppl with nothing better to do open some community centres or programs for these ppl to have something to do
138. New fines
139. To be honest I think it should be a criminal offence to be tampering with equipment
140. You only want to drop it because the council can't be bothered to enforce the prohibition. Too obvious and public I guess and too readily shows how the council don't enforce the prohibitions.
141. Where are the police?
142. There is no good reason for this other than criminal
143. Get rid of parking charges more people might come to town
144. Same as number 6
145. As previously question answers
146. No
147. Keep prohibition
148. As I have said before shopping in Doncaster is no longer a pleasant experience
149. Seems appropriate.
150. Keep it as it is
151. Tougher penalties for vandalism
152. Does it really generate more work to keep the prohibition?
153. Arrested for vandalism.
154. Police intervention required to stop this.
155. It's ok
156. Pick them up on CCTV and screen 'live' on big tv screens across the City
157. I personally have not seen any of this type of behaviour
158. Why do people need to do this ?
159. This shouldn't happen
160. Stop these benefits
161. I hope there is a question coming up regarding the behaviour of car drivers and riders. High Street and Hall Cross is used as a drag strip with cars accelerating way above speed limits, motorcycle and electric bike riders (often without helmets) doing wheelies and acting aggressively; electric scooter riders using the pedestrian ways with impunity, cars parked all over the place, particularly on paved areas.
162. What has happened to Doncaster it's terrible
163. As above
164. Trying to rob them
165. Why is it proposed that this prohibition is removed, is it not the same as people crowding near or next to a cash machine?
166. Not noticed but as above
167. As previously stated
168. Police it
169. Again, this behaviour is off putting for the ambiance of our City Centre. Intimidating for users of the car parks.
170. Enforce it
171. The fact that you have to ask these questions shows how bad the city Centre experience is.
172. Equipment? Don't care so long as they leave the car alone
173. No comment
174. As with all of these questions - the orders will only work if they are enforced.

175. Again pso to deter this problem.
176. "Probably the least of your worries.
177. Once upon a time the Police would deal with unspecified infractions on their own initiative. They and school teachers have been deliberately undermined, beyond any justification due to safeguarding.
178. I think that this has all come about because politicians lack any moral compass. There is abundant recent evidence for that at national level. At local level, we remember Donnygate."
179. see my answers to previous questions
180. Until it is eradicated do not change the PSPO
181. The police should attend to this, but policemen on duty are not often seen in the town centre
182. non at this time
183. I have not seen this myself but have seen illegal parking especially near Halifax and outside what was the Coop. Have seen cars illegally park for up to half an hour even on double yellow lines. No traffic wardens to be seen.
184. Doesn't effect me wasn't aware there was an issue
185. Feel uncomfortable when they hang around the pavement point
186. It's a crime and shouldn't be tolerated at all
187. Never seen this.
188. There is nearly always someone at a pay machine on the market place car park. Why are they never removed from this area.
189. Move them out of the centre tell them they are not welcome
190. You need to enforce this in market place car park, beggars now asking for used tickets with time left on them & selling them to the public
191. Again a Disgrace... These Persons are Beggar's and a disgrace to the Town, and on no account should they be given Money. The Town Wardens/ Car Park attendants/ Police should make them leave the Area. so embarrassing for us all but more so for Female members of the Public
192. do not allow to happen
193. Not acceptable at all
194. I haven't witnessed it
195. Some undesirable People will try obtain money by any means
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
197. Keep
198. Reference answer 10
199. There are still a large percentage of people who do not have access to the parking app. for whatever reason, especially visitors to the city, and therefore still need to use cash, and persons loitering around the machines will deter them. Other cities/towns use other parking apps, or have dedicated mobile payment numbers.
200. It's intimidating and frightening to go into a car park and see groups like this.
201. Not too bad
202. Dirty beggars
203. More police on the beat may help this situation.
204. More police on the street.
205. Can be intimidating for women
206. N A
207. This is a waste of time
208. There can only be one reason for interfering with parking equipment and that is to avoid paying the required fee. That is dishonest activity and should be treated as such. It is either theft or fraud.
209. More control
210. I agree with it.
211. Find these drop outs jobs unpaid preferably and get them doing something useful

212. I don't understand what someone achieves by interfering with the equipment but if it is a problem then yes keep it in place, otherwise it is going to have an effect on ordinary people wanting to park.

213. More CCTV should be installed to capture any patterns of activity

214. Definitely

215. Supported by monitored cameras better.

216. I personally have not noticed any of above.

217. Makes you feel uncomfortable

218. Doesn't promote a safe place to be.

219. Don't go into town

220. As above

221. Have never seen any.

222. As above

223. Move them on

224. It intimidates people

225. Feel intimidated

226. Not seen this I can not comment

227. How is this enforced?

228. Removal of all people

229. Raises concerns

230. I'd prefer this leaving in as we don't want the parking machines compromising

231. Same as the last two answers (arrest them)

233. As above answers

234. Its intimidating and often they have drink in them

235. It's obvious

236. This should stop.

237. Normally I walk or bus into city centre. so I have not witnessed that

238. I don't park in town so can't comment on this.

239. "I'd suggest that although incidents may have dropped once people know not checking could increase again

240. One of the last times I was in the city and using meter , guy there sat underneath to be fair he did tell us it wasn't working and how to use it , haha . "

241. ENSURE THAT THIS IS ENFORCED

242. Haven't seen anything

243. Whilst there has been a reduction in this problem, it makes sense to continue to include it whilst there are still machines which can be vandalised

244. Stronger

245. I think it's the prohibition is effective

246. It needs more than prohibition on all these counts. Support for those on drugs and provision of accommodation for the homeless.

247. As previously stated police too stretched to deal with all this type of incident

248. No comment

249. Druggies trying to get money

250. [REDACTED]

251. "Doncaster since I was young has changed beyond recognition it was a thriving town centre lots of good jobs. Now we have none & are building on every green space yet no good jobs for people. The one good thing the Airport gone & nothing done until it closed. If I was younger I would leave Even the racing spoilt by to many getting drunk.

253. "

254. The parking card payment machines are a damn nightmare bring back the car park attendants please it,s infuriating especially to the older generation

256. I agree

257. Not a problem I have experienced

258. It's fine as it is

259. More enforcement

260. Not experienced

261. I have never witnessed this

262. Keep as is

263. Appropriate measure

264. Prohibit

265. Yet again the council think by moving people out of the city is the answer, if they can't make money they tend to destroy it after all it's not their problem

266. N reason

267. Need to stop vandalism

268. As above.

269. This needs to be enforced

270. There should be more attendants at parking areas

271. Again, what is this in the questionnaire, when the answer is obvious!

272. Should be moved on warned

273. I really don't think this should be dropped, car parking crime will go through the roof if it's not managed.

274. Any decent person wouldn't do it.

275. If they are interfering with equipment then this is an unlawful act and must be treated as such.

276. I don't see this too often. The machines outside Relish got changed. They all need to be card only.

277. Suggestion to remove seems to contradict PSPO number 2 which suggests there are issues around car parks?

278. As I have suggested, more police presence

279. Some people just want to break things. Or try and steal what they can. They should be banned from the town centre

280. No further comments

281. Not acceptable behavior.

282. no prob

283. I have seen many homeless people checking the machines after someone leaves. Checking for change or money left behind

284. Yes, good idea. it has helped. keep it up

285. But have more traffic wardens

286. please read my comments above

287. It's a game to some because they know they can get away with it.

288. Accelerate all parking fees to contactless payment - bearing in mind complexities for senior citizens

289. Stands to reason up to no good

290. Can't think of a genuine case to be doing this unless the meter is broken.

291. Nobody should be interfering with any equipment

292. If you employed some street cleaners it would be a start

293. Ditto

294. I think this should be kept

295. Again I am not aware of this problem

296. Not noticed this.

297. As above

298. Tougher deterrents

299. Happy for this to be removed as recommended in the report.
300. If this is covered by point 7 change it
301. Have the police involved to enforce attempted theft
302. Ban for life
303. Ban them from the city centre for a year
304. as above
305. Lock them up
306. You see the same people hanging around the market car park, they should be excluded from town
307. Tampering with official equipment instant arrest
308. "As per 6
309. The point I am making is the prohibition needs to be changed as it currently appears there is no prohibition."
310. Make it an offence punishable with fine or imprisonment
311. Ban them
312. This makes me uncomfortable
313. Make it tougher
314. Add pressing charges on the spot.
315. Make sure this never happens.
316. don't know what these PSPO's are
317. This is on the increase so needs more monitoring.
318. Put them on free car cleaning
319. All equipment is there for a reason and should not be interfered with.
320. Did not have this 30 years ago
321. make it a risk based prohibition
322. Be stricter
323. This happens often, they move when police turn up but otherwise will lurk
324. They should be jailed for 6 months
325. Expand
326. Arrest and charge as a criminal offence
327. Tougher punishment
328. As discussed not many people use coins to pay for parking, its all on apps, i do think that the cost of the app parking fee should NOW reduce, why should i pay more just because I'm using an App.
329. As above
330. As with my previous comments
331. The penalty should be increased
332. Contactless or chip passes should be norm
333. As before.
334. More has to be done
335. Charge them
336. Tampering with public property should carry a prosecution
337. These type of people are out to cause problems for others who do not deserve this when they park their cars for a few hours
338. See reason as my previous comments
339. Enforce it..
340. Make it more severe
341. not working
342. Make it punishable
343. Don't pass a law you can't enforce
344. Punishment is needed
345. Arrestvtgem straight away.
346. Again make punishment harsher make it a crime or they will continue to do so.
347. more action- people on bikes checking meters etc for coins constantly- puts me off using them.

348. As previous answer.

349. Make it stricter, and actually enforce it!

350. Sounds a very specific issue. Are all the parking machines cashless now? If not they should be. Or better still have free parking and attract people to the city centre. Wombwell town centre is vibrant and pleasant. With lots of nearby free parking. Barnsley centre is far more pleasant than Doncaster.

351. Not really sure TBH

352. Fine them

353. Toughen up what ever is in place there's no need to interfere with such apparatus

354. Enforcement is required

355. They need to be prosecuted properly, not let go.

356. Same as 15 and 16

357. Make it stricter

358. Needs sorting out

359. And something about approaching car park customers under the pretence of helping for payment

360. There should be no parking charges in car parks. Road parking meters should accept cash or card.

361. Why would they do that?

362. It should be tougher ban them from city centre for a month

363. Needs to be clamped down in car parks in particular

364. Can't see it

365. Prohibition needs to be strengthened

366. Like all my other comments

367. Have more PCSO's to help people move on quickly and safely.

368. I do not really understand the question

369. Improve the policing of it.

370. Once again read other comments

371. Stiff penalties and banned from town centre and car parks.

372. Lifetime ban

373. Should be prohibited, it still happens

374. Enforce it.

375. Disgrace

376. Employ people to stop this.

377. As above

378. Needs to be much stricter - with consequences. I witnessed this once and photographed it - the Police knew who it was - but still this happens and is very destructive.

379. See this behaviour most of the time, officer's should walk them out of the City Centre

380. As before

381. "The meters are really brilliant in council car parks

382. So lets be really really strict with people who want to faff about with them "

383. Fine

384. Make it an offence

385. How do you know they are not standing waiting to use a parking metre? Give them 5 minutes or more and move them on if more than 15 minutes; but how can that be policed? Adjust the prohibition somehow.

386. Make it harsher

387. Remove them and prosecution if they return

388. Should be stricter

389. Things in place aren't working, they need to be assessed again

390. just put more patrols on the streets, proper policing is what is needed

391. Need banning for 6 months

392. See answer to 8 above.

393. I don't like parking my car as have been hassled for money over the years

394. Make bans for a month and up to six months

395. Get rid
396. Lock them up
397. Issue them with an order to stay out of the city centre and issue a hefty fine
398. Prosecute the individual in all cases, this is a crime that needs punishment.
399. Increase the measures
400. See previous.
401. They should also be fined/prosecuted.
402. Same as all other answers
403. Make it stronger or enforce it more
404. Street cameras and traffic wardens
405. A man showed my friend and I how to use the parking meter he didn't need to be there my friend gave him a pound
406. I've ticked "change the prohibition" because I believe Doncaster has more serious problems to tackle, for example drug use and begging.
407. Should be monitored and incur some sort of fine as deters people from using the car parks
408. Ban from entering Doncaster
409. Not working.
410. Reflect people's comments - obviously should not be allowed but again how is it being policed and should be given a higher fine and some kind of community service perhaps cleaning cars for free.
411. Have car park attendants back instead of machines
412. n/a
413. make it harder
414. Stop people doing this
415. If it doesn't belong to you then don't touch it if found to be lurking around a particular place or object then one must prove it's theirs or move all Ng.
416. Keep them away
417. Stop it all
418. Arrest and charge
419. I have not witnessed this. But the fact that there is a prohibition order in place tells me that it probably needs better policing
420. Fine
421. Make all machines cashless and parking receipts accepted as a discount in shops.
422. Put a stop to this altogether
423. ditto
424. Enforce the rules!!!!
425. Unless the parking equipment is faulty and people are trying to get their money back jammed in the machine
426. Refer to answer above - THERE IS NO DETERRANT
427. Ban the offender
428. Why are these people not banned from coming to the city centre
429. As above
430. Not sure what the prohibition is but something needs to be done regarding anti social behaviour as it is often frightening and very unsettling.
431. Should imagine there are cameras everywhere to combat the situation.
432. Bring criminal proceedings
433. Again a much stronger response and more policing.
434. Paying machine was interfered with
435. As I keep saying no evidence of anything being done
436. As answer 14 above
437. Make them pay for all damage done
438. Yet again, same answer.
439. Read the above comments

440. As above
441. Self evident
442. Again anti social and potentially criminal activity, perpetrators should be arrested and then banned from the area if no actual offence identified.
443. Move them on and depending on the person it can be very intimidating
444. More stringent regulations
445. See 5
446. Tampering with parking equipment is an offence, and offenders should be taken away and charged for doing so.
447. [REDACTED]
448. Apply the law to the full extent. banning from area.
449. Prosecute and fine them and exclude from the city centre
450. More police officers with 0 tolerance more arrests
451. Give only one warning before arresting them.
452. attempted theft lock them up
453. It's happening every day on the market and near relish - tighten it up
454. NOBODY TAKES ANY OF THESE SERIOUSLY.
455. Nothing is working!!!
456. They should be deemed to be committing antisocial behaviour
457. I don't know what the current prohibition is
458. MAKE IT AN OFFENCE, WHAT SORT OF SOCIETY DO WE LIVE IN. MY FATHER SPENT 5 YEARS IN THE SEND WORLD WAR FIGHTING TO GIVE PEOPLE FREEDOM AND WE ABUSE IT.
459. harsher punishments make it an actual punishment that makes people think its not worth it
460. This should be included
461. fined or arrested if caught interfering with machines
462. More police
463. There should be nobody standing around meters unless you are parking a car
464. Ban them for weeks
465. Criminal damage vandalism charges
466. Ban it totally
467. Beggars have started loitering around them now. You don't feel safe.
468. Again, more Police patrolling is needed.
469. Needs stopping
470. Enforce the order as you do not at present why have it if you don't do something with it
471. You don't act on it
472. Enforcement required
473. more monitoring / surveillance / cameras so people get caught and pay for the actions they do.
474. Ban them from town centre.
475. Needs sorting out
476. People hanging round machines in market car park begging
477. Charge them with criminal damage
478. Anyone found interfering with parking equipment should be arrested.
479. No one should be touching/ de-facing parking equipment
480. More policing and security also consequences for failure to comply
481. Common sense needs to apply
482. Have stricter laws
483. Dont know what this prohibition is either, but again is it actually working???
484. Prosecute
485. Need to be tougher on
486. Lock em up
487. Longer and stricter
488. Needs Enforcement, more visible enforcement officers

489. Whatever you are doing isn't working! This continues.
490. [REDACTED]
491. Stronger punishment response. Unless there is real deterrent the behaviour will continue
492. Those people should be fined
493. Make it harder .
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
496. Zero tolerance
497. More police!
498. Punishment needed, it's theft
499. These are wannabe criminals ban them from the city centre
500. They should be prosecuted and banned from the city centre for at least a week with longer bans for repeat offenders.
501. Another reason not to use the town centre
502. Need for stricter rules on unsocial behaviour to attract more public to use the city and know their cars are safe.
503. Prosecute
504. I don't drive so I haven't been affected by this but again it must not be nice to have people loitering around them if you need to use them
505. Employ more traffic wardens and support staff.
506. Lock them up.
507. Make it harder for this to happen
508. Anyone doing should be reported and dealt with this accordingly.
509. There is no enforcement by the council. Without enforcement, the prohibition is pointless and has no effect.
510. Ok to remove if not an issue
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
512. However car parks are becoming less accessible to people who wish to use cash
513. Most are cashless so not the issue it once was
514. Make parking free!
515. What's the point?
516. Abolish the paid parking zones and redirect resources to create additional positions in the police force. This will be a benefit for the revitalization of the city center, from the perspective of regular people, and may attract investors to the downtown area.
517. We can pay online
518. No body cares about parking machines
519. Make parking free which removes this
520. Not witnessed this around car parks when parking in the city centre.
521. It's can be covered by early amendments.
522. I haven't observed this.
523. Make parking free, no need for machines
524. This could be dropped as the loitering around the parking machines is covered in number 2
525. Follow the suggestion
526. I assume that someone tampering with such equipment would be challenged anyway.
527. Agree
528. We are not affected by this
529. No longer needed
530. Concentrate on stopping pavement parking maybe? On going nuisance
531. Not aware of this issue at all.
532. I do not think this is needed

533. Could cause issues for people who do not have access to pay parking by any other means than cash

534. No longer required

535. agree with PSP0 number 7

536. As the change suggests it is covered in proposed changes to number 2

537. agree with no7

538. Many of the parking meters have been changed over to accept card payment only - an increase in this facility would solve the problem completely in relation to parking machines

539. No longer important as Ringo supercedes

540. There are laws in place and police have powers to deal with such behaviours with out the prohibition.

541. No comment

542. Contactless payment has reduced the problem

543. I don't wish...

544. Reasons for dropping seem acceptable

545. Why should elderly people be frightened to use the market due to the unwanted beggars

546. It's not being enforced

547. Alternative methods of payment ie via card also need to be accessible

548. See response to loitering above

549. They are too busy talking to notice

550. No

551. "Drop it

552. Ok.

553. Agree with rationale to drop this

554. Get rid of parking equipment and parking charges

555. Addressed in number 2

556. Surely that's criminal damage and doesn't need a PSPO number to stop it, criminal damage is criminal damage.

557. This is not an issue I have encountered in Doncaster. Indeed whenever I have parked in Doncaster, I have paid using the app.

558. Tougher penalties are needed

559. deal with it

560. agree

561. Evidence appears to suggest that this is no longer a problem and is covered in prohibition #2

562. As previous

563. Providing that all cash units have been removed

564. If evidence shows this is no longer a problem there is no need for the prohibition

565. More overkill.

566. People have moved to supermarket doorways, unfortunately.

567. Never seen this behavior

568. Seven, are you getting my feelings yet

569. The current prohibition order is definitely not working and needs to be strengthened to its strongest possible level.

570. Never noticed

571. Drop it and catch them and put a order on the to keep them away .

572. I have not seen much evidence of this happening

[REDACTED]

574. I have never seen this, so the prohibition must have worked.

575. "It isn't working as there are still lots of issues with people begging and groups of young people intimidating people in the city centre.

576. The current prohibition goes some way to addressing this but perhaps not enough also there are rarely any police out and about therefore no one to enforce the rules. "

577. "As long as parking pay machines are covered by PSPO number 7. People loitering at such places is intimidating and should not be tolerated.

578. Parking Apps are not user friendly especially for older people and can be confusing to use. The ability to pay cash should be available. However the Council should consider allowing 2 hours free parking to attract more people in to the Centre."
579. There are enough cameras around town !! WHO is watching them ? Your brilliant ideas are so money orientated its a joke.
580. Remove parking equipment.
581. Parking equipment in city centre should be modern and monitored and covered by normal police powers to control vandalism , more important that people are parking safely and considerately.
582. I agree that including loitering around car park pay machines (PSPO 2) negates the need for this section
583. stop charging, will help regenerate the patronage of the city centre.
584. Criminal act lock them up
585. Better public transport should be provided. Some areas have dire bus services which forces people to use cars
586. as mentioned earlier, most are now covered by an app, so not sure how many of them have enough money to make it worth it
587. People should not be touching parking machines or interfering with them.