

Paper Petition Details

Everard Avenue Waiting and Parking Restrictions

We the residents of Everard Avenue, Slough, hereby wish to make a representation in response to the proposed new parking restrictions.

We believe that the proposed changes for introducing permit parking 7 days a week 24 hours a day is a draconian and unnecessary change as it will place severe restrictions on family and friends visiting in the absence of any alternative off street parking, visitor permits or pay and display facilities. This is likely to be hugely disruptive, unworkable and unfair and will only serve to make matters worse for the majority of the residents.

Whilst we understand that the Council has received a complaint with regard to parking difficulties we believe that the existing parking arrangements are working well for the majority of residents and have done so for a number of years due to neighbourly co-operation, understanding and respect.

We also do not believe that there are any significant issues regarding non residents parking which has been helped by the fact that there is no longer any access to the high street through Adelphi Gardens. In conclusion, we consider that the existing arrangements should remain in place.

Existing Parking Sign

Mon – Fri 8am – 5pm permit holders or pay at machine with a max stay of 3 hours.

NOTE

In the Council's letter the existing parking sign on drawing No PD/17/18 Chalvey 07 is **incorrectly shown as 8am – 6pm**



This petition was received on 15th October, 2019.

This petition was passed to the Team Leader, Parking Services on 15th October, 2019.

This petition was responded to by the Team Leader, Parking Services on 24th October, 2019.

Final Results

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| Number of Signatures | 10 |
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Council Response

I am writing to you in response to your petition regarding the proposal to amend the parking restrictions on Everard Avenue.

The consultation you are referring to started on 25th January 2019 and ended Thursday 14th February 2019. We were only accepting representations to the proposal during this

period. As this time period has elapsed and we received limited representations, we proceeded with the proposal scheme, completed the legal order and the restrictions should now be amended on street.

Whilst as residents you feel the amended restrictions will reduce parking your visitors, we proposed this scheme after assessing the usage of all the pay and display machines in the Borough. As a few locations, of which Everard Avenue was one, were showing to have low usage it was apparent that the pay and display element of the previous restriction wasn't being utilised much.

As part of a residents permit scheme, residents can purchase visitors vouchers and therefore this is what you would need to use if your visitors would now like to park in these bays.

Finally I have taken note of your comments regarding the error on the plan, please accept my apologies for this.

I hope this information helps however if you have any further questions then please do not hesitate to contact me.