

The Basingstoke and Deane (Off Street Parking Places) Order 2020

Statement of reasons

There are 5 existing disabled parking bays in the leisure park car park that are not included in a traffic order and are unable to be enforced by the Council's Civil Enforcement Officers. This order proposed to formalise these bays so they can be enforced.

The current evening charge in the malls car park applies 7pm-8am it is proposed to change this to 6pm – 8am so that visitors to the nearby theatre can make use of an evening ticket when attending evening performances.

The order is also being updated to clearly state that a free parking ticket must be displayed within those car parks where a free parking period is available.

Therefore, having consulted the Chief Officer of Police, it has been considered to exercise the functions conferred on the council by S122(1) and having regard for S122 (2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as this course of action will secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular traffic and other traffic (including pedestrians).