

**CHILTERN DISTRICT COUNCIL
CABINET 26 AUGUST 2014**

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**CAR PARK UPDATE - DELEGATION OF POWERS RE GROUP D
SEASON TICKET**

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RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Head of Environment, in consultation with the portfolio holder, be given delegated authority to agree discounts for the 'Group D' season tickets.

Relationship to Council Objectives

Efficient and effective customer focused services – specifically ensure the best possible use of resources to achieve good value for money and an affordable level of Council Tax.

Financial Implications

Church Lane car park has spare capacity and the alteration to charges for a discounted group D season ticket is low risk.

Risk Implications

The overall risk is low

Equalities Implications

None

Sustainability Implications

None

Report

- 1 At the Cabinet meeting of the 9th July 2013 Members were requested to consider the option of a Group D season ticket specifically for Church Lane car park be introduced and to agree that officers progress the matter in consultation with the local businesses of Chalfont St Peter and delegate authority for officers in consultation with the portfolio holder to agree discounts for the Group D season ticket.

- 2 Unfortunately when this point was minuted the introduction of a Group D season ticket was approved but the matter of delegated authority was not addressed.
- 3 Whilst the Group D season ticket has been introduced take up is low and the portfolio holder has asked that the pricing be reviewed.
- 4 There are currently 4 levels of Season tickets calculated as follows:

Group A - Amersham Multi Storey Car Park		
12 months	£780	Agreed by Cabinet
6 months	£416	Agreed by Cabinet
1 or 3 month	£78 or £234	Agreed by Cabinet
Group B -		
12 months	£682	25% discount (of the "all-day charge" x 5 days x 52 weeks)
6 months	£364	10% discount (of the "all-day charge" x 5 days x 52 weeks)
1 or 3 month	£68.25 or £204.75	20% discount (of the "all-day charge" x 5 days x 52 weeks)
Group C		
12 months)	£546	40% discount (of the "all-day charge" x 5 days x 52 weeks)
6 months	£295.75	35% discount (of the "all-day charge" x 5 days x 52 weeks)
1 or 3 months	£53.08 or £159.25	30% discount (of the "all-day charge" x 5 days x 52 weeks)
Group D		
12 months	£450	Agreed by Cabinet / With Delegation also to Relevant Portfolio Holder
6 months	£223.80	Agreed by Cabinet / With Delegation also to Relevant Portfolio Holder
1 or 3 month	£37.50 or £111.90	Agreed by Cabinet / With Delegation also to Relevant Portfolio Holder

- 5 The current basis of calculation for Group D is unclear and it is hoped that by bringing in an improved differential to the banding greater use of the group D season ticket can be achieved.
- 6 The purpose of this report is to rectify the oversight from the minutes of the Cabinet meeting 9th July 2013 and to ask Members to confirm that the Head of Environment, in consultation with the portfolio holder, be given delegated authority to agree discounts for the 'Group D' season tickets.

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