

Parking Zone S Extension (Hackney North)

Introduction and Design of Parking Controls

Consultation Outcome





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Why have I received this summary leaflet?

Parking Services consulted you between October and December 2016 on the introduction and design of parking controls in your area. This provided residents and businesses with another opportunity to have their say on the introduction of parking controls following the recent implementation of parking controls in the nearby roads to the south of Kenninghall Road.

We would like to thank all those people who returned their questionnaire and provided feedback during the consultation. Your views are important to us and have helped shape the future of parking in your area.

We are pleased to announce that the consultation feedback has been reviewed and the final design has been approved by the Council. We will commence lining and signage works in the area to implement these changes pending statutory consultation.

This booklet provides a summary of the consultation results and final design of the parking restrictions that will be implemented in your area. It also provides dates of when works are likely to begin.

To view the full consultation results please download a copy of the delegated report from our website: **www.hackney.gov.uk/parking-hys**, email: **consultparking@hackney.gov.uk** or call **020 8356 8877**.

What is contained in this booklet?

- Your consultation feedback
- Parking Zone Design
- What happens next?
- Key dates
- Frequently asked questions (FAQs)

Your consultation feedback and final decision

In order to make a decision on whether to introduce parking controls in your road, we have analysed your feedback on a street-by street or parts street basis. The decision to include a street is based on both the feedback received as well as other factors such as creating a logical boundary for the zone and consideration of displacement parking.

Response Rate

Consultation packs were sent to 662 households and businesses in the Zone S displacement area.

195 responses were received from the addresses in the area. This equates to a response rate of 29% which is slightly higher than the average response rate for Stage One and Two consultations (usually between 15 and 20%).

Consultation Feedback

Support for parking controls on your road

Overall, 72% of responses received from the Zone S displacement area did not show support for parking controls.

When analysed on a street by street basis, the majority of roads (except Walsingham Road) were still not in favour of parking controls.

The table below indicates the support received from each street. The sections highlighted in purple indicate the streets that supported parking controls.

	Count		% of Responses		
Road Name	Yes	No	Yes	No	
BROOKE ROAD	23	52	31 %	69%	
KENNINGHALL ROAD	7	76	8 %	92%	
NIGHTINGALE ROAD	4	5	44%	56%	
UPPER CLAPTON ROAD	0	2	0%	100 %	
WALSINGHAM ROAD	20	5	80%	20%	
Grand Total	54	140	28%	72%	

Excludes blank responses

Support for controls if parking controls are introduced on nearby roads

Residents and businesses were also asked if they would support parking controls if they were introduced in nearby roads. Out of the 195 responses received, 190 respondents answered this question.

Overall, the majority (71%) of respondents were still not in favour of controls if they were implemented on nearby roads. In addition, when analysed on a street by street basis, only Walsingham Road was in favour of controls.

The table below indicates the support received from each street:

	Count		% of Responses	
Road Name	Yes	No	Yes	No
BROOKE ROAD	24	48	33%	67%
KENNINGHALL ROAD	7	74	9%	91%
NIGHTINGALE ROAD	4	6	40 %	60%
UPPER CLAPTON ROAD	0	2	0%	100 %
WALSINGHAM ROAD	20	5	80%	20%
Grand Total	55	135	29%	71%

Excludes blank responses

Parking Zone Design

During the public consultation we also sought your views on the proposed design of the Parking Zone including the location and type of parking bays.

Parking Design

During the consultation, we asked for your views on the design of parking restrictions we are proposing for your area. The majority of respondents (76%) were also not in favour of the proposed parking design for the area as indicated in the table below.

Those roads who were not in favour of the proposed design included, Brooke Road, Kenninghall Road and Upper Clapton Road. Walsingham Road was in favour of the parking design whilst Nightingale Road was undecided.

However, the majority (88%) of respondents from these roads did not specify the bay type changes they required.

Support for parking design from each street

	Count		% of Responses	
Road Name	Yes	No	Yes	No
BROOKE ROAD	21	53	28%	72%
KENNINGHALL ROAD	2	80	2 %	98%
NIGHTINGALE ROAD	5	5	50%	50%
UPPER CLAPTON ROAD	0	2	0%	100%
WALSINGHAM ROAD	19	5	79%	21%
Grand Total	47	145	24%	76%

Excludes blank responses

Bay allocation

We also asked for your views on the type of bays you would prefer in your area. 145 of respondents provided feedback on the bay types they would prefer. A high proportion of respondents (88%) did not make any specific suggestions on the design changes they would like to see.

Of the respondents who made specific suggestions, the responses were mixed with 9% wanting to see more shared use bays, 4% wanting more resident permit bays and 1% wanting more permit bays and disabled bays respectively.

Parking Services have assessed all feedback received and have provided a final design which provides the right balance of parking bays to suit the characteristics of the area.

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Final Recommendation

Parking Controls

Although the feedback received from the zone S displacement area did not show support for parking controls, when determining whether to introduce parking controls in an area, parking services have to consider a variety of factors including; safety, traffic flow, consultation feedback from the area and more importantly displacement parking from nearby areas.

Parking Services will soon be implementing parking controls in nearby areas by introducing parking Zone R. Given that Zone S has recently been extended to include additional roads, the consultation area would be the only 4 roads with free parking in the Hackney Downs ward. This would cause significantly higher levels of parking stress in these roads due to both commuter parking and displacement parking from nearby parking zones. The increase in parking pressure can also lead to an increase in traffic flow which can impact the safety of both pedestrians as well as motorists in these roads.

Based on the above, Parking Services recommends for all roads consulted in the zone S displacement area to be incorporated into existing parking zone S and parking controls to be introduced in all roads as listed below:

- Kenninghall Road,
- Brooke Road,
- Walsingham Road
- Nightingale Road

This will ensure that the parking needs of both residents and businesses are protected from undue parking pressure.

As Upper Clapton Road is a red route and managed by Transport for London (TfL), no parking controls will be implemented on this road. Residents living on Upper Clapton Road will however be able to purchase permits to park in the nearby zone S.

The enclosed map shows the new areas being introduced in blue and the displacement area in red.

Design Changes

Based on the feedback received, the proposed design will remain unchanged in majority of the roads within the Zone S displacement area except on Kenninghall Road.

Parking Services received feedback regarding the Shared Use bay which was proposed outside the church and have proposed to remove the bay to improve visibility for vehicles exiting the church car park.

Parking controls in the zone S displacement area have been designed to suit the needs of the area. Permit parking has been proposed on residential streets to protect the needs of the residents and ensure they can park close to their properties whilst visitor parking (shared use bays) have been proposed close to businesses in the area to provide parking for their visitors. Disabled Bays are implemented upon request from residents who are able to apply directly to the Council.

We will continue to monitor the parking allocation in the area to ensure it continues to meet the needs of the community.



Pay and Display

The Council will be implementing a number of shared use bays with a 4 hour maximum stay on Kenninghall Road in order to cater for visitors to the nearby businesses.

The pay and display charges in the area will be $\pounds 2.60$ per hour for mobile phone parking and $\pounds 2.80$ per hour for cash parking. This will match the charges in the rest of the zone as of 1st April 2017.

Please see the enclosed map for the final design of the new parking restrictions in your area.

As part of our drive to be more efficient and reduce costs, the Council will also be trialling mobile phone only (cashless) visitor parking bays on Kenninghall Road (opposite Powell Road). Visitors wishing to pay and display at these locations will only be able to do so via our RingGo mobile parking system.

Operational Hours

As these streets are being incorporated in to existing Parking Zone S (Hackney North) the operational hours will be the same as Zone S. The operational hours of Zone S are currently **Monday – Saturday, 8.30am to 6.30pm.**



What happens next?

27 February 2017

Statutory consultation

The diagram below describes the Stage 2 consultation process undertaken by the Council before the implementation of new parking restrictions.

Combined Stage 1 and 2 consultation



Now the public consultation has been completed and recommendations have been approved, the Council is required to carry out a Statutory Consultation, where a Traffic Management Order notice is advertised in Hackney Today for a 21 day period. This process allows anyone to formally declare their representation on the changes proposed. All representations received will be considered. The Council is then required to draft a decision audit report detailing the objections and its recommendation on whether these objections will be upheld or not. The report is then approved by the Director of Public Realm prior to the measures being implemented.

The proposed Traffic Management Order is being advertised in Hackney Today on **27 February 2017**.

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10 April 2017

Residents and businesses can begin applying for a parking permit from **Monday 10 April 2017** pending statutory consultation. We encourage you to purchase your permit early as this will enable you to park in nearby Zone S during the lining works.

Please ensure that you enter 19 June 2017 as your start date when you purchase your permit online.

Residents and businesses can apply for their permits online at **www.hackney.gov.uk/resident-permits**, or via post to London Borough of Hackney P.O Box 39054, London. E8 1WS.

If you require an application form please call Parking Services on 020 8356 8877 to be sent a copy. Alternatively you can download a copy from our website: **www.hackney.gov.uk/parking**

When making your application please remember to send all supporting documents such as proof of identification, address and vehicle ownership. Further details can be found on the application form.

Please note that your Zone S parking permit will allow you to park in any street within the parking zone.

May 2017

We plan to start lining works in the roads that are to be incorporated into Zone S in May 2017, pending statutory consultation. We will organise road closures in order to carry out the works which will mean that cars should be parked on an adjacent road whilst the works are taking place.

Signs will be erected on site to inform you of the dates of the lining works. Please help us by moving your vehicle as indicated by the temporary signs.

In order to help us complete the works as quickly as possible, parking on roads will be suspended whilst we carrying out lining works. Residents and businesses will be able to park in nearby uncontrolled roads or in adjacent parking zone S streets whilst we are carrying out the works. You must display your new permit in the nearby Zone S parking bays. The permits will still be accepted if the start date of your permit is 19th June 2017.

We will write to residents closer to the implementation date to provide further detail regarding parking suspensions on their road.

June 2017

Pending statutory consultation, we plan to begin enforcement of the parking restrictions in your street on the 19th June 2017. From this date, all motorists will need to display a Zone S parking permit, visitor voucher or pay and display ticket during the operational hours of the Parking Zone. We will place notices throughout the Parking Zone showing the exact date when enforcement will begin.



Frequently Asked Questions

Will I have to buy a parking permit?

If your property is located within a parking zone you will need to purchase either a resident or business permit to park on your street during the operational hours of the parking zone.

How much will a parking permit cost?

The way we charge for parking is changing as part of a drive to reduce pollution in the borough. The changes will take place over three years and will see parking permits charged according to CO2 emissions instead of engine size.

This will mean cheaper parking permits for low emission vehicles and higher charges for the most polluting vehicles. Other changes include:

- cars built before 2001 will move up a band in the charging scheme, reflecting the levels of CO2 they produce
- diesel vehicles will incur a £50 levy, reflecting the high levels of particulate matter pollution they produce

Our new parking permit price calculator is available at our website and will allow you to view exactly what you will be paying with CO2 emissions-based charging. Please visit the website www.hackney.gov.uk/parking-permit-price-calculator.

Resident permit prices – 1 September 2016 to 31 August 2017

To help residents and businesses prepare for the different charging, CO2 emissions-based charging will be phased in over two years from September 2016, with all residents and businesses paying half of the difference between their current permit price and the new charges in the first year. The full charges will then be applied from September 2017.

Resident permit prices, using emission-based charging (CO2) from September 2017

All permits after September 2017 will only be based in vehicle emissions.

Band		3 months	6 months	12 months
1	No local emissions	£10.00	£10.00	£10.00
2	Up to 120 g/km	£26.50	£38.50	£61.00
	Price including diesel supplement	£39.00	£63.50	£111.00
3	121 - 185 g/km, or under 1200cc*	£43.00	£67.00	£112.00
	Price including diesel supplement	£55.50	£92.00	£162.00
4	186 - 225 g/km, or 1200-2000cc*	£59.50	£95.50	£163.00
	Price including diesel supplement	£72.00	£120.50	£213.00
5	226 g/km +, or 2001cc*+	£76.00	£124.00	£214.00
	Price including diesel supplement	£88.50	£149.00	£264.00

There is a ± 10 discount when purchasing resident permits online or by post. The diesel supplement will be ± 50 per year, and will be pro-rated for 3 and 6 month permits. *Where no information is held on a vehicle's CO2 emissions, permit price will be calculated on engine size.

Where can my visitors park?

Residents are eligible to purchase visitor vouchers which allow visitors to park in any available resident permit, general permit (resident or business permits) or shared use (pay and display or permit) bay in the PZ.

You only need to use a voucher during operational hours. There are two types of vouchers that can be purchased by residents:

- A book of 20, 2hr scratch cards at a cost of £21
- A book of 5, one day scratch cards at a cost of £17.50

Please note that there is a ± 1 discount on all resident visitor vouchers if purchased online or by post. Businesses are also able to buy vouchers for their own vehicles and their visitors, which cost ± 225 for a book of 10 scratch cards which allow parking in all zones for one day. We also provide Pay & Display parking for businesses visitors wherever possible.

Where can I load and unload if I receive deliveries?

Active loading and unloading can take place on all single and double yellow lines where there are no loading restrictions and also in parking bays. For any specific requests, such as removals, you can request a dispensation or a bay suspension. Please visit our website for more information **www.hackney.gov.uk/parking**.

How can I apply for a Disabled Bay?

If you are a Blue Badge holder with no access to off street parking, you may be able to get a disabled parking bay installed outside your home. However, in order to qualify for a bay, there is a set criteria which you need to meet including an assessment by Social Services.

Although a disabled parking bay is registered to an individual once installed, it can be used by any Blue Badge holder as the bay is not personalised.

For any advice about disabled bays, please email disabledparking@hackney.gov.uk or call 020 8356 8328.

What if I have a Blue Badge or a Companion Badge?

Blue Badge holders are eligible to park in all shared use bays (pay and display and permit), pay and display only bays for an unlimited amount of time and for a maximum of 3 hours on single and double yellow lines. Blue Badge holders can also use any disabled bay.

Companion badge holders can park in the same bays as Blue Badge holders, but have the added advantage of being able to park in resident and permit parking bays within their home parking zone.

For more information on Companion Badges please visit http://hackney.gov.uk/companion-badge

What if I live on an estate?

There are a number of Council housing estates in the area which have their own parking regulations; these are independent of parking zones and would not be affected. However, estate residents whose addresses fall within a parking zone are entitled to purchase an on-street permit.

Allocation of parking bays

In a parking zone, parking bays are allocated for different uses including disabled motorists, local residents, businesses and local visitors, according to the Council's 'hierarchy of parking need' - please see the table below. Please refer to the enclosed user friendly map for the bay locations.

Type of parking bay	Permit, voucher or ticket required
General Permit parking bay	Resident or business parking permit Resident or business visitor voucher
Shared Use parking bay	Resident or business parking permit Resident or business visitor voucher Pay & display ticket
Resident parking bay	Resident parking permit
Business parking bay	Business parking permit



What if I own a motorcycle?

Motorcycles can be parked free of charge in all bays within a PZ where residents and businesses can park. (This excludes Zone B where parking for motorcycles are restricted to motorcycle bays only and pay and display bays within all zones).

Motorcycles should be parked at a right angle to the kerb and, if possible at the end of the parking bay; you should use the dedicated motorcycle bays if available, rather than resident permit bays.

Do you consider road safety?

When reviewing parking restrictions, we have taken into account the safety of both pedestrians and motorists. We install either single or double yellow lines (no waiting at any time) to help prevent unsafe parking.

Any design changes are made in consultation with the Emergency Services (Ambulance, Fire Service and the Police) to ensure that there is sufficient road width to allow for the safe passage of emergency vehicles.

All design changes will conform to the design standards recommended by the Department for Transport (DfT). Most yellow lines in the design have been placed for safety or access reasons and would be unlikely to change. Examples of these are:

- Junction protection double yellow lines placed around the edges of road junctions to ensure visibility for drivers, cyclists, and pedestrians, and to allow space for wheelchair and pram users to safely cross.
- Double yellow lines painted across access points to private property and housing estates, so that we can remove any obstructing vehicles.
- Yellow lines painted along narrow roads to improve access or provide a passing point for vehicles.

What if I live on a Car Free Property?

A Car Free Property will be designated under a Section 106 agreement and will be included in your lease or deeds. If you live on a Car Free Property you can still have your say on the design and hours of your parking zone but would not be eligible to purchase a parking permit. However, you are eligible to purchase visitor vouchers for your visitors.

If you want to apply for a permit and are not sure if you live in one of these areas please call us on **020 8356 8877**.

Are parking zones just a money making scheme for the Council?

No. By law revenue generated from PZs must be invested back into transport-related improvements such as highways, street scene, parking enforcement and safer car parks. It also contributes to the funding of the Freedom Pass scheme.



More information



For more information about the cost of permits and visitor vouchers please refer to our website **www.hackney.gov.uk/parking** or call Hackney Parking Services on **020 8356 8877**

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