

Unauthorised Parking Survey Summary of Members' Comments

Any new standing created should be permeable because of environmental concerns. If any scheme is adopted, measures to stop parking on the remaining green sward must be adopted. The extreme situation in some closes is understood, however.

Councillor Mrs Pond

Our main problem is parking outside schools. We have three schools in Limes Farm in quite a small cul-de-sac. There is ground available adjacent to the hall.

Councillor Bateman

Green space is often used by the youth for recreation. Significant interruption of this can cause unwanted displacement. While parking can certainly be an issue, dedicating all monies to this while properties are not double glazed cannot be seen to contribute to a green agenda. Lack of enforcement can only lead to damaged green space which is in no one's interest.

Councillor Philip

Enforcement action should be put on hold for four months after off street parking schemes are installed and the 6 metres rule extended. In response to residents, money should be spent on repairing "corners" of the green and recreational areas where they have been damaged by vehicles. They should then be protected to prevent an occurrence. Finally, I would not support any parking schemes which take land from playing areas such as Western Avenue and Centre Drive in Epping.

Councillor Rolfe

Enforcement action should be put on hold for four months after off street parking schemes are installed and the six metre rule extended. Money should be spent on repairing and permanently protecting the corners of recreation areas where they have been damaged by vehicles. I would not support any parking schemes which take land from play areas, ie in Western Avenue or Centre Drive.

Councillor Mrs Hedges

Some form of protection is required for corners of roads and grass verges to prevent vehicles parking there.

Councillor Mrs Grigg