

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Officer Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Adrian Gray
Title:	Traffic Order – Amendments to Parking Permits in Shaftesbury Road (North), Gosport
Reference:	A1022

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That a traffic order be implemented under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effects of which will be to introduce virtual permits for designated permit parking places and replace the existing charges for permits in Shaftesbury Road, Gosport with the following:

Permit type	Charges
Residents' Permit	£20 per annum
Visitor's Permit	100 visitor permits included free with Residents' permit

2. Reason(s) for the decision:

- 2.1. As part of the Transformation to 2019 financial savings proposals, the County Council is modernising the on-street parking service across Hampshire.

From 1st April 2020 Hampshire County Council will be directly responsible for on-street parking services in Fareham, New Forest and Test Valley, where the Borough Councils no longer operate Traffic Management Agency Agreements. The County Council already has responsibility for on-street controls in Gosport and this will be supplemented with responsibility for on-street parking enforcement, once the Department for Transport process the County Council's application for on-street Civil Parking Enforcement Powers, expected later in the year. In order to achieve more consistency in the parking service between these Boroughs and bring them in line with the other Districts in Hampshire, the charges and processes for Resident Parking Schemes in Gosport are being amended as follows -

- A phased increase in annual residential parking permit charges will be implemented with the intention of achieving the County Council's minimum charge of £50 by 2022/23
- A digital virtual permit system is being introduced.

2.2. No objections or representations were received from Shaftesbury Road residents in response to the public consultation which took place between 6 and 27 March 2020.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. None

4. Scheme Funding:

4.1. Capital funding as part of HCC's countywide review of the parking service through the Transformation to 2019 project

5. Conflicts of interest:

5.1. None

6. Dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service:

6.1. None

7. Supporting information:

7.1. Local Member, Councillors C Carter and P Edgar. support the proposals

7.2. Police – gave no comment

7.3. Draft order

Approved by:

Date:

Adrian Gray

12/6/2020

Adrian Gray, Head of Highways (Traffic)

On behalf of the Director of Economy, Transport and Environment