

# SOUTH BUCKS DISTRICT COUNCIL

*Decisions*

*FRANK BOWATER*  
*Cabinet Member - Environment*

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Having considered reports contained in the agenda of a meeting of the Policy Advisory Group (PAG) held on 27 February 2003 and the views of the PAG expressed at the meeting, the Cabinet Member has made the following decisions:

## 1. **GRASS CUTTING CONTRACT**

The Cabinet Member has decided that grass cutting be carried out for Parishes wishing to take up the service under the Council's main grass cutting contract, to be charged at the contractor's cost price plus an administrative fee of 3%, and to be the subject of an individual agreement with each Parish concerned.

## 2. **REVIEW OF CAR PARK CHARGES AND RELATED MATTERS**

The Cabinet Member has decided that:

- (1) car park charges for the coming financial year be reviewed during the summer, taking account of income generated by the existing charges which will be closely monitored, with a view to implementing any changes required from November 2003.
- (2) a feasibility study into a trial of smart cards in a Gerrards Cross car park be undertaken, with further agreement on details of any trial to be given after the outcome of the feasibility study has been considered by the Director of Services and Director of Resources.
- (3) a Car Park Users Group be not set up at present.

(Note: Members of the PAG had divided views over the value of the feasibility study referred to in (2) above and did not reach a consensus).

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