Paper Petition Details

Changes to Parking Regulations in Burlington Avenue

We the undersigned request a change in the parking restrictions on Burlington Avenue so that they only apply from 9am to 6pm rather than the current 8am to 7pm.

This petition was received on 15th December 2010.

This petition was passed to the Engineer - Parking Development on 15th December 2010.

Final Results	
Number of Signatures	13

Council Response

Thank you for submitting the petition on behalf of the residents of Burlington Avenue, requesting a reduction in the enforceable hours of the residents permit scheme from Monday-Saturday 8am-7pm to Monday-Saturday 9am-6pm.

We have considered this request and unfortunately will not be taking this request forward. Reducing the enforceable hours on these roads will increase the level of non permit holder parking in the area. This will have a detrimental effect on the number of available spaces for permit holders as parking outside restricted hours is unregulated and can not be enforced by the Council. Historically on surrounding roads we have received complaints of non permit holders parking on the road outside of the enforceable hours, making it difficult for residents to find a parking space, especially in the evenings. Due to the 1 hour free parking allowed during the restricted hours, reducing the enforceable hours to 6pm will mean that non residents can park as early as 5pm, reducing the amount of space available to residents.

I hope you can understand why we have made this decision, and if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact the Engineer - Parking Development.