

WEST BERKSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL (OFF STREET PARKING PLACES) (CIVIL ENFORCEMENT AND CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2009 (AMENDMENT NO. 13) Order 202[]

STATEMENT OF REASONS

On 29 February 2024, at a meeting of the Full Council, the Council resolved to amend the West Berkshire District Council (Off Street Parking Places) (Civil Enforcement and Consolidation) Order 2009 (as amended) (“the Principal Order”) to implement revised changes to the parking charges and to amend the current exemptions (where applicable) for disabled person’s badge holders by limiting the current exemption from charge to a maximum free three hour period.

This amendment Order is being proposed for the following reasons:

1. To provide a charging regime that is consistent across the District.
2. To generate income to continue to provide maintenance and enforcement activity across all Council car parks, whilst supporting the District’s economy, noting Department of Transport statutory guidance which states that enforcement authorities should aim to increase compliance with parking restrictions through clear, well designed, legal and enforced parking controls.
3. To enhance the availability of disabled parking places.