

**OFFICER REPORT TO LOCAL COMMITTEE
(REIGATE AND BANSTEAD)**

**REDHILL – PROPOSED WAITING
RESTRICTIONS CONSIDERATION OF
OBJECTIONS**

25 JANUARY 2010

KEY ISSUE

To seek Members' approval to implement and make amendments to waiting restrictions at various locations in Redhill

SUMMARY

A report was presented to the Local Committee on the 7 December 2009 to consider the above. It was deferred to this meeting.

OFFICER RECOMMENDATIONS

The Local Committee (Reigate and Banstead) is asked to agree:

- (i) the implementation of the proposed new or amended waiting restrictions, in line with the recommendations detailed in Annex A **(TO FOLLOW)**,
- (ii) amendments to the relevant traffic regulation orders to facilitate the agreed changes.

1 INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

- 1.1 A report was presented to the Local Committee on the 7 December 2009 which considered objections to advertised amendments for waiting restrictions in the Redhill area. Full details and further background information is contained within that report.
- 1.2 The Local Committee deferred making a decision to enable further consideration of any submitted objections.
- 1.3 An informal meeting was held for all County and Borough Members on the 15 January 2010 where all of the objections were considered and a recommendation agreed. The recommendations from this meeting are detailed in Annex A.

2 OPTIONS

- 2.1 Agree the recommendations as outlined in Annex A. This will be consistent with the recommendations of the informal County and Borough Member meeting.
- 2.2 Amend the recommended proposals, however any amendment could only lessen the advertised restriction.
- 2.3 Add to the recommendations in Annex A, over and above the advertised restrictions. This would mean that further consultation would be necessary and that some or all of the proposals would need to be re-advertised. This would require further funding and would delay implementation.
- 2.4 Reject all of the recommended proposals and leave the current waiting restrictions unaltered.

3 FINANCIAL AND VALUE FOR MONEY IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 The Local Committee approved the implementation and cost of the scheme on 21 September 2009 as part of the Reigate and Banstead five-year programme.

4 CONSULTATIONS

- 4.1 Both informal and statutory consultation has been carried out. In addition, a special meeting of County and Borough Members was held.

5 EQUALITIES AND DIVERSITY IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no specific equality and diversity implications arising from this report.

6 CRIME AND DISORDER IMPLICATIONS

6.1 There should be fewer instances of obstructive parking as a consequence of the restrictions.

7 CONCLUSION AND REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

7.1 It is recommended that the waiting restrictions are implemented as detailed in Annex A. They will make a positive impact towards

- Road safety
- Access for emergency vehicles
- Access for refuse vehicles
- Easing traffic congestion
- Better regulated parking

8 WHAT HAPPENS NEXT

9.1 Subject to approval by the Local Committee, the Traffic Regulation Order will be made and the restrictions implemented.

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BACKGROUND PAPERS: Committee Report – Officer report to Local Committees on 8 December 2008, 21 September 2009 and 7 December 2009