

APPENDIX E

Withdean Area Residents Parking Scheme Initial Consultation Report July 2022

Background

The council has received a number of complaints from residents about parking issues within the Withdean area.

At the Environment, Transport & Sustainability Committee in 2019 it was agreed that residents and businesses in the Withdean area would be written to, to find out if there is general support for a resident parking scheme and if so, whether a full scheme or a light-touch scheme and what days of operation might be preferred.

If there is support for a residents parking scheme in the area, a further consultation with information about a detailed design will follow. This will give residents a further opportunity to decide on whether they are happy with detailed proposals and to offer further comments.

Headline Findings

Support for a resident parking scheme:

- 87.5% of respondents support a residents parking scheme in the area.
- 12.5% of respondents do not support a residents parking scheme in the area

Full or Light-touch scheme

- 36.5% prefer a full scheme
- 62.5% prefer a light-touch scheme

Days of Operation

- 35.0% of respondents support a Monday to Friday scheme
- 65.0% of respondents support a Monday to Sunday scheme

Methodology

Brighton & Hove City Council Land and Property Gazetteer was used to provide 181 property addresses in the proposed scheme boundary for the Withdean Area. A letter and frequently asked questions sheet were sent to each address. Respondents were invited to complete the survey and return using the pre-paid envelope. The initial consultation ran from 10 June to 10 July 2022.

Results

104 were received from within the proposed scheme boundary giving a response rate of 57.5%.

Q1 Would you like a parking scheme in your area? (response base 104¹)

Yes		No	
Number	%	Number	%
91	87.5	13	12.5

Results on a street-by-street basis were as follows:

Street	Number properties mailed	Number responses	Response rate %	Yes		No	
				Number	%	Number	%
Blackthorn Close	6	4	66.7	4	100	0	0
Dyke Road Place	8	4	50.0	4	100	0	0
Wayland Avenue	67	42	62.7	34	81.0	8	19.0
Wayland Heights	6	5	83.3	4	80.0	1	20.0
Withdean Avenue	35	16	17.1	14	87.5	2	12.5
Withdean Close	5	1	20.0	0	0	1	100
Withdean Road	54	32	59.3	31	96.9	1	3.1
TOTAL	181	104	57.5	91	87.5	13	12.5

¹ Response base = number of people answering this question

Q2 If a parking scheme were introduced, please tell us the options you would prefer? (Response base 101)

Option 1 – Full Scheme – Restricted parking 9am to 8pm

Option 2 – Light touch Scheme – two separate one-hour periods during the day

Full Scheme (9am to 8pm)		Light Touch (two periods during the day)	
Number	%	Number	%
38	37.6	63	62.4

Street	Full Scheme		Light-touch scheme	
	Number	%	Number	%
Blackthorn Close	0	0	4	100
Dyke Road Place	1	25.0	3	75.0
Wayland Avenue	9	22.0	32	78.0
Wayland Heights	1	20.0	4	80.0
Withdean Avenue	6	40.0	9	60.0
Withdean Close	0	0	1	100
Withdean Road	21	67.7	10	32.3
TOTAL	38	37.6	63	62.4

Q3 If a parking scheme were to be introduced, please tell us your preference for either a Monday to Friday (5 day) or Monday to Sunday (7 day) scheme? (response base 100)

Monday to Friday		Monday to Sunday	
Number	%	Number	%
35	35.0	65	65.0

Street	Monday to Friday		Monday to Sunday	
	Number	%	Number	%
Blackthorn Close	1	25.0	3	75.0
Dyke Road Place	1	25.0	3	75.0
Wayland Avenue	23	57.5	17	42.5
Wayland Heights	2	40.0	3	60.0
Withdean Avenue	5	33.3	10	66.7
Withdean Close	1	100	0	0
Withdean Road	2	6.5	29	93.5
TOTAL	35	35.0	65	65.0

Demographic Information

Age	Number	%
18-24	0	0
25-34	1	1.5
35-44	7	10.4
45-54	9	13.4
55-64	17	25.4
65-74	13	19.4
75+	20	29.9
Total	67	100.0

Gender	Number	%
Male	38	54.3
Female	32	45.7
Non-Binary	0	0
Other	0	0
Total	70	100.0

Do you identify as the gender you were assigned at birth?	Number	%
Yes	65	100
No	0	0
Total	65	100.0

Disability	Number	%
Yes, a little	10	14.1
Yes, a lot	7	9.9
No	54	76.1
Total	71	100.0

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

Please state the type of impairment which applies to you.	Number
Physical impairment	12
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	62	88.6
	Irish	0	0
	Gypsy or Irish Traveller	0	0
	Any other white background	3	4.3
Asian or Asian British	Bangladeshi	0	0
	Indian	2	2.9
	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	1	1.4
	Black African & White	0	0
	Black Caribbean & White	0	0
	Any other mixed background	0	0
Any other ethnic group	Arab	1	1.4
	Any other ethnic group	1	1.4
Total		76	100

Sexual Orientation	Number	%
Bisexual	1	1.5
Gay Man	4	6.2
Heterosexual/ straight	59	90.8
Lesbian/ Gay Woman	1	1.5
Other	0	0
Total	65	100

Religious Belief	Number	%
I have no particular religion or belief	22	32.8
Buddhist	2	2.5
Christian	36	53.7
Hindu	1	1.5
Jain	0	0
Jewish	2	3.0
Muslim	1	1.5
Pagan	0	0
Sikh	0	0
Agnostic	0	0
Atheist	4	6.0
Other	0	0
Other philosophical belief	0	0
Total	67	100

Are you a carer	Number	%
Yes	9	12.5
No	63	87.5
Total	72	100

If yes, do you care for a:	Number
Parent	4
Partner or Spouse	5
Child with special needs	
Friend	
Other family member	
Other	

Armed Forces

Armed Forces	Yes		No	
	Number	%	Number	%
Are you currently serving in the UK armed forces?	0	0	62	100
Have you ever served in the UK armed forces?	3	5.0	57	95.0
Are you a member of a current or former serviceman or woman's immediate family/ household?	1	1.6	60	98.4

