

MINUTE EXTRACT

HINCKLEY AND BOSWORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL

SCRUTINY COMMISSION

3 OCTOBER 2019 AT 6.30 PM

PRESENT: Mr MR Lay - Chairman
Mr C Ladkin and Mr P Williams – Vice-Chairman

Mr JMT Collett, Mr DS Cope, Mrs MJ Crooks, Mr SM Gibbens, Ms A Pendlebury,
Mr MC Sheppard-Bools and Mr R Webber-Jones

Officers in attendance: Bill Cullen, Edwina Grant, Stephen Meynell, Rebecca Owen,
Madeline Shellard, Sharon Stacey and Ashley Wilson

165 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No interests were declared.

173 **OFF STREET PARKING PLACES ORDER - VARIATION OF CHARGING TIMES**

Consideration was given to the proposal to vary the Off Street Parking Places Order to provide 133 spaces prior to 8.30am to support residents where there is limited on street parking and 264 free parking spaces after 3pm to support Hinckley town centre. It was noted that the costs would be funded from the special expenses area budget.

RESOLVED – the report be supported and RECOMMENDED to Council subject to comments of the Hinckley Area Committee.

174 **OFF STREET CAR PARKING ORDER - HOUSING LAND**

The Scrutiny Commission received a report which recommended amendments to the Off Street Parking Places Order to control parking on designated HBBC housing land. It was explained that distress had been caused to residents in Westfield Court, Castle Court and Royal Court residents car parks due to nuisance parking and in one case an ambulance with a patient on board had been blocked in. It was noted that consultation would take place with residents on the best way of controlling parking before the variation being made.

On a separate matter, the issue of parking problems in rural areas was raised and it was hoped that the particular problems around schools may be helped when the pavement parking legislation is implemented. It was highlighted that many cars leave their engines running, which was in breach of legislation implemented in 2017.

RESOLVED – the report be welcomed and RECOMMENDED to Council.