

Sittingbourne Residents Parking Scheme (Outskirts)

ANNEX C

Watsons Hill, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Watsons Hill	1		A lot of commuters are starting to use this road
2			1	Scheme would be of no advantage. If we had own space it would help. People with garages should use them to allow other residents to park who have more than one car. Residents are bringing work trucks home; one has a large skip lorry.
3		1		Stop works vans parking in road and commuters.
4		1		I have mobility vehicle and can walk short distances, it would be much easier to park near the house, as the area is hilly.
5			1	Too many cars per house hold. Permit parking will not help. No problem during the day. Work vans are a problem and take up a lot of space. Would help if people parked considerately.
6		1		Commuters cause the problems.
8				Should have marked bays. Outside my property enough room for 4 cars but inconsiderate parking leaves room for only 3.
9				Don't mind being part of scheme. Don't want to pay for parking permit. How would this effect family who visit.
10			1	Not required at the moment.
11			1	Parking getting worse. Move lampposts from block paved area to grass area to create more parking space. Marked bays. Stop so many commercial vehicles parking here overnight.
TOTAL		4	4	

Chalkwell Road, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Chalkwell Road			Have own garage.
2		1		No Comment
3			1	No Comment
4		1		A Permit inside car allowing you to park outside own house, not in Romney Court or Hythe Road.
5			1	Problems caused by lorries turning into Hythe Rd and the speed or impatience of drivers using Chalkwell Road as a cut-through. Residents can only park on one side of road and we still have damage to cars. If bottom of Chalkwell Road and Hythe Road and the roundabout was one way we could park on both sides to help solve parking problem and stop unnecessary traffic.
6			1	Since parking scheme has been introduced, the commuters have moved further along the road. Resident's only parking just moves the problem not solve it. Main objection to residents parking is why do we have to pay.
7		1		Commuters are causing problems. Residents parking just moves them to another area. Either the coach company or SBC provide off road parking for them or reduce the coaches' access into Sittingbourne. Problem solved.
8			1	No Comment
9		1		Commuters taking spaces preventing visitors and residents parking.
10		1		Commuters are parking from 6am to 7pm. I am ill and depend on family and friends to help. They have to park in other roads which does not help when carrying shopping or equipment
11			1	Disagree with scheme of paying for a permit which does not guarantee a space
12		1		Commuters park here. Is it possible to have park and ride
13		1		Have off road parking. Commuters cause problems
14		1		Too many homes with more than 1 car. Car park leaving too

				much space between each other. After 5pm have to park in different road
15			1	No comment.
16			1	Scheme will not help. Mostly residents who park here. Usually park somewhere in road. Like to see commercial vehicles banned from parking overnight.
TOTAL		8	7	

Walmer Gardens, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Walmer Gardens	1		Not enough spaces or garages. Some garages are not used. I cannot buy a car because there is nowhere to park. Cars are triple parked and block each other in. I had a visitor for 30 minutes and 2 cars blocked them in, had to knock on all the doors to find the owner. Desperately need to find the answer.
2		1		Evening and weekends the entrance to our turning is too narrow for emergency vehicles. Cars park on both sides. Cul-de-sac cars park double or more. Residents have more than 2 vehicles. Would also stop vehicles parking right on the corners.
3		1		Junction between Walmer/Hythe Road often blocked can not see to exit. There was meant to be yellow lines, but not happened.
4		1		No comment.
5		1		Scheme a very good idea. Very difficult to park in this road
TOTAL		5	0	

Eastwood Road, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Eastwood Road	1		We suffer from overspill from Walmer Gardens whose residents use the footpath between 34 and 36 for access. Surrounding roads are being forced to move because of residents parking. While in favour of the scheme I consider that I pay enough in taxes to park free.
2			1	No comment
3			1	Speed reminder signs needed both ends. Children play in road. Cars speed then have to brake sharply at the bend
4		1		Since parking scheme in Hawthorn/Chalkwell Road there is an increase in parked cars in Springfield. If nothing is done this will affect Eastwood Road.
5			1	No comment
6		1		Eastwood/Springfield Road is a potential accident hotspot due to parking on the bend. Springfield Road where it joins Staplehurst Road with parking on the joining area. Bring in a one way system around this area
8		1		Very little parking problems. The nearer the scheme moves towards Eastwood Road the long stay parkers will move here, which will cause problems. Try reducing the price of parking around the station and town
TOTAL		4	3	

Hythe Road, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Hythe Road	1		Hythe Road has become a rat-run. Lorries ignore signs not to go down there. Only room for one car, drivers take corners too fast. Cars parked on corners. Residents from flats are not parking in their own area
2		1		Good idea to further the parking scheme. Householders have more than one car. Drivers from other roads park here.
3			1	No need for scheme we do not have a parking problem
4				Difficult to park at times especially in evenings. If this scheme is permit parking it will not help, because people who park here are residents. Problems due to number of cars per household and space
5		1		What about visitors, they have to park in neighbouring streets in evening. What arrangements for workmen etc they have to park immediately by house. Older streets have no option for off-street parking and no public transport. To charge already under privileged residents seems unfair
6		1		No comment
8			1	Problems caused by Chalkwell Road parking here. Business vans also park here. Agree with parking scheme but am a pensioner so object to paying. Most houses have only a 13ft frontage so resident parking would be difficult for some motorists.
		1		Residents from Paragon Court park in Hythe Road. Hythe House Support at 59 Hythe Road have a lot of meetings with their cars causing a problem.
		1		Residents have one than one car and park anywhere. Block of apartments have own parking spaces but still use this road
		1		Not enough parking when flats built. Now parking worse, have to park in Staplehurst Road
TOTAL		7	2	

Waterloo Road, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Waterloo Road			No comment
2			1	Since the scheme has been introduced the only is cars parking in Chalkwell Road opposite Watson's Hill making it difficult to exit Waterloo Road
3			1	No comment
4			1	Problem started when Parking Scheme introduced. Totally oppose this scheme and should be stopped ASAP
TOTAL		0	3	

Springfield Road, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Springfield Road		1	Scheme should be left. Only reason for scheme at all is people parking in road to avoid paying car park fees.
2		1		Few residents use their driveways. We use ours but sometimes access is blocked.
3			1	Should be restrictions on company vans parking in residential streets. Road used as rat-run with excessive speed, need traffic calming
4			1	Action needed to stop cars parking near a junction. E.g. Springfield/Chalkwell Road
5			1	No comment
6			1	Busy with commuters during the day. Can't park near house during the day. Cars race through at night, would like to see speed bumps. Commuters parking at the corner of Chalkwell Road make it difficult when pulling out, yellow lines would make it safer,
8			1	No comment

			1	Transit vans should park o/s their own home or further down the road away from the front of houses.
			1	No parking issues here. Always able to park, even with visitors. Please do not extend the scheme
TOTAL		1	8	

Charlotte Street, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Charlotte Street		1	No comment
2			1	No comment
3		1		Would like family to be able to park
4		1		Permits for visitors parking. Large vehicles park and block light to windows
5			1	Scheme would make it difficult to customer parking
6		1		Traffic calming needed. People who have more than one car have to pay for a permit for the 2nd car to park in my road
8				Whole length of road a problem. Like double yellow lines along footbridge side to stop cars parking on footway stopping mobility scooters from passing. Also double yellow lines at the top end of Charlotte Street on the bend
		1		No 117 have 4 vehicles. No 113 have 3 vehicles. No 116 have at least vehicles. Two of these also own vans, which park on the path so close to my property I cannot open the window. Expecting twins so won't be able to get out of front door. I will not have time to knock on all the doors before taking my sons to school. If vans are parked opposite each other, emergency vehicles will not get through. Suggest all vans park in Jubilee St and each house allowed 1 parking permit
			1	Problems occur when the two pubs hold special events, e.g. darts night
		1		Have problems with cars parking too close to dropped kerb. Commercial vans also park here.

			1	Not worth paying for. Never guaranteed a parking space within at least 40 metres
			1	Road a racetrack. Traffic calming needed
TOTAL		5	6	

Periwinkle Close, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Periwinkle Close	1		£30 excessive. Periwinkle Close is parking 2nd and/or works vans. If people were to pay for 2nd 3rd etc permits. They may be more inclined to use their own parking space/garage or leave the works van at work.
2		1		I get blocked in by cars parking opposite my driveway
3			1	No comment
4				Allocated parking bays. Street lighting in garage areas to allow parking at night. Currently too dark and unsafe to use.
5			1	Unless each property has designated parking space, can't see system working
6		1		Most houses have more than 1 car. Often have to park by entrance to road. New development has only been allocated one space per apartment
8		1		Church Rd full of commuters by 7am, only matter of time until it effects Perwinkle Close
		1		99% of time cannot park outside home. Each property should have own space. Residents with drives park in road leaving drive empty. Commuters and shoppers park here. Will need to be monitored.
				Problem with people blocking our drive. Cars parked on footway cause problems
			1	Have own driveway. Present situation perfectly satisfactory
TOTAL		5	3	

Romney Court, Sittingbourne

Resident Ref No.	Road Name	Support	Object	Comments
1	Romney Court	1		Need a parking scheme. Vehicles from Chalkwell Road park here, plus a lot of vans and trucks.
TOTAL		1	0	