

**BRACKNELL TOWN CENTRE
REGENERATION COMMITTEE
12 MARCH 2018
5.30 - 6.14 PM**



Present:

Councillors Brunel-Walker (Chairman), Dr Barnard (Vice-Chairman), Bettison OBE, McCracken and Turrell

Non-Voting Co-optee:

Councillor Mrs Temperton

Also Present:

Councillor Heydon

11. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary or affected interests in relation to items on the agenda.

12. Minutes

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 22 January 2018 be approved and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

13. Urgent Items of Business

There were no urgent items of business.

14. Town Centre Car Park Charges

The Committee considered a report which revised the charges mainly for car park season ticket holders from 1 April 2018. A report considering the day rate for car parks would be brought to the Committee in September 2018.

Annexes 1 and 2 of the report set out the proposals.

It was proposed that Steve Loudoun would bring a report back to the Committee when the car parking monitoring technology was in place. This would allow a more measured approach to presenting options for Bracken Walk Car Park.

RESOLVED that the season ticket charges for the Council car parks be varied as set out in Annexes 1 and 2 of the Director of Environment, Culture and Communities report, effective from 1 April 2018.

15. Exclusion of Public and Press

RESOLVED that pursuant to Regulation 4 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Access to Information) Regulations 2012, members of the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the consideration of item 7 on the agenda

(item 16 in the minutes) which involves the likely disclosure of exempt information under the following category of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972:

- (3) Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority).

16. **Bracknell Town Centre Regeneration Committee Update Report**

The Committee received a report updating them in the Bracknell Town Centre Regeneration.

RESOLVED that Committee notes the contents of the report.

Decision Record

CHAIRMAN

Bracknell Forest Council Record of Decision

Work Programme Reference	I075123
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1. **TITLE:** Town Centre Car Park Charges
2. **SERVICE AREA:** Environment, Culture & Communities
3. **PURPOSE OF DECISION**

To consider revised charges mainly for car park season ticket holders from 1 April 2018.
4. **IS KEY DECISION** No
5. **DECISION MADE BY:** Bracknell Town Centre Regeneration Committee
6. **DECISION:**

The season ticket charges for the Council car parks be varied as set out in Annexes 1 and 2 of the Director of Environment, Culture and Communities report, effective from 1 April 2018.
7. **REASON FOR DECISION**

The Council needs to ensure that its charges continue to cover costs mindful of the overall impact they can have on the economic vitality of the local economy.
8. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

The Council could determine not to increase season ticket charges or make amendments to charges at surface car parks. However, the Council needs to ensure it can continue to recover its costs, it has made substantial investment in its town centre car parks/parking offer over recent years as part of the regeneration scheme, and the retail offer is now significantly better than previously.
9. **PRINCIPAL GROUPS CONSULTED:** The existing season ticket holders have been notified of the intention to review charges from April 2018
10. **DOCUMENT CONSIDERED:** Report of the Director of Environment, Culture & Communities
11. **DECLARED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST:** None

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**Bracknell Forest Council
Record of Decision**

Work Programme Reference	I073658
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1. **TITLE:** Bracknell Town Centre Regeneration Committee Update Report
2. **SERVICE AREA:** Environment, Culture & Communities
3. **PURPOSE OF DECISION**
To update the Committee on the regeneration of Bracknell Town Centre
4. **IS KEY DECISION** Yes
5. **DECISION MADE BY:** Bracknell Town Centre Regeneration Committee
6. **DECISION:**
That the Committee note the contents of the report.
7. **REASON FOR DECISION**
To progress the Council's strategic theme of a strong and resilient economy.
8. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED**
The options considered were detailed in the Chief Officers: Planning, Transport and Countryside's report.
9. **PRINCIPAL GROUPS CONSULTED:** none.
10. **DOCUMENT CONSIDERED:** Report of the Director of Environment, Culture & Communities
11. **DECLARED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST:** None

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