

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Report to the Executive Member for Public Protection for Decision

Portfolio:	Public Protection
Subject:	Traffic Regulation Order - Proposed Waiting Restrictions – West Street, Fareham
Report of:	Director of Planning and Regulation
Strategy/Policy:	
Corporate Objective:	A safe and healthy place to live and work

Purpose: To inform the Executive Member of the outcome of the statutory advertisement of a proposal to remove an existing disabled bus bay, to replace it with double yellow lines, and to obtain authorisation to implement a Traffic Regulation Order.

Executive summary: This report considers the reasons for the proposed change to the waiting restrictions.

Recommendation: That the waiting restrictions as shown at Appendix A are changed as shown.

Reason: To remove a rarely used facility and to provide restrictions which are more appropriate to the street scene in this area.

Cost of Proposals: The cost of the proposals will be met by Fareham Borough Council's Traffic Management budget.

Risk Assessment: There are no identified risks associated with this proposal.

Appendices Appendix A : Scheme drawing

Executive Briefing Paper

Date: 28 June 2016

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Briefing by: Director of Planning and Regulation

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Supporting Information

Background

1. A parking area exists in West Street to the east of Quay Street which is designated for the use of buses for disabled people. This facility is rarely used by disabled buses, and it is proposed that it is replaced with double yellow lines.
2. This would open up the area for loading and unloading, and also for parking by blue badge holders, both of which would be appropriate as this area is outside a number of shops. It would also remain available for use by buses for the disabled should they wish to stop here for the purpose of loading and unloading passengers.

Consultations

3. The Police, Ward and County Councillors have been consulted on this proposal and expressed their support.
4. The Statutory Consultees were consulted and no objections were received.
5. Community Action Fareham have been consulted and are happy with this proposal.

Representations

6. The proposal was advertised in May 2016 and no responses were received.

Conclusion

7. It is therefore recommended that the proposed waiting restrictions are implemented as advertised and shown at Appendix A.