



## **PUBLICATION OF DECISION LIST NUMBER 31/16-17**

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<b>DECISIONS</b>								
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<b>CALL – IN UPDATE –</b>								
Please note no decisions have been called in for review from previously published lists.								

**LIST REFERENCE: 1/31/16-17**

<b>SUBJECT TITLE OF THE REPORT</b>							
DISABLED PERSON' PARKING BAYS – REVISED CRITERIA & INTRODUCTION OF EXCLUSIVE BAYS							
<b>Part 1 or 2 (relevant exempt Paragraph)</b>	<b>Wards affected by decision</b>	<b>Decision taken by</b>	<b>Date Decision comes in to effect</b>	<b>Interest declared in respect of the Decision</b>	<b>Category of decision (i.e. Key, Non- Key, Council, Urgent)</b>	<b>Contact Details</b>	<b>Eligible for Call-in &amp; Date to be called in by</b>
Part 1	All	Cabinet Member for Environment (Cllr Anderson)	Monday 17 October 2016	None	Key Decision KD4296	David B Taylor 020 8379 3576	Friday 14 October 2016
<b>DECISION:</b>							
<b>AGREED:</b> Subject to no call-in being received, the following decision will come into effect on Monday 17 October 2016: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That approval be given:               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) To update the eligibility criteria for disabled persons' parking bays, as set out in Para 4.5 of the report.</li> <li>b) To provide disabled persons' parking bays in the special circumstance set out in paragraph 4.9 of the report, subject to the relevant non-disability criteria also being met;</li> <li>c) To introduce a charge of £110 in cases where an independent mobility assessment is required;</li> <li>d) To introduce all future disabled person's parking bays as 'exclusive' bays for specific permit holders</li> <li>e) To introduce a charge of £200 to cover the Council's costs in converting, if requested, an existing disabled persons' parking bay into an 'exclusive' bay.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>							
<b>ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:</b>							
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. No change – the current arrangements could be kept in place, with just minor changes to update the existing eligibility criteria. This is not recommended as it fails to address the growing problem where bays intended for specific individuals are occupied by others with a blue badge.</li> <li>2. Charge for new exclusive bays – the original proposal was to continue to offer general use bays free of charge but to charge for exclusive bays. However, the cost of providing both types of bay is the same and such a two-tier system may be perceived as unfair.</li> </ol>							
<b>REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS:</b>							
The proposals will bring the existing eligibility criteria up to date; provide greater flexibility in cases where the criteria are not met but there is a genuine need for a disabled bay; and offer residents an additional type of bay guaranteed for their exclusive use.							
<b>BACKGROUND</b>							
Please note that a copy of the Part 1 report is available via the Decision list link on the Council's Democracy pages.							