

App C - Parking Charge Objections and Representations Full List

Candidate Number	Comment Summary
1	Will affect shops, will drive customers away from town
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2	Will put off customers to shop, detrimental to business
3	Will lose custom for clients needing to have longer treatments, clients will struggle to afford prices
4	Off putting to visitors to tiverton, customers will use other car parks in Tiverton - Reduce vistors to town
5	Inpact financially for work, works within Phoenix Lane, dramatic increase
6	300% increase will inpact on expenses paid by company
7	Business owner will be detrimental to shop
8	Unhappy this was advertised on machines, confusing to customers
9	Work within town centre increase would not be affordable
10	Not wanting parking charges in the evening.
11	Will deter people from using car parks, town centre & local shops, people will park within residential areas
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14	Increases to Multi-storey will mean parking in Wellbrook Street which is to far to walk into town.
15	Will futher serve a run down town, odd charging schemes
16	Unfair will predominantly effect work force, to triple the fee is extortionate, discourage customers to Tiverton
17	200% increase unacceptable, unaffordable in MS
18	Will drive customers away for the town
19	Extortionate,short sighted harmful to town would not be able to afford as daily user
20	Objections to William Street parking increases
21	Volunteers who give time may think again, parking in residential roads will increase. Already lost shops
22	Penalising residents and community by tripling fees. Will be unable to afford to park within MS
23	Visitors unlikely to use MS due to expected cost of £30 per week
24	increase charges of 200% unacceptable increase
25	200% increase unacceptable, unaffordable in MS.Maybe look at charging council staff instead
26	Increase charges of 200% this increase would put servere
27	200% rise is ludicrous and is higher than inflation. Most people in Tiverton are on a low wage.If extra revenue is needed charge staff
28	I have no objection to a small increase however 200% is unfairly penalising for those people who work in the town
29	The increases to the MS is a massive increase.People will park in residential areas
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35	Higher prices in the MS will drive shoppers to other locations, local business will drop in trade. Reduce fees will encourage people into the town
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43	It will deter people from coming into the town, it will discourage volunteers without an adequate bus service, increase in motorists parking and catching the bus out of town, more road users
44	MS proposed prices are absolutly outrageous
45	Deter more locals and vistors from visting and shopping within the town. Increasing MS will force people to park in residential streets, this has already happended in Westexe
46	Shops are closing down people are shopping out of town, MDDC should be encouing shoppers and shops to stay
47	People are doing more online, people are less likely to visit town centres increasing the charges will be a death nail in some businesses.More disabled spaces in gold street needed
48	Objection, people will use supermarkets and walk into town.Support local traders and make parking cheaper
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50	Objection
51	Increase to MS is not going to be affordable to most of the towns workforce which like me only earn minimum wage.
52	£2 is manageable for up to 10 hours which covers most people's working day, a small increase is understandable £6 is ridiculous and unmanageable
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54	The town is dead enough and free parking is what is needed.Raising the cost will not raise revenue it will clear the town of shops and shoppers.
55	If the parking charges increase I will struggle to visit the local shops and post office or go to the library. People will visit other towns
56	I absolutely refuse to pay for parking in or around Tiverton, I feel sorry for the traders the increases are not encouraging vistors to the town. To even comtemplate increase parking charges is a further death nail for the traders
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58	Increase of parking charges to the MS of 200% is greed, it will only result in death in this town. For those of us who work in the town 200% fee increase is unaffordable
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60	The increase to the MS will deter people from using the town and local shops

61	The increase is ridiculous and I don't know how you expect families already struggling to afford this.
62	Make car parks free, you are our servants. Do not raise charges
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65	I object to the new parking charges which are rising by 25% they are too high
66	Proposed charges will kill the town centre.
67	The increases adversely affect the footfall in the towns shopping centre and drive shoppers to larger supermarkets with free parking and internet based purchasing.
68	Object to increase in parking charges, I work in town and I have always supported the town but I feel this is outrageous. If you increase the charges I believe that several will leave as they cannot afford the proposed charge rates.
69	The proposed increases will deter shoppers and will have a detrimental effect, I understand the need to increase charges but 200% is just too disproportionate, the increase will kill the town.
70	Strongly object to proposed increases within the town, are you actively trying to dissuade people from the town
71	The town is getting quieter with shops closing and the town needs to bring people in. I am a daily user the multi-storey currently costing £12 per week proposed cost will be £36 per week.
72	I use the car park weekly, if the parking increase I will have to re think things. This will either lead to go on street parking or lack of support for the high street shops
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75	Outraged by the parking proposals particularly the multi-storey. I am at the increase and think it's utterly disgusting. The proposed parking charges would triple the weekly cost of my parking.
76	Strongly object to proposed increases within the town.
77	I travel to Tiverton to work in a local business and a massive parking increase would make me seriously reconsider the viability, I believe this would damage local business by reducing footfall in the town and probably would increase street congestion as people search for free short stay spaces.
78	Outrageous increase to proposed parking charges. Not only does it massively affect people who work in the town parking all day. The visitors to the town will wonder if it's worth stopping for those prices, therefore killing the town.
79	For a successful town, parking has to be its life blood. It is essential for the people who work in the town, live in the town as well as visitors to the town. You are hitting people and businesses that make Tiverton a desirable location.
80	Strongly object to the increase parking charges, they are extortionate. People will not come into Tiverton to shop which will have an effect on the shops.
81	The increases intended for Tiverton town centre I object. The charges will have a detrimental effect on trade and the town as a whole.
82	I object to the parking fees being raised by 200%
83	This will affect the town in a negative way, it will turn customers and potential business away from town and in the current state if the market we need all the help and support from the council we can not hinderance.
84	The proposed increase will be from £2 per day to £6 this is a real worry for me I will have to park further away from town, which is unlit in the back streets.
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86	MS to increase from £2 per day to £6, staff are restricted and limited to parking elsewhere, negotiating prices for offices at Phoenix Lane
87	Proposed increase will occur more closures
88	I am very unhappy there is going to be a massive increase. It's triple and I think that's a ludicrous amount.
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90	I am horrified to hear you tend to raise the parking charges by 200%, shops are struggling enough without driving away custom. The town is already terminally ill and this increase puts another nail in the coffin.
91	If anything should be reduced it is the night charges as I find it ridiculous that the streets are full of cars and the car parks are empty, the free 30 mins is good for the town and should be kept. Rates are car parking are destroying the town.
92	I would like to attend the cabinet meeting on the 19th december
93	Objecting against increased parking charges in the multi-storey car park
94	Object all parking charges increase in Tiverton
95	As a small town within a very rural setting and many people rely on their cars to access works. Putting up charges encourages people to race and do their business and race back before their parking expires.
96	Raising parking fees by 200% is totally unreasonable, the high street is struggling and I believe it has a lot to do with the high parking costs along with business rates.
97	If the parking charges increase employees will not use Phoenix Lane car park, instead they will park on the roadside parking in residential streets surrounding the town.
98	I cannot believe 200% has been proposed, how can this be justified especially at the time when footfall is lower than ever
99	Proposed increase of 200% is ridiculous and if accepted and carried would be a gross dereliction of duty on councils part given precarious state of our thriving high street
100	Increases in MS are massive, it will deter people from using the town centre and local shops with people opting to park in other free car parks and doing shopping in supermarkets. Daily users of the MS will park within residential streets
101	It is now going to be more expensive to park in Tiverton than Taunton. I fear for the prosperity of Tiverton with such unintelligent decisions being made
102	I think most would not be so against a small increase, the current proposals are hideous. Everyone linked with the town will feel the detriment of this huge hike in costs
103	Putting up parking charges will kill the town, businesses are struggling enough with the current charges, our part time staff are on minimum wage. How about bringing in charges for council staff. Tiverton is going down hill
104	Objection to parking charges in the multi-storey car park, I don't encourage public transport will have a detrimental effect on the environment.
105	Huge mistake to increase parking charges to the proposed extent, particularly in the current climate
106	The increase to Phoenix Lane car park from £2 to £6 is scandalous. Parking charges that do not undermine the vitality of the town centres
107	Small independent businesses amongst others in Tiverton we are working really hard to encourage people to visit the town and shop and use the facilities to support the community
108	As well as a business owner I also park in the MS, increasing the price will reduce footfall to this end of town, this end of town always get missed out with xmas lights etc
109	Current tariffs are cost effective as a volunteer in the town, the proposed increase will be far less affordable. Visitors will park within the local supermarket free for 3 hours
110	How can an increase of 200% be justified. The town has independent shops and businesses why should prices be higher in the MS than Exeter and Taunton
111	Presently the all day charge works well, the increase will mean I no longer come to Tiverton. As inflation is at 1.5% how can the increase be at 200%, this will also clog up residential streets.
112	Object to the proposed charges in the multi-storey as it will harm the local economy because visitors will be put off visiting the town due to the high parking charges.
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114	The town is already struggling to achieve footfall outside of seasonal periods, increases to charges by 200% will only deter potential clients, this will also impact on existing business and potential business
115	Raising the prices in the MS to 200% will make shopping and socialising in Tiverton unaffordable. This in turn will lead local business and activities to close down.
116	I think the increase is a blinkered approach of the council to raise more monies. It will have a huge knock on effect on shops.
117	Any increase to the charges would financially affect us. Any increase will affect the local shops
118	Charges have already stopped me bringing my car into town. Increase charges will stop people visiting the town, this will affect local shops.
119	200% will cost £4.50 to visit the doctor or Chemist. The town will turn into a ghost town
120	The proposed charges are totally unfair, such a great rise to shopping in Tiverton, you cannot always rely on supermarkets for parking
121	I am appalled to read about the proposed hike in parking charges for Tiverton, for retailers are struggling to stay in business is another nail in their coffin
122	Objection to all parking charges

123	The proposed charges will have a detrimental effect on the town, and will burden on the finances of workers. Removing the free half hour will effect our business
124	The proposed 200% increase will be detrimental to the town and the trade and burden the finances of workers. Removing the free half hour will effect our business
125	The increases will make the MS unaffordable to use, this will push people to park on the streets this will affect the revenue in the town. The rise in charges is detrimental to local people, shops and businesses
126	Object to the increase of parking charges to MS, I use this car park daily and the increase is an exceptional amount. 200% is unreasonable
127	I strongly object to the parking price increase of 200% this is appalling and unacceptable. I will never use the MS car park again. Tiverton does not have enough facilities to warrant this increase
128	The increase to £6 per day us not sustanable for daily users, the increases will have a negitive inpact on local workers busnesses and footfall in the town. People will find alternitive parking in residential streets
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130	Rural commuinity where public transport is poor and wages are low, people will stop using their cars there is no environmental benefit, there will be irrervesible damage to the town
131	Objections to all increases in particualr the MS proposed increases, poorly paid employees will try to find parking in residential streets. This will be a deterrent to those wishing to support the high street
132	Removal of 30 mins free is detrimental to the town trade. 200% increases will encorage people to park in residential streets. Proposal could have a detrimental effect on the harmony that has been built between parties.
133	The increase in parking will have an inpact on shoppers and local businesses and will cause people to park on residential streets
134	Ojection to all increases specifically the MS the 200% increase for less time parking. Tripling the fees will make prople park else where people will be discouraged from working and visiting Tiverton
135	Make parking more affordable and propotionate amount
136	Increases in MS are massive, it will deter people from using the town centre and local shops with people opting to park in other free car parks and doing shoping in supermarkets. Daily users of the MS will park within residential streets
137	The proposal seems a little opportunistic of the council to increase the charges within weeks of the hotel opening, the proposed increase will be perceived negatively by our guests, Maybe to offer reduced rate permits for the hotel is an option. Staff who are on a low wage would like the offer of free parking permits.