

Appendix D

Withdean Area Light Touch Residents Parking Scheme Consultation Report December 2022

Background

In June 2022, residents in the Withdean Area were written to in order to gauge whether there was support for a residents parking scheme.

The results from this initial consultation showed that 87.5% supported the introduction of a residents parking scheme with a preference being for a 7-day light-touch scheme (62.5% light-touch scheme, 65% Monday to Sunday). At the September 2022 Environment, Transport and Sustainability Committee a decision was made to carry out a consultation a full-consultation for a light touch scheme.

Headline Findings

The consultation received a response rate of 55.8%.

Support for a resident parking scheme:

- 89% of respondents support the implementation of a residents' parking scheme.
- 11% of respondents do not support the implementation of a residents' parking scheme

Operating hours

- 80.6% would like a scheme to operate 9am to 10am and 1pm to 2pm
- 19.4% would prefer different hours of operation

Methodology

Brighton & Hove City Council Land and Property Gazetteer was used to provide 181 property addresses in the proposed Withdean Area scheme boundary. An information leaflet and detailed map were sent to each address. The consultation ran from 7 November to 27 November 2022.

Results

101 responses were received giving a response rate of 55.8%.

Q1 Would you like a parking scheme in your area? (response base 100¹)

Yes		No		Total
Number	%	Number	%	
89	89.0	11	11.0	100

Results on a street-by-street basis were as follows: (response base 100)

¹ Response base = number of people answering this question (some respondents didn't answer all questions)

Q1 Would you like a parking scheme in your area?

Street	Number properties mailed	Number responses	Response rate %	Yes		No	
				Number	%	Number	%
Blackthorn Close	6	5	83.3	5	100	0	0
Dyke Road Place	8	4	50.0	4	100	0	0
Wayland Avenue	67	50	74.6	43	86.0	7	14.0
Wayland Heights	6	3	50.0	3	100	0	0
Withdean Avenue	35	11	31.4	7	63.6	4	36.4
Withdean Close	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Withdean Road	54	27	50.0	27	100	0	0
TOTAL	181	100	55.2	89	89.0	11	11.0

Q2 Would you like the scheme to operate from 9-10am and 1-2pm?

Yes		No (I would like different hours of operation)		Total
Number	%	Number	%	
75	80.6	18	19.4	93

Q2b

Those respondents who answered 'no' for Question 2 could suggest alternative timings for the scheme. A number of respondents chose not to suggest specific time slots: 8 asked for a full scheme / all day(s) scheme and two respondents asked for evenings or more hours.

Other times asked for were:

Time slot	Number of times mentioned
9-10am	2
8-10am	1
1-2pm	1
2-3pm	1
7-8pm	1

Q3 Respondents were asked whether they are a resident, a business owner or manager or work in the area. (Respondents could tick more than one option).

	Number of responses
Resident	99
Business owner or manager	5
Work in the area	4
Other	1

Q4 How many cars in your household?

No. of cars	Number of responses
0	7
1	33
2	42

3	14
4 or more	2

Q5a What type of business do you own or manage in the area?

What type of business?	Number of responses
Retail outlet	1
Office-based	3
Other includes: Landscaping, Salon, Consultancy	3
Total responses	7

Q5b How many vehicles are directly associated with your business?

No. of vehicles	Number of responses
0	1
1	3
2	0

Q7 Any further comments?

An open text box enabled respondents to add comments. These comments were grouped together and themed as follows:³ Comments mentioned more than once are listed in the following table:

Comments made	Number of times mentioned
Need scheme ASAP	6
Want traffic calming / more double yellow lines	5
Want scheme Monday to Friday only	3
In favour of scheme	3
Will stop long term / commuter parking	2
Want a full scheme	2
Want 20mph	2
Don't want double yellow lines over driveways	2
This is purely a money-making exercise	2

Unhappy about the hours proposed	2
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Demographic Information

Age	Number	%
18-24	0	0
25-34	0	0
35-44	6	9.7
45-54	10	16.1
55-64	17	27.4
65-74	9	14.5
75+	20	32.3
Total	62	100

Gender	Number	%
Male	33	51.6
Female	31	48.4
Non-Binary	0	0
Total	64	100

Do you identify as the gender you were assigned at birth?	Number	%
Yes	59	98.3
No	1	1.7
Total	60	100

Disability	Number	%
Yes, a little	8	12.7
Yes, a lot	6	9.5
No	49	77.8
Total	63	100

Of those who answered “yes”, disabilities were as follows:

Please state the type of impairment which applies to you.	Number
Physical impairment	11
Sensory impairment	0
Learning disability/ difficulty	0
Long-standing illness	5
Mental health condition	3
Development condition	0
Autistic Spectrum	0
Other	1

Ethnic Origin		Number	%
White	White English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	56	87.5
	Irish	0	0
	Gypsy or Irish Traveller	0	0
	Any other white background	4	6.3
Asian or Asian British	Bangladeshi	0	0
	Indian	2	3.1
	Pakistani	0	0
	Chinese	0	0
	Any other Asian background	0	0
Black or Black British	African	0	0
	Caribbean	0	0
	Any other Black background	0	0
Mixed	Asian & White	0	0
	Black African & White	0	0
	Black Caribbean & White	0	0
	Any other mixed background	0	0
Any other ethnic group	Arab	0	0
	Any other ethnic group	2	3.1
Total		64	100

Sexual Orientation	Number	%
Bisexual	0	0
Gay Man	4	6.5
Heterosexual/ straight	57	91.9
Lesbian/ Gay Woman	1	1.6
Other	0	0
Total	62	100

Religious Belief	Number	%
I have no particular religion or belief	20	33.3
Buddhist	1	1.7
Christian	29	48.3
Hindu	2	3.3
Jain	0	0
Jewish	1	1.7
Muslim	2	3.3
Pagan	0	0
Sikh	0	0
Agnostic	0	0
Atheist	4	6.7
Other	1	1.7
Other philosophical belief	0	0
Total	60	100

Are you a carer	Number	%
Yes	11	17.2
No	53	82.8
Total	64	100

If yes, do you care for a:	Number
Parent	4
Partner or Spouse	6
Child with special needs	1
Friend	0
Other family member	0
Other	0

Armed Forces	Yes		No	
	Number	%	Number	%
Are you currently serving in the UK armed forces?	0	0	58	100
Have you ever served in the UK armed forces?	3	5.1	56	94.9
Are you a member of a current or former serviceman or woman's immediate family/ household?	2	3.4	57	96.6



