Dear resident / business owner / occupier,

Review of East Camberwell (EC) parking zone

EC parking zone was introduced, following public consultation, in 2009 and was extended in 2012 to cover Southampton Way, Wells Way and Parkhouse Street.

In response to feedback from local residents, the council has agreed to review the times of operation of the zone.

Have your say on proposals to change the times of operation in your parking zone

EC parking zone currently operates all day Monday to Friday from 8.30am to 6.30pm.

We would like to know if you are happy with the operational times of your zone or if you think that changes could be made, such as reducing the zone from all day to part day (e.g. for two hours per day) or operating on a Saturday.

Your views are important to us even if you do not own a vehicle or park in your street.

The council does not have any preference for any particular proposal and any changes would only be introduced if there was a broad consensus in favour.

To help you understand what is being proposed this letter contains

- A map of the existing parking zone and the next steps in the project (page 2)
- Frequently asked questions (FAQs) (page 3)
- A questionnaire for you to complete so that you can have your say (page 5-6)

How to have your say

- Online – complete the questionnaire online at www.southwark.gov.uk/parkingprojects
- Post – complete and return the attached questionnaire in an envelope (our FREEPOST address means you don’t need to put a stamp on the envelope)

The closing date to return your completed questionnaire is Friday 5 June 2015.
The map above shows the area being consulted.

We will also be using this review as an opportunity to:

- identify potential changes to the type and position of existing parking bays
- reduce and clarify the provision of parking signs.

**East Camberwell parking zone review – next steps**

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East Camberwell (EC) parking zone – Frequently asked questions

Why are you consulting us?
The council’s 2014/15 parking design programme was approved in September 2014 by the Head of Public Realm in conjunction with the Cabinet Member for Regeneration, Planning and Transport.

In February 2015, the relevant community councils agreed with the consultation methods and boundary for this consultation.

What is the difference between all day and part day parking zones?

All day parking zone (e.g. 8.30am to 6.30pm)
All day controls are successfully used in areas that have a high demand for parking throughout the course of day and with pressure from a variety of sources. This includes streets that are close to town centres, leisure attractions and public transport hubs etc.

These zones give a high degree of priority for local residents, businesses and their visitors; reducing the negative effects of commuter parking. Of course, longer hours of operation also mean that residents and visitors who want to park on street will need a permit or to pay for parking more frequently.

Part day parking zone (e.g. 12 noon to 2pm)
Part day controls are most successful in areas that have a sudden surge on demand for parking once a day, such as streets that are close to a commuter rail station. An example of this would be Herne Hill (HH) parking zone.

Outside of operational hours (i.e. most of the day) then parking is free and unrestricted. This can offer greater flexibility to residents and their visitors but it is also likely to result in higher pressure upon parking and fewer available spaces. This is especially the case if the demand for parking isn’t solely associated with rail station commuter parking.

What hours and days will East Camberwell (EC) parking zone operate?
The operational days of the week and hours of proposals will depend on the feedback the council receives from residents/businesses during this consultation process, as well as objective analysis of parking data with the aim of finding the best balance possible.

Would shorter operating hours result in cheaper parking permits?
Shorter operating periods would not result in lower permit prices; although you might need fewer visitor permits per year which would save you money. The council takes the view that parking permits should be the same price in all zones within Southwark because the service that we provide (prioritising parking to certain groups) remains the same, irrespective of any operational details.

What are virtual parking permits?
The Council will be operating a virtual permit system from June 2015. With virtual permits you apply for your permit online and it is issued to your vehicle immediately. They replace paper permits that had to be posted to you and then displayed in your windscreen.

Further information
Telephone: 020 7525 7764
Email: parkingreview@southwark.gov.uk
For further information on parking in Southwark can be found online by visiting www.southwark.gov.uk/parking

Postal responses should be sent to the following address:
FREEPOST RSDT-BHXK-SCAJQ
Public Realm Projects (Parking Design)
Floor 3, Hub 1
Southwark Council
Public Realm Division
PO BOX 64529
London, SE1P 5LX
East Camberwell (EC) parking zone review
Consultation questionnaire

Have your say about parking

We would like to hear your views on the option of changing the existing operational times of your parking zone. Please read the documents, FAQs and consider the proposal before completing the questionnaire online or by returning it to us via the freepost address, by Friday 05 June 2015.

The quickest way to respond is online at www.southwark.gov.uk/parkingprojects

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FREEPOST RSDT-BHXK-SCAJQ, Public Realm Projects (Parking Design), Floor 3, Hub 1, Southwark Council, Public Realm Division, PO BOX 64529, London, SE1P 5LX.

SECTION A – About you

It is important to know some details about you so that we can carefully analyse the results. To enable your comments to be matched to your street and to avoid any possible duplication of responses we need your full details.

1. Are you a resident or business?  □ Resident  □ Business

Name  
(required)

House / flat number and street name  
(required)

Postcode  
(required)

Email  
(optional)

SECTION B – The East Camberwell parking zone

2. During what hours would you like EC parking zone to operate?

□ Remain the same (10 hours per day)  □ Other (please specify) _____________________
□ 10 am to 12 noon (two hours per day)
□ 10 am to 2pm (four hours per day)

3. During what days would you like EC parking zone to operate?

□ Remain the same (Monday to Friday)  □ Other (please specify) _____________________
□ Monday to Saturday

4. Would you like us to consider replacing existing parking bays with any of the following?

This will help us plan future projects in your area. Tick all that apply.

□ On street bicycle parking
□ Car club bay
□ Trees  
If you have ticked any of these responses please provide more detail in your comments in question 5.
5. Do you have any comments about the existing East Camberwell (EC) parking zone?

Please use this page to make any comments on the consultation process and/or suggestions for how we can improve the parking layout (position and type of parking bay) in the parking zone.

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Replies will be used for the analysis of parking requirements in the area and for no other purpose. The information you provide will be used fairly and lawfully and Southwark Council will not knowingly do anything which may lead to a breach of the Data Protection Act 1998.