Basingstoke and Deane (Off Street Parking Places) Order 2025 (Amendment No 03) (Kings Furlong Centre, The Winkle, Brighton Hill Playing Fields, Heathlands, Normanton Road, Quilter Road and Tadley Health and Fitness Centre Car Parks) Order 2026

Statement of Reasons

Electric vehicle charging places have been installed in Kings Furlong Centre, The Winkle, Brighton Hill Playing Fields, Heathlands, Normanton Road, Quilter Road and Tadley Health and Fitness Centre Car Parks. A traffic regulation order is proposed to formalise the bays and allow enforcement.

The provision of electric vehicle charging places helps build an infrastructure that will complement the shift to electric vehicles within the Borough and will assist in meeting the targets established through the council's climate emergency declaration and Transport Strategy.

The opportunity has been taken to formalise existing and future disabled parking bays within Normanton Road and Tadley Health and Fitness Centre car parks.

Quilter Road is proposed to have a 4-hour Monday to Sunday 8am-7pm parking limit This aims to improve turnover of vehicles during the day. There will be no time limit 7pm-8am.

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).