

Saltash Town Council
12 Lower Fore Street
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Your ref:

My ref: 2019 Parking Order

Date: 8 January 2019

Dear Saltash Town Council

2019 Off-Street Parking Order

I am writing to advise of the public consultation which is taking place concerning our car parking proposals across Cornwall Council-owned car parks, which if approved will be implemented on 01 April 2019. Included in this are changes to the permit options that will be made available to Reserved Permits.

The changes to the permit options are being proposed following lengthy discussion with Local Members and communities who have been calling for a system which will help to ensure reserved spaces are leased to those who will gain the most use. Evidence has shown that in a lot of our car parks, spaces are empty for lengthy periods of the year and yet there are a high number of local residents and business owners having great difficulty finding parking that are on our waiting lists for significant times.

To try and resolve the issues raised to us by many, we propose to implement a new permit purchase system for reserved space holders. If implemented there would be four permits space holders can choose to purchase, dependant on what most suits your needs. One of the tickets would be available without Vehicle Registration Marks (VRM's) printed on it; the other three would require you to advise us of the vehicle/s you wish to park in your space.

Please note that in locations where we have existing policies of eligibility criteria's for spaces i.e. where lease holders must either be a resident or business within a specific catchment area, we propose a restriction on the purchase of Ticket Type Four. These are:

- 1) All St.Ives and Newlyn reserved car parks – Ticket Four will only be available to those who can evidence that they are paying Business rate Council Tax
- 2) Duck Street, Mousehole and Castle Green, Helston – Ticket Type Four will not be available at all.

Below are outlined the specifics with regard to the permit type you currently purchase and how these changes are likely to affect you. In terms of permit costs, you will see that for three of the permit types we propose to either lower the fee, or keep it the same as you are currently paying.

Car Park:	Alexandra Square, Saltash
Current Cost:	£349.85
Proposed 1 VRM	£297.88
Proposed 2 VRM	£314.87
Proposed 5 VRM	£349.85
Proposed No VRM	£400.00

There are several other changes to our car park tariffs and uses proposed in the current public consultation regarding the Off Street Order.

You can read more about the proposals on our website www.cornwall.gov.uk

If you have any comments to make on the proposals we would be grateful to receive them no later than:

1st February 2019

Please do not respond directly to me. To respond to this proposal, you can either:

1. Visit our website - www.cornwall.gov.uk/TrafficConsult once registered you will be able to submit your response.
2. Email Parking Services on parking@cornwall.gov.uk, quoting the above title and indicating your support or objection to the proposals.
3. Respond in writing using the attached Response Form, indicating your support or objection to the proposals and return it to the address shown at the foot of the form.

Yours faithfully

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