

**Decision Record – Stratford-on-Avon District Council
(Off-Street Parking Places) Order 2013**

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| Cabinet Portfolio Holder taking the decision | Cllr Peter Butlin Transport and Planning |
| Date of Decision (not before: 21 st June 2013) | 24/06/2013 |

Decision Taken

That I, as Portfolio Holder for Transport and Planning, consent to the making of the Stratford-upon-Avon Off-Street Parking Places Order 2013.

Reasons for Decisions

Stratford-upon-Avon District Council is proposing to:-

- i) Extend public opening hours for Church Street car park to cover all weekends and Bank Holidays and from 4pm to 8am on weekdays;
- ii) Rename the following car parks:-

Current Name

Proposed Name

Riverside Car Park
Bridgefoot Car Park
Unicorn Meadow Car Park

Leisure Centre Car Park
Bridgeway Car Park
Bridgeway Surface Car Park

- iii) Introduce pay by phone and credit/debit card payment options;
- iv) Introduce “virtual” permits based around hand held automatic number plate recognition;
- v) Require the display of parking tickets on the dashboard rather than the windscreen; and
- vi) Clarify that it would be a contravention to park a vehicle otherwise than in a bay indicated for the parking of vehicles (with a view to introducing charging points for electric vehicles to be dealt with outside the 2013 Order)..

It is not expected that any of the proposed changes will result in an impact on-street.

Background Information

Stratford-on-Avon District Council (SDC) is proposing to make a new Off-Street Parking Places Order to give effect to various changes agreed by its Cabinet that are designed to improve the off-street parking offer in Stratford-upon-Avon. Some of these changes relating to the rationalisation of parking charges have already been implemented as a variation to the existing Off-Street Parking Places Order and will be incorporated in the new Order. The County Council’s consent is needed to the making of a new Order.

Financial Implications

It is possible that there will be a financial impact, albeit small, on the income from on-street parking as a result of the extension of public opening hours for Church Street car park. It is not possible to predict the extent of any impact at this stage. Any impact on the budget will be managed within the service.

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| Head of Service | Graeme Fitton |
| Strategic Director | Monica Fogarty |
| Portfolio Holder | Councillor Peter Butlin |

Checklist

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| Urgent matter? | No |
| Confidential or Exempt? (State the category of exempt information) | N/a |
| Is the decision contrary to the budget and policy framework? | No |

List of Reports considered - please attach a copy of the report

Published report from report author.

List of Background Papers - please include a contact for access to background papers

None.

Members and officers consulted or informed – please include any comments

Portfolio Holder – Councillor Peter Butlin
 All Strategic Directors
 Legal – Ian Marriott, Serena Cammish, Ian Marriot
 Finance – Liz Firmstone
 Equality – Minakshee Patel
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All relevant Local Members