



## Delegated Decision Notice (DDN)

This form is used to record any delegated decision which has been taken by officers under delegated authority.

Decision title	To consider feedback from parking charges consultation
Decision date	4 <sup>th</sup> March 2024
Decision maker	Deputy Chief Executive (in consultation with Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Finance)
Source of delegation	Delegation following resolution at Cabinet 11 <sup>th</sup> January 2024.
Decision taken	To confirm the order presented subject the amendment being made regarding Tetbury West Street
Reasons for the decision	<p>Having considered the feedback from the public consultation on the parking charges, we wish to proceed to make the Order, with the amendment of Tetbury West Street where Sunday charges will now start at 12pm.</p> <p>Consultation with the Chamber of Commerce felt that there would be no wholesale objections to the introduction of Sunday charges.</p> <p>The comment made by residents in Ashcroft Road/Gardens regarding the Sunday charges and Gloucestershire County Council introducing additional charges On Street were out of CDC control. There is free parking within the Town should residents wish to park for free.</p> <p>In making the decision, officers carefully considered and had due regard to the online petition (<a href="https://www.change.org">link to petition change.org</a>) which received 1,212 signatures and 37 comments.</p> <p>On balance, the view of officers in considering the representations made through the online petition is there was no evidence provided or available support to the main point raised that “High parking fees discourage visitors and locals alike from frequenting town centre businesses, further exacerbating their financial struggles.”</p>
Alternative options considered	Considered comments made by Councillor Ind and Tetbury Town Council to change the charging time on a Sunday to 12pm. This was agreed that aligning the charges times in Church Street & West Street would reduce confusion.
Key or non-key?	Non-Key
Subject to urgency rules?	No



Affected wards	Abbey, the Beeches, St Michaels, Four Acres, Watermoor, Moreton West, Tetbury with Upton, Tetbury East and Rural, Stow-on-the-Wold.
Details of consultation undertaken	Public Notice placed in the Wilts and Glos Standard on 8 <sup>th</sup> February 2024. Statutory Consultees. Ward Members Town & Parish Councils
Lead officer	Maria Wheatley, Parking Manager
List of documents considered	Appendix A – Decision Report