

APPENDIX A

Area J Residents Parking Scheme Review

Background

A resident parking scheme was implemented in the Preston Circus Area (Zone J) in 2006. It was subsequently extended in 2009 to include Preston Park Avenue and again in 2010 to include London Road Station Area (south). In 2013 an extension was implemented to include the area north of London Road Station and the Roundhill area, a year later in 2014 Preston Park and Lewes Road Triangle were included. In 2018 the council received a petition from local residents commenting that the area had become too big and was leading to parking pressures in the area, particularly in the evenings. It was agreed in the parking priority timetable set in 2018 that a review be carried out in 2020/21.

Headline Findings

- 79.3% of respondents are satisfied or very satisfied with the current Area J parking scheme.
- 87.5% of respondents are happy for the scheme to remain the same.
- 13.6% of respondents want the scheme area to be split into two areas.

Methodology

In July 2021, the council wrote to 7798 property addresses within the boundaries of the Area J residents parking scheme area. Respondents were asked to complete the survey online via the council's Consultation Portal: Citizen Space. Paper copies of the questionnaire and a prepaid reply envelope were also available on request. 1128 (99.1%) responses were received online and 10 (0.9%) by mail. The consultation ran from 26 July to 6 September 2021.

Results

1138 valid responses¹ were received from within the scheme boundary giving a response rate of 14.6%. People were asked how satisfied they are with the current Area J parking scheme?

	Number	%
Very Satisfied	600	53.7
Satisfied	286	25.6
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	93	8.3
Dissatisfied	72	6.4
Very dissatisfied	66	5.9
Total	1117	100

¹ 230 responses were removed from the analysis for the following reasons: 135 gave incomplete address details, 5 were from outside the area and 90 duplicate responses.

People were then asked if they were happy for the scheme to remain the same:

	Number	%
Yes	984	87.5
No	140	12.5
Total	1124	100

And whether they wanted the scheme area to be divided into two areas as shown on the map: J1 to the south of the railway line and J2 to the north.

	Number	%
Yes	153	13.6
No	974	86.4
Total	1127	100

The two proposed areas showed different levels of support for a split as follows, but in both areas there was no overall support to split the area.

Area	Yes		No	
	No.	%	No.	%
J1	97	17.7	451	82.3
J2	56	9.7	523	90.3

Responses street by street are as follows:

How satisfied are you with the Area J residents parking scheme?

How Satisfied are you with the Area J residents parking scheme?	Number of properties mailed	Response rate (%)	Satisfied or very satisfied		Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied		Dissatisfied or very dissatisfied	
			Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Aberdeen Road	37	13.5	3	60.0	1	20.0	1	20.0
Argyle Road	94	12.8	2	16.7	1	8.3	9	75
Argyle Villas	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ashdown Road	17	29.4	4	80	0	0.0	1	20
Beaconsfield Parade	8	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Beaconsfield Road	171	5.3	5	62.5	2	25.0	1	12.5
Beaconsfield Villas	302	10.6	30	93.6	1	3.1	1	3.1
Belton Close	5	40.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0
Belton Road	41	24.4	8	88.9	1	11.1	0	0.0
Brewer Street	31	6.5	2	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
Bromley Road	92	6.5	4	66.6	1	16.7	1	16.7
Caledonian Road	67	1.5	1	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
Campbell Road	85	11.8	4	40.0	1	10.0	5	50.0

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			Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Canterbury Drive	77	2.6	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0
Chester Terrace	139	38.8	42	82.3	6	11.8	3	5.9
Cleveland Road	67	26.9	16	94.1	0	0.0	1	5.9
Clyde Road	125	16.0	11	57.9	1	5.3	7	36.9
Crescent Road	76	25.0	16	88.9	1	5.6	1	5.6
D'Aubigny Road	25	12.0	3	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ditchling Rise	385	14.5	45	81.8	5	9.1	5	9.1
Ditchling Road	425	12.7	43	79.7	3	5.6	8	14.9
Edburton Avenue	118	8.5	35	89.8	3	7.7	1	2.6
Edinburgh Road	43	2.3	1	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florence Road	196	12.2	17	70.8	1	4.2	6	25
Gerard Street	30	26.7	7	87.5	0	0.0	1	12.5
Grantham Road	99	22.2	21	95.5	1	4.5	0	0.0
Havelock Road	244	29.1	63	91.3	4	5.8	2	2.8
Hayloft Mews	4	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Inverness Road	19	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lewes Road	177	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lorne Road	21	33.3	4	57.2	1	14.3	2	28.6
Lucerne Road	22	13.6	3	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mayo Road	48	4.2	2	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
New England Road	50	4.0	1	50.0	1	50.0	0	0.0
Newport Street	22	9.1	0	0.0	1	50.0	1	50.0
Orchard Walk	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Park Crescent	103	17.5	15	83.3	1	5.6	2	11.1
Park Crescent Place	93	2.2	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Park Crescent Road	79	6.3	4	80	0	0.0	1	20.0
Park Crescent Terrace	79	6.3	5	100	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preston Circus	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preston Drove	236	18.2	34	79.1	6	14.0	3	7.0
Preston Park Avenue	356	5.3	14	73.7	2	10.5	3	15.8
Preston Road	261	4.6	10	83.4	1	8.3	1	8.3
Prince's Crescent	93	18.3	10	58.9	3	17.6	4	23.6
Prince's Road	94	31.9	29	96.7	0	0.0	1	3.3
Richmond Road	153	25.5	34	91.9	3	8.1	0	0.0
Rose Hill	31	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Round Hill Road	12	25.0	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Round Hill Street	24	12.5	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

How Satisfied are you with the Area J residents parking scheme?	Number of properties mailed	Response rate (%)	Satisfied or very satisfied		Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied		Dissatisfied or very dissatisfied	
			Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Roundhill Crescent	230	15.7	31	86.6	2	5.6	3	8.4
Rugby Road	113	27.4	26	86.6	4	13.3	0	0.0
Semley Road	19	15.8	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Shaftesbury Place	28	10.7	1	33.3	1	33.3	1	33.3
Shaftesbury Road	159	20.8	21	65.6	2	6.3	11	28.1
Southdown Avenue	78	30.8	21	91.3	1	4.3	1	4.3
Southdown Place	8	25.0	2	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Southdown Road	28	35.7	8	88.9	1	11.1	0	0.0
Springfield Road	545	8.6	26	55.3	7	14.9	14	29.8
St Andrews Road	25	40.0	9	90.0	1	10.0	0	0.0
St Martins Street	52	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
St Mary Magdalene Street	53	5.7	1	33.3	2	66.7	0	0.0
St Pauls Street	55	9.1	4	80.0	0	0.0	1	20.0
Stanford Avenue	393	12.2	40	83.4	4	8.3	4	8.3
Stanley Road	91	31.9	7	25.9	4	14.8	16	59.2
Trinity Street	27	3.7	1	100	0	0	0	0.0
Union Road	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Upper Lewes Road	325	6.2	14	70	2	10	4	20.0
Vere Road	116	14.7	13	76.5	1	5.9	3	17.6
Viaduct Road	52	1.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	100.0
Wakefield Place	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Wakefield Road	46	10.9	5	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Waldegrave Road	178	32.6	51	87.9	5	8.6	2	3.4
Warleigh Road	147	24.5	31	86.1	1	2.8	4	11.2
Winchester Street	31	32.3	6	66.7	1	11.1	2	22.2
Yardley Street	11	72.7	6	75.0	1	12.5	1	12.5
Total	7798	14.6	886	79.3	93	8.3	138	12.3

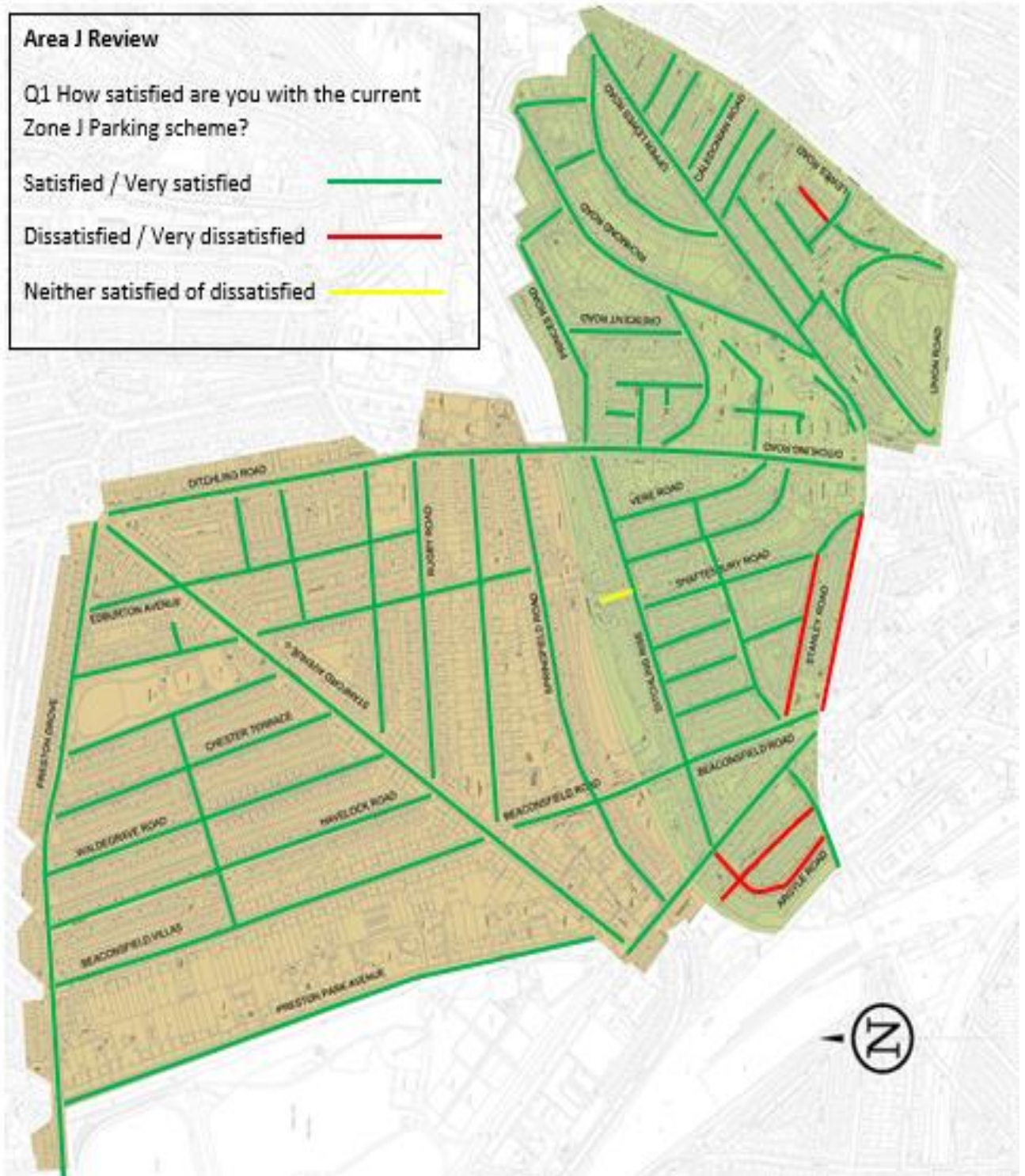
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Q1 How satisfied are you with the current Zone J Parking scheme?

Satisfied / Very satisfied —

Dissatisfied / Very dissatisfied —

Neither satisfied of dissatisfied —



People were asked if they were happy for the scheme to remain the same? Replies by street are as follows:

Street	Yes		No	
	Number	%	Number	%
Aberdeen Road	5	100.0	0	0.0
Argyle Road	3	25.0	9	75.0
Argyle Villas	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ashdown Road	4	80.0	1	20.0
Beaconsfield Parade	0	0.0	0	0.0
Beaconsfield Road	8	89.0	1	11.0
Beaconsfield Villas	31	97.0	1	3.0
Belton Close	2	100.0	0	0.0
Belton Road	9	90.0	1	10.0
Brewer Street	2	100.0	0	0.0
Bromley Road	5	83.3	1	16.7
Caledonian Road	1	100.0	0	0.0
Campbell Road	5	50.0	5	50.0
Canterbury Drive	1	50.0	1	50.0
Chester Terrace	51	94.4	3	5.6
Cleveland Road	17	94.4	1	5.6
Clyde Road	14	70.0	6	30.0
Crescent Road	17	89.4	2	10.6
D'Aubigny Road	3	100.0	0	0.0
Ditchling Rise	48	88.9	8	11.1
Ditchling Road	51	94.4	3	5.6
Edburton Avenue	38	95.0	2	5.0
Edinburgh Road	1	100.0	0	0.0
Florence Road	20	83.3	4	16.7
Gerard Street	8	100.0	0	0.0
Grantham Road	21	100.0	0	0.0
Havelock Road	67	95.7	3	4.3
Hayloft Mews	0	0.0	0	0.0
Inverness Road	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lewes Road	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lorne Road	4	57.1	3	42.9
Lucerne Road	3	100.0	0	0.0
Mayo Road	2	100.0	0	0.0
New England Road	2	100.0	0	0.0
Newport Street	0	0.0	2	100.0
Orchard Walk	0	0.0	0	0.0
Park Crescent	15	83.3	3	16.7
Park Crescent Place	2	100.0	0	0.0
Park Crescent Road	3	75.0	1	25.0
Park Crescent Terrace	4	100.0	0	0.0


Street	Yes		No	
	Number	%	Number	%
Preston Circus	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preston Drove	38	92.7	3	7.3
Preston Park Avenue	14	77.8	4	22.2
Preston Road	10	83.3	2	16.7
Prince's Crescent	12	75.0	4	25.0
Prince's Road	30	100.0	0	0.0
Richmond Road	38	100.0	0	0.0
Rose Hill	0	0.0	0	0.0
Round Hill Road	3	100.0	0	0.0
Round Hill Street	3	100.0	0	0.0
Roundhill Crescent	33	91.7	3	8.3
Rugby Road	31	100.0	0	0.0
Semley Road	3	100.0	0	0.0
Shaftesbury Place	1	33.3	2	66.7
Shaftesbury Road	23	69.7	10	30.3
Southdown Avenue	21	91.3	2	8.7
Southdown Place	2	100.0	0	0.0
Southdown Road	9	90.0	1	10.0
Springfield Road	34	73.9	12	16.1
St Andrews Road	9	90.0	1	10.0
St Martins Street	0	0.0	0	0.0
St Mary Magdalene Street	2	100.0	0	0.0
St Pauls Street	4	80.0	1	20.0
Stanford Avenue	48	100.0	0	0.0
Stanley Road	13	46.4	15	53.6
Trinity Street	1	100.0	0	0.0
Union Road	0	0.0	0	0.0
Upper Lewes Road	17	85.0	3	15.0
Vere Road	13	76.5	4	23.5
Viaduct Road	0	0.0	1	100.0
Wakefield Place	0	0.0	0	0.0
Wakefield Road	5	100.0	0	0.0
Waldegrave Road	56	96.6	2	3.4
Warleigh Road	32	88.9	4	11.1
Winchester Street	5	55.6	4	44.4
Yardley Street	7	87.5	1	12.5
Total	984	87.5	140	12.5

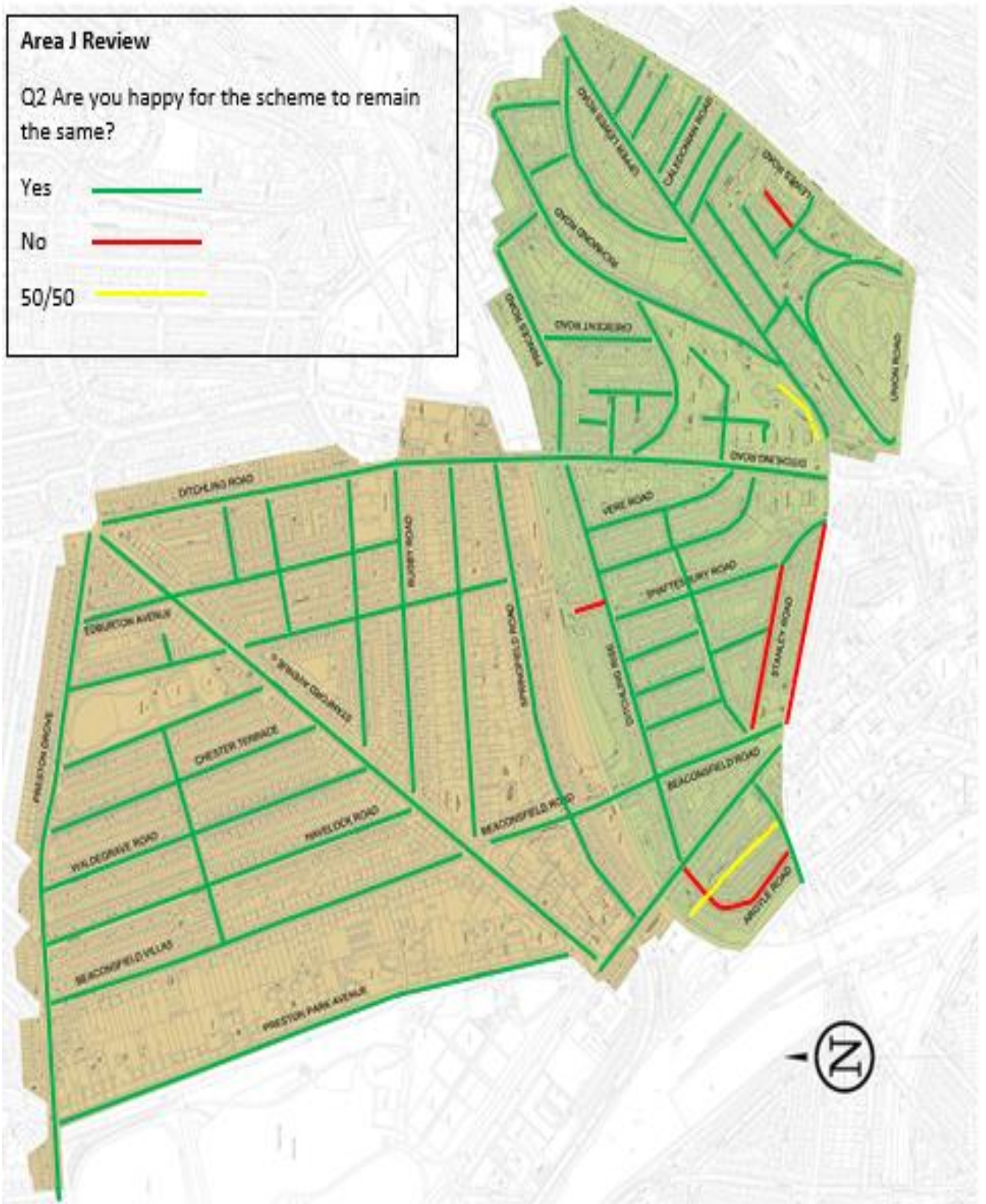
Area J Review

Q2 Are you happy for the scheme to remain the same?

Yes 

No 

50/50 



A street-by-street split for the proposed J1 and J2 areas is as follows:

Area J1 Street	Yes		No	
	No.	%	No.	%
Aberdeen Road	0	0.0	5	100.0
Argyle Road	5	41.7	7	58.3
Argyle Villas	1	20.0	4	80.0
Ashdown Road	2	25.0	6	75.0
Beaconsfield Road (part)	0	0.0	2	100.0
Belton Close	0	0.0	2	100.0
Belton Road	1	10.0	9	90.0
Brewer Street	0	0.0	2	100.0
Bromley Road	2	33.3	4	66.7
Caledonian Road	0	0.0	1	100.0
Campbell Road	3	30.0	7	70.0
Canterbury Drive	1	50.0	1	50.0
Clyde Road	5	25.0	15	75.0
Crescent Road	1	5.3	18	94.7
D'Aubigny Road	0	0.0	3	100
Ditchling Rise	7	12.5	49	87.5
Ditchling Road (part)	1	6.3	15	93.8
Edinburgh Road	0	0.0	1	100.0
Gerard Street	0	0.0	8	100.0
Inverness Road	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lewes Road	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lorne Road	3	42.9	4	57.1
Mayo Road	0	0.0	2	100.0
New England Road	0	0.0	2	100.0
Newport Street	2	100.0	0	0.0
Orchard Walk	0	0.0	0	0.0
Park Crescent	5	27.8	13	72.2
Park Crescent Place	0	0.0	2	100.0
Park Crescent Road	1	25.0	3	75.0
Park Crescent Terrace	0	0.0	4	100.0
Preston Circus	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preston Park Avenue	4	22.2	14	77.8
Preston Road (part)	2	20.0	8	80.0
Prince's Crescent	2	12.5	14	87.5
Prince's Road	0	0.0	29	100.0
Richmond Road	3	7.7	36	92.3

Area J1	Yes		No	
Street	No.	%	No.	%
Rose Hill	0	0.0	0	0.0
Round Hill Road	0	0.0	3	100.0
Round Hill Street	0	0.0	3	100.0
Roundhill Crescent	2	5.6	34	94.4
Shaftesbury Place	2	66.7	1	33.3
Shaftesbury Road	10	30.3	23	69.7
St Martins Street	0	0.0	0	0.0
St Mary Magdalene Street	1	33.3	2	66.7
St Pauls Street	1	20.0	4	80.0
Stanley Road	14	53.8	12	46.2
Trinity Street	0	0.0	1	100.0
Union Road	0	0.0	0	0.0
Upper Lewes Road	2	10.0	18	90.0
Vere Road	4	23.5	13	76.5
Viaduct Road	1	100.0	0	0.0
Wakefield Place	0	0.0	0	0.0
Wakefield Road	1	20.0	4	80.0
Warleigh Road	3	8.3	33	91.7
Winchester Street	4	44.4	5	55.6
Yardley Street	1	12.5	7	87.5
Totals	97	17.7	451	82.3

Area J2	Yes		No	
Street	No.	%	No.	%
Beaconsfield Parade	0	0.0	0	0.0
Beaconsfield Road (part)	0	0.0	1	100.0
Beaconsfield Villas	3	9.4	29	90.6
Chester Terrace	4	7.4	50	92.6
Cleveland Road	1	5.6	17	94.4
Ditchling Road (part)	2	5.3	36	94.7
Edburton Avenue	5	12.5	35	87.5
Florence Road	7	29.2	17	70.8
Grantham Road	0	0.0	22	100
Havelock Road	2	2.8	69	97.2
Hayloft Mews	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lucerne Road	0	0.0	3	100.0
Preston Drove	6	14.3	36	85.7

Area J2	Yes		No	
Street	No.	%	No.	%
Preston Road (part)	0	0.0	2	100.0
Rugby Road	1	3.2	30	96.8
Semley Road	0	0.0	3	100.0
Southdown Avenue	3	13.0	20	87.0
Southdown Place	0	0.0	2	100.0
Southdown Road	2	20.0	8	80.0
Springfield Road	16	34.0	31	66.0
St Andrews Road	1	10.0	9	90.0
Stanford Avenue	1	2.1	47	97.9
Waldegrave Road	2	3.5	55	96.5
Totals	56	9.7	523	90.3

Area J Review

Q3 Would you like the zone to be split into two areas as shown on the map?

Yes ——

No ——

50/50 ——



Respondents could make comments on what is going well, what is not going well and also general comments about the scheme:

What is going well?	No. of times mentioned
The scheme works well/ doesn't need changing	368
Parking spaces are available/ near my house	351
Can park across the zone eg at Fiveways/ shops/ parks/ town centre/ London Road	317
Long term/ commuter/ double parking has stopped	11
Enforcement levels are good	6
The area is now safer	5
TOTAL	1058

What is not going so well	No. of times mentioned
Difficult to park during evenings / overnight/ weekends	122
Permits are expensive/ make cheaper/ free/ recent hefty price hike/ don't want to pay	114
Not enough spaces/ have to park away from my house/ too many vehicles parking	69
Zone is too big/ internal commuting/ want zone split	64
Reduce/ limit number of permits issued per household/ too many flats/ HMO's/ charge more for 2nd permit	63
This is a money making exercise	33
More enforcement needed	30
Visitor permits are expensive/ should be free	28
Want different hours/ at weekends	23
Nothing is going well/ don't want scheme	15
More Electric Vehicle charging bays needed	13
More visitor permits needed	9
More cycle parking needed/ Want cycle hangar	9
Offer shorter hours visitor permits	8
Too much inconsiderate parking/ mark up bays	8
Stop parking near schools	7
Fiveways: causes problems for residents/ not enough parking for shops	7
More Pay & Display needed/ for coins/ J1 area	6
Motorcycle parking not used/ too many motorcycle bays	5
New Developments should be car free	5
Scheme has caused displacement parking	4
Events can cause parking issues	4
Reduce number of school permits	3

What is not going so well	No. of times mentioned
Difficult to drop off near school / nursery	2
Reduce costs for Low Emissions Vehicles	2
Reduce number of business permits	1
More car club bays needed	1
More motorcycle parking needed	1
Cycle parking is not used	1
TOTAL	657

Do you have any other suggested changes or comments?	No. of times mentioned
Don't split zone/ will be harder to park/ will divide the community/ no evidence for this proposal	161
Buying permits/ visitor permits/ business permits isn't easy/ timely/ online system doesn't work	30
Extend zone	13
Split differently	12
Electric vehicles chargers should be dedicated bays	5
Stop Pavement parking	3
Lack of staff answering phones	3
Want incentives to buy an Electric Vehicle	2
Extend short stay Pay & Display period	1
Rules for company cars/ cars registered elsewhere unclear	1
Doctors' bays are not used a lot of the time	1
More flexibility for van dwellers	1
TOTAL	233

Demographic Information

Age	Number	%
U18	0	0.0
18-24	14	1.2
25-34	105	9.2
35-44	230	20.2
45-54	269	23.6
55-64	239	20.9
65-74	167	14.6
75+	41	3.6
Total	1065	100

What gender are you?	Number	%
Male	456	40.0
Female	568	49.8
Non-Binary	6	5.0
Other	0	0.0
Total	1030	100

Do you identify as the gender you were assigned at birth?	Number	%
Yes	981	99.5
No	5	0.5
Total	986	100

Disability	Number	%
Yes, a little	82	8.3
Yes, a lot	47	4.7
No	862	87
Total	991	100

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

Please state the type of impairment which applies to you.	Number
Physical impairment	74
Sensory impairment	9
Learning disability/ difficulty	3
Long-standing illness	43
Mental health condition	17
Development condition	3
Autistic Spectrum	4
Other	20

How would you describe your ethnic background?		Number	%
White	White English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	842	84.2
	Irish	21	2.1
	Gypsy or Irish Traveller	0	0.0
	Any other white background	75	7.5
Asian or Asian British	Bangladeshi	2	0.2
	Indian	10	1.0
	Pakistani	1	0.1
	Chinese	5	0.5
	Any other Asian background	1	0.1
Black or Black British	African	3	0.3
	Caribbean	4	0.4
	Any other Black background	1	0.1
Mixed	Asian & White	11	1.1
	Black African & White	1	0.1
	Black Caribbean & White	1	0.1
	Any other mixed background	14	1.4
Any other ethnic group	Arab	2	0.2
	Any other ethnic group	6	0.6
Total		1000	100

How would you describe your sexuality?	Number	%
Bisexual	28	2.5
Gay Man	38	3.3
Heterosexual/ straight	758	66.4
Lesbian/ Gay Woman	21	1.8
Other	26	2.3
Total	871	100

Religious Belief	Number	%
I have no particular religion or belief	610	66.2
Buddhist	9	1.0
Christian	153	16.6
Hindu	4	0.4
Jain	0	0.0
Jewish	8	0.9
Muslim	2	0.2
Pagan	3	0.3
Sikh	1	0.1
Agnostic	13	1.4
Atheist	90	9.8
Other	14	1.5
Other philosophical belief	14	1.5
Total	921	100

Are you a carer	Number	%
Yes	147	12.9
No	886	77.7
Total	1033	100

If yes, do you care for a:	Number
Parent	85
Partner or Spouse	17
Child with special needs	24
Friend	7
Other family member	13
Other	20

Armed Forces	Yes		No	
	Number	%	Number	%
Are you currently serving in the UK armed forces?	0	0.0	946	100.0
Have you ever served in the UK armed forces?	9	1.0	869	99.0
Are you a member of a current or former serviceman or woman's immediate family/ household?	10	1.1	877	98.9

