



PROPOSED RESIDENT PARKING SCHEME CONSULTATION

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED



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Dear Householder/Proprietor,

Statutory consultation: Ebbens Road- Controlled Parking Zone

Dacorum Borough Council proposes to implement parking controls on Ebbens Road to prioritise residents. A Controlled Parking Zone proposal is to improve the safety and environment through deterring commuters from parking inappropriately which results in serious inconvenience to the residents living in the zone and local area. This consultation will run from **30 June 2021** until **23 July 2021**.

Dacorum Borough Council propose the following to achieve these objectives:

- Introduction of resident parking scheme for Ebbens Road
- Hours of operation of the parking zone to be **Monday – Friday 9am to 6pm** and **Saturday and Sunday 10am to 1pm**
- Maximum of three vehicle permits per household for eligible addresses on Ebbens Road, within blue boundary indicated on the accompanying plan, each one registered to a separate individual.
- Maximum of one vehicle permit per household for addresses within red boundary indicated on the accompanying plan (Lawn Lane and Belswains Green). These properties are not eligible to obtain visitor parking sessions.
- Proof of residency is required.
- Vehicles must be registered to the resident's address within the zone, (the area surrounded by blue line on the plan, or in the area surrounded by the red line on the plan)
- Permits and visitor parking sessions are virtual (no documents to display in vehicle) and are obtained and used through the council's website
- The current costs for annual resident permits 1st £40, 2nd £60, 3rd £80, Motorcycle £20
- Visitor parking sessions 20 pence per hour up to a maximum of 600 hours or 1200 hours for over 60s and Dacorum card holders

Multi occupancy developments with private parking areas are not eligible to obtain resident permits or visitor vouchers. Please refer to plan.

A Controlled Parking Zone will not:

- Guarantee a parking spot near your home or a parking spot at all.
- Prevent all non-permit holders from parking in the zone at all times; some will take the risk although this is likely to be minimal.
- Provide a Civil Enforcement Officer to be on patrol within the zone at all times.
- Solve the issue of resident vehicle ownership outstripping the kerb capacity to accommodate them.





The action that you can take now

Comments should be submitted in writing or via email to the address listed below, verbal representations (telephone/in person) cannot be accepted as all comments relevant to this consultation will be reported to the Council. In your response, please indicate if you **do** support or **do not** support the proposals.

Please note that no significant changes can be made to the proposals at this stage.

All consultation responses will be analysed and reported to allow DBC to determine if the proposed changes are supported by residents and stakeholders. All consultation responses will be analysed by Project Centre on behalf of Dacorum Borough Council. The dedicated email address for your consultation replies is: dacorum-consultation@projectcentre.co.uk.

When the responses from the consultation have been collated and a report produced, your councillors will decide whether or not to proceed with the changes. If it is decided to proceed with the proposals you will be informed in due course.

During this period anybody may submit comments relating to the proposals. Comments must be made in writing, and should be sent to the address at the top of this letter or via email to dacorum-consultation@projectcentre.co.uk to be received by e-mail by 23:59 on **23 July 2021** or by last postal delivery to the above address on **23 July 2021**.

Electronic copies of the documents are available for inspection online at <https://www.dacorum.gov.uk/home/community-living/parking-and-travel/waiting-restrictions> under the title "New DBC Traffic Regulation Orders" or on request by contacting parking@dacorum.co.uk until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made if introduced.

All comments received will be reported to the Council who will make a decision on how to proceed after considering the feedback from this consultation.

How will your data be used?

Data from this consultation will be collected and held by Project Centre and Dacorum Borough Council. The data will be used to produce a consultation report and to provide feedback to Councillors. Individual residents will not be identified in the consultation report without permission. The consultation report will be a public document. The Council's privacy policy can be found at the following link: <http://www.dacorum.gov.uk/home/tools/privacy-statement>

Yours sincerely,

Dacorum Borough Council working in association with Project Centre Ltd