

Appendix C

Doug Napier

From: Chris Lee
Sent: 13 June 2016 11:57
To: Doug Napier
Cc: Clare Nicholas
Subject: FW: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields pay and display parking scheme.

Hi Doug , another one , could you please draft a short response for me to send

Thanks

From: Ged Curran
Sent: 13 June 2016 11:54
To: Sophie Jones-Lisa Barwell
Cc: Chris Lee
Subject: FW: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields pay and display parking scheme.

Kindly acknowledge and say Chris will respond.

Thanks

Ged Curran
Chief Executive
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From: HAMMOND, Sally [<mailto:HAMMONDSP@parliament.uk>]
Sent: 13 June 2016 08:57
To: .
Cc: . Councillor Brian Lewis-Lavender; Councillor Gilli Lewis-Lavender; Councillor Stephen Alambritis; Ged Curran
Subject: RE: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields pay and display parking scheme.

Dear ,

Thank you for sending Stephen Hammond MP a copy of your e-mail. I can appreciate your concern, and hope that the Council will be able to respond to you on this.

Best wishes.

Sally Hammond for Stephen Hammond MP
Office Manager

From: .
Date: 12 June 2016 19:07:45 WEST
To: "Mary-Jane.Jeanes@merton.gov.uk" <mary-jane.jeanes@merton.gov.uk>, "brian.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk" <brian.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk>, "gilli.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk" <gilli.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk>, "stephen.alambritis@merton.gov.uk" <stephen.alambritis@merton.gov.uk>, "chief.executive@merton.gov.uk" <chief.executive@merton.gov.uk>

Cc: "stephen.hammond.mp@parliament.uk" <stephen.hammond.mp@parliament.uk>,
"Gilli Lewis-Lavender" <gilli.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk>

Subject: RE: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields pay and display parking scheme.

Dear Mr Curran and Mr Alambritis

I was shocked and surprised to hear the news that there has been a pay and display meter installed in the car park of Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Field and I would be keen to know the plans for cost and usage periods.

I live at Marina Avenue which is immediately adjacent to the park and I have no doubt that introducing any kind of payment scheme in the park's car park will negatively impact on the parking in Marina Avenue. At present the car park gates are opened at 9.30am and closed in the evening and this is very effective at deterring commuter parking, so I fail to see what problem the parking meters will solve, however I can see all too clearly what problems they will cause.

I agree with all of the points raised by my neighbour in his email below, so I won't repeat them here. However I would like to formally lodge my anger at the lack of consultation on installing this pay and display meter. If there had been plans to introduce a CPZ in the street next to ours then we would have received months of consultations on the matter, and controls would only have been introduced with approval by residents. I cannot see how this should be any different, as the affect on Marina Avenue will be as bad as if a neighbouring CPZ had been introduced.

I look forward to hearing your response.

Kind regards,

cc: Stephen Hammond MP
cc: West Barnes councillors
cc: Friends of SJHMPPF
cc: Raynes Park and West Barnes residents association

From: stephen.hammond.mp@parliament.uk
To: Mary-Jane.Jeanes@merton.gov.uk; brian.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk; gilli.lewis-lavender@merton.gov.uk; stephen.alambritis@merton.gov.uk; chief.executive@merton.gov.uk
CC: stephen.hammond.mp@parliament.uk;
Subject: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields pay and display parking scheme.
Date: Fri, 10 Jun 2016 11:29:45 +0000

Dear Mr Curran and Mr Alambritis

Thank you

cc: Stephen Hammond MP
cc: West Barnes councillors
cc: Friends of SJHMPF
cc: Raynes Park and West Barnes residents association

Yours sincerely


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From: [Redacted]
Sent: 03 June 2016 12:06
To: Councillor Mary-Jane Jeanes
Subject: Re: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields

Hi Mary Jane,

thanks for inquiring about this.

The current arrangement to deter commuter parking in the SJHMPF car park is to open the gates at 9:30 am. This measure is very effective and does mean that the car park is not really used by commuters, who instead park in Marina and the surrounding streets.

The parking is pretty bad in Marina already on weekdays. our concern is that depending on the timings of the scheme, placing pay and display in the park will compound the effect on weekends as well, as recreational park users will try and park in Marina instead of in the JHMPF car park at all times.

Are the council are going to consult the residents on this please?

Thanks



I will preface this email by saying that Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing field is an excellent community facility and that the council should continue to invest in it for the future. As a resident, I appreciate the recent investment in the new gates etc.

Notwithstanding the above, I would like to express my disappointment at the way pay and display (P&D) parking is being implemented by the council at the Joseph Hood Memorial playing fields in Motspur park/West Barnes.

As residents of the area immediately adjacent to the park, we object to the implementation of pay and display (hours of operation currently unknown) in the park for the following reasons :-

- 1) This scheme will undoubtedly place additional parking pressure onto Marina Avenue and the surrounding residential streets.
- 2) The current arrangement of opening the gates at 9:30 AM already successfully deters commuters. Additional P&D measures will not improve the situation.
- 3) The impact on park users could be significant. The park is well used by members of the public and P&D could dissuade families and recreational users from using the facilities. As a resident I would like to see the park used to its full potential.
- 4) Rascals may be impacted. In our view a viable business in the pavilion is of benefit to the park. additional parking costs will deter customers.

in addition to the above, we are dissatisfied that:-

- 1) As a resident that will be directly impacted by this proposal we have been provided no formal notification about the details of the controls or the scheme.
- 2) We have not been consulted on our views on the suitability of P&D at this location
- 3) We have not been consulted about the timings of the proposed control hours.

Further questions that have been raised:-

- 1) Has a cost benefit analysis been carried out on the scheme. When is it expected to break even?
- 2) what is the expected revenue generation projection of the scheme?
- 3) confirmation that the funds will be ring fenced for reinvestment in the park.

A straw poll of the local residents in Marina Avenue indicates that there is concern about this scheme as the details are a complete unknown at this point in time.

Please can the deployment of this scheme be suspended until residents are consulted?

From: Councillor Mary-Jane Jeanes <Mary-Jane.Jeanes@merton.gov.uk>

Sent: 03 June 2016 10:05

To:

Subject: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields

Dear :

I asked about the bases which were being built and have been told that they are for pay and display parking to deter commuters. I have pointed out that this will make the parking worse in Marina Avenue, and possibly Arthur Rd as well.

Kind regards

Mary-Jane

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DM

Doug Napier

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 06 July 2017 10:29
To:
Subject: RE: Consultation on car parking charges for Revelstoke Road

Not being handled by us but by Traffic & Highways colleagues because of what it is.

Can't say for sure when it formally started, but there's been notices posted in the park since the consultation began.

The concept should be familiar to regular park users, however, as the P&D machines have been on site for several months now and I've been receiving enquires myself for many months too, mostly from people keen to see it operational.

Regards,

Doug

From:
Sent: 06 July 2017 09:37
To: Doug Napier
Cc: /
Janet
T.
Subject: Consultation on car parking charges for Revelstoke Road

Hi Doug

I'm receiving information through the grapevine details of a 'Consultation on car parking charges for Revelstoke Road'. It appears the closing date is tomorrow. If true surely we should have been included. I've copied the EC in as I've seen some disgruntled emails.

Could you let us have the facts please?

Regards

Doug Napier

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 03 June 2016 12:03
To: Councillor Mary-Jane Jeanes
Subject: RE: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing fields

Mary-Jane,

That's not the intention but my own impression is that parking in Marina Drive is rather difficult at the best of times.

Regards,

Doug

From: Councillor Mary-Jane Jeanes
Sent: 03 June 2016 11:34
To: Doug Napier
Subject: RE: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing fields

Dear Doug

Many thanks for your reply. I hope the charges will not put park users off coming or displace their cars onto Marina Ave and other nearby streets.

Best wishes

Mary-Jane

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 02 June 2016 07:15
To: Councillor Mary-Jane Jeanes
Subject: RE: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing fields

Mary-Jane:

It is for P&D parking. It's our attempt to tackle the awful commuter parking problems at Sir Joe. We get complaints that there's never any parking spaces there for park users, despite the park being largely empty.

Regards,

Doug

From: Councillor Mary-Jane Jeanes
Sent: 01 June 2016 17:15
To: Doug Napier
Subject: Sir Joseph Hood Memorial Playing fields

Hi Doug

I've been contacted by residents who have seen a base being constructed in the car park at SJHMP by the recycling bins. They are worried that it might be for a Pay and Display machine.

Please could you let me know what it is for.

Many thanks

Mary-Jane

JN

Doug Napier

From: Publicspace
Sent: 02 June 2017 07:51
To:
Subject: RE: TAMWORTH RECREATION
Attachments: 20170601_065809.jpg; 20170601_065746.jpg

Dear ,

Thank you for the photos. I hope you are well.

I can confirm that the grass will be cut today.

Have a good weekend.

Kind regards

Jezz

From: .
Sent: 01 June 2017 09:12
To: Publicspace
Subject: TAMWORTH RECREATION

When are these lawns going to be mown please. The attached photos are self explanatory.

We were also informed months and months ago that the parking meter would be active in the Spring. It has been a year now?

Regards

Sent from Samsung Mobile

AGK JWR

Doug Napier

From:
Sent: 09 November 2016 22:03
To: Doug Napier
Cc:
Subject: Fwd: Website Enquiry

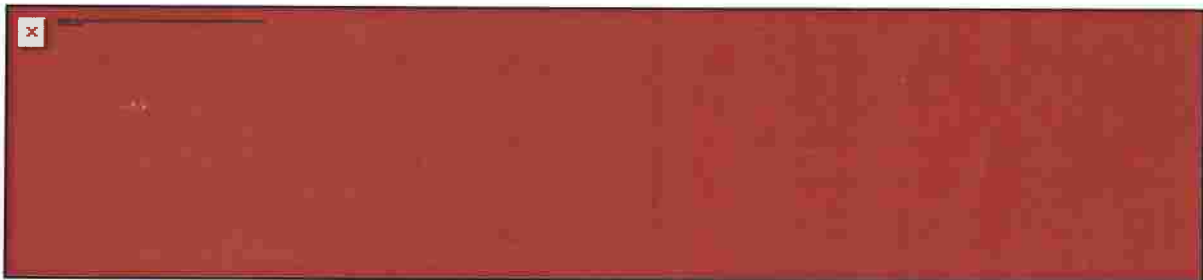
Hi Doug

With reference to this FOWP member enquiry, could you enlighten us please so that I can reply to the enquiry and others like it.

Many thanks

-----Original message-----

From:
Date : 09/11/2016 - 21:39 (GMTST)
To :
Subject : Website Enquiry



General Enquiries

Name:

Email:

Phone:

Your message:

Hello
Do you know what is happening with the parking meter in the car park, it seems to have gone.

Thanks



BRK JM

Doug Napier

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 11 November 2016 08:16
To:
Subject: RE: RE: Website Enquiry

Yes, others have made this same point, especially those who manage events! I don't imagine that it will return in the very same spot. Operational early in the New Year now I reckon.

Kind regards,

Doug

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 10 November 2016 22:04
To: Doug Napier
Subject: Re: RE: Website Enquiry

Thanks Doug. Yes that makes sense. What doesn't make sense is why it was put there in the first place! When is it likely to come into operation please?

-----Original message-----

From : Doug.Napier@merton.gov.uk
Date : 10/11/2016 - 07:11 (GMTST)
To :
Subject : RE: Website Enquiry

Removed temporarily pending relocation as it was blocking common access routes into the main field - for events purposes in particular.

Trust this makes sense.

Regards,

Doug

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 09 November 2016 22:03
To: Doug Napier
Cc:
Subject: Fwd: Website Enquiry

Hi Doug

With reference to this FOWP member enquiry, could you enlighten us please so that I can reply to the enquiry and others like it.

Many thanks

-----Original message-----

From : [REDACTED]

Date : 09/11/2010 - 21:39 (GMTST)

To : [REDACTED]

Subject : Website Enquiry



General Enquiries

Name:

[REDACTED]

Email:

Phone:

Your message:

Hello
Do you know what is happening with the
parking meter in the car park, it seems to have
gone.

Thanks

Email sent [REDACTED]

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Jm

Doug Napier

From:
Sent: 10 June 2016 19:31
To: Nick
Cc: Doug Napier;
Subject: Re: Parking meter

One also wonders who, if any, will still enjoy free parking?



Virus-free. www.avast.com

On 10 June 2016 at 11:29, wrote:
Hi Doug

I've heard rumours and now a parking meter has appeared. Could you update us please?

Regards

-----Original Message-----

From:
Sent: 09 June 2016 16:17
To:
Subject: FW: Parking meter

Hi .

Do you know what is happening with regard to parking charges (query below). Have we had any confirmation whether this is happening, what the charges will be and which hours they will apply?

Thanks

On 09/06/2016 15:..

..... wrote:

>Dear .

>Just seen a parking meter installed in the park car park nearest us. Do
>you know anything about this?
>Regards,
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>

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> [mailto: [redacted]@ [redacted]]

AK TM

Doug Napier

From: Doug Napier
Sent: 25 January 2017 12:50
To:
Subject: RE: Wimbledon Park

Yes, that's still our position. But there's a formal consultation hurdle to overcome that may raise some issues that we will need to reflect upon.

Regards,

Doug

-----Original Message-----

From:
Sent: 25 January 2017 11:26
To: Doug Napier
Subject: RE: Wimbledon Park

Doug,

Thanks for your quick reply.

Please can you confirm that the details below still apply?

"The proposal is that parking charges will apply from 8am to 4pm. Charges will apply between Monday and Saturday, not Sundays or bank holidays. Parking will not be permitted between 11pm and 6am. Sanctions can therefore be applied to vehicles left overnight."

Regards,

> The meter will be coming back - it's currently in storage on site. It
> was removed in order to provide better access to the field for the
> fireworks event. I'm anticipating it will be in full operation by the
> time that the new spring/summer season comes around.

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> Regards,

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> Doug

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> -----Original Message-----

> **From:**
> **Sent:** 20 January 2017 09:05
> **To:** Doug Napier
> **Subject:** Wimbledon Park

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> Doug,

> I'm putting together the next edition of the SGRA newsletter and I'd
> like to include an update on the proposed parking meter in Wimbledon
> Park. It was removed a short while after our previous correspondence
> and I'd like to get some information on why that was and if there are
> any future plans to reintroduce a meter. Is it a case of waiting until

> there is clarity on the wider park redevelopment plans?
> Regards,
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>> Not quite sure why the proximity to Southfields Tube Station is
>> especially relevant here; clearly the RR car park is almost as close
>> to Wimbledon Park tube station and, personally I've always
>> considered RR to be the main park entrance and is where most of the
>> car parking pressures arise. Clearly we will be monitoring any
>> "shifts" that the
> current proposals may stimulate.
>>
>> We've settled on 5 parks for this scheme for now.
>>
>> Doug
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>> -----Original Message-----
>>
>> Sent: 16 June 2016 10:24
>> To: Doug Napier
>> Subject: RE: Wimbledon Park
>>
>> Many thanks Doug.
>> I'm pasting draft copy below. Please alert me to any factual inaccuracies.
>> Regards,
>>
>> Park to introduce parking charge
>> A parking meter is due to start operating in Wimbledon Park's
>> Revelstoke Road car park from September. It's one of six parks in
>> Merton where the council is targeting commuters who deprive
>> legitimate park
> users of parking spaces.
>>

>> Subject to consultation, the standard charge will be 30p per hour.
>> Mobile phone payments will be accepted as well as coins.
>>
>> The proposal is that parking charges will apply from 8am to 4pm.
>> Charges will apply between Monday and Saturday, not Sundays or bank
>> holidays. Parking will not be permitted between 11pm and 6am.
>> Sanctions can therefore be applied to vehicles left overnight.
>>
>> However, there are no current plans to install a meter in the
>> Wimbledon Park Road car park, despite the fact that it is the closer
>> of the park's two car parks to Southfields tube station. Doug
>> Napier, Merton's Environment and Regeneration Greenspaces Manager,
>> said installing a meter there would require significant investment
>> in
> resurfacing and painting parking bay lines.
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>>> The plans will be subject to local consultation but the current
>>> plans
> are:
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>>> 30p per hour is the standard charge at WP. Mobile phone payments
>>> will be possible as well as coins.
>>>
>>> The proposal is that parking charges will apply from 8am to 4pm.
>>> Charges will apply between Monday and Saturday, not Sundays or
>>> Bank
>> Holidays.
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>>> Parking will not be permitted between 11pm and 6am. Sanctions can
>>> therefore be applied to vehicles left overnight.
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>>> Kind regards,
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>>> Doug
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>>> -----Original Message-----
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>>> Sent: 15 June 2016 09:26
>>> To: Doug Napier
>>> Subject: RE: Wimbledon Park
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>>> Many thanks Doug,
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>>>> Will reply later today.
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>>>> Infrastructure?: yes, spot on below.
>>>>
>>>> Doug
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>>>> -----Original Message-----
>>>> From
>>>> Sent: 15 June 2016 09:01
>>>> To: Doug Napier
>>>> Subject: Wimbledon Park
>>>>
>>>> Doug,
>>>> Just one more thing I want to clarify. When you mentioned of the
>>>> need to invest in "infrastructure"
>>>> in the Wimbledon Park Road car park should that have a meter,
>>>> can you explain what that involves...
>>>> resurfacing, parking bay markings?
>>>> We're going to press at the end of this week so I'd be really
>>>> grateful to get the details on the proposed parking fee
>>>> structure when you have
>>> time.
>>>> Regards,

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