LONDON BOROUGH OF BRENT HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE 17th December 2003

REPORT FROM THE DIRECTOR OF ENVIRONMENT

FOR INFORMATION / ACTION

NAME OF WARD: Mapesbury

REPORT TITLE : REVIEW OF CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE GM & MC (CRICKLEWOOD)	3
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1.0 SUMMARY

1.1 This report updates Members on progress with the reviews of the Controlled Parking Zones (CPZs) GM and MC.

2.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 That Committee notes the results of informal consultations and officers' recommendations on the review of Zones GM and MC CPZ's to be reported at Committee.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The cost of implementing changes to Zones GM and MC, if supported, is estimated at £30,000 and will be met from the Transportation Service Unit's revenue funds (Parking Account).

4.0 STAFFING IMPLICATIONS

4.1 The Transportation Service Unit is undertaking the review of the Zones GM and MC CPZs and will undertake the public consultation, statutory consultation and implementation work in respect of any changes resulting from the review.

5.0 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The implementation of CPZ schemes is in line with Government guidelines and policies relating to integrated transport policy and road traffic restraint. The CPZ will enhance the local environment by removing commuter parking and the wider environment by discouraging certain car journeys.

6.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

6.1 The "pay and display" and permit parking methods of parking control and parking prohibitions (waiting and loading restrictions) are made by a traffic regulation order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The procedures to be adopted for making the actual orders and any amendments thereto are set out in the Local Authorities 'Traffic Orders (Procedure) (England and Wales) Regulations 1996.

6.2 Any changes identified in the review and approved for implementation will require the amending of the existing traffic regulation order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

7.0 DETAIL

- 7.1 The 16 October 2003 Committee considered again the outcome of a preliminary review of the Zone GM CPZ which identified support for two separate times of operation within the CPZ. The streets closest to Cricklewood Broadway had indicated support for the existing times of 10 am to 9 pm, Monday to Saturday, and this was further supported by a petition from residents of these streets requesting that the existing CPZ times be retained. The indication from streets further away from the Broadway was that residents wanted reduced operational times of 10 am to 3 pm, Monday to Saturday. These areas are shown in the map attached at Appendix A. Committee agreed that officers re-consult in Zone GM on the operational times of the CPZ. The consultation was underway at the time of writing this report and the results will be reported at Committee. A copy of the consultation document is attached at Appendix B.
- 7.2 Committee was also informed that a review of the Zone MC CPZ would be undertaken at the same time as the Zone GM review. The operational times of Zone MC are currently 10 am to 9 pm, Monday to Saturday, and if the consultation indicates support for these times to be retained, it is feasible that the area of GM, which indicated support for the '10am to 9pm' operational times could be amalgamated with Zone MC. Committee agreed for this option to be considered in the Zone MC review. A copy of the consultation is attached at Appendix C and the results will be reported at Committee.
- 7.3 Concerns had previously been raised through a petition from the Mosque and Islamic Centre of Brent, and the Dar-Al-Islam Foundation at the inadequate provision of short-term 'pay & display' parking for visitors to these centres. The petitioners concerns were considered by Committee and investigated by officers, and has resulted in additional short term parking being identified in the MC zone in Sheldon Road and Chichele Road. The statutory consultation in respect of these improvements was underway at the time of writing this report.
- 7.4 A meeting of officers and ward members on 1st October further discussed the issue of the limited parking for worshippers attending the Mosque. A proposal for permit holder only bays in streets close to the Mosque being converted to shared use operation (permit holder and "pay and display") on Fridays 12.30 2.30pm has therefore been included within the consultation document for both zones and the results will be reported at Committee.

8.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Details of Documents:

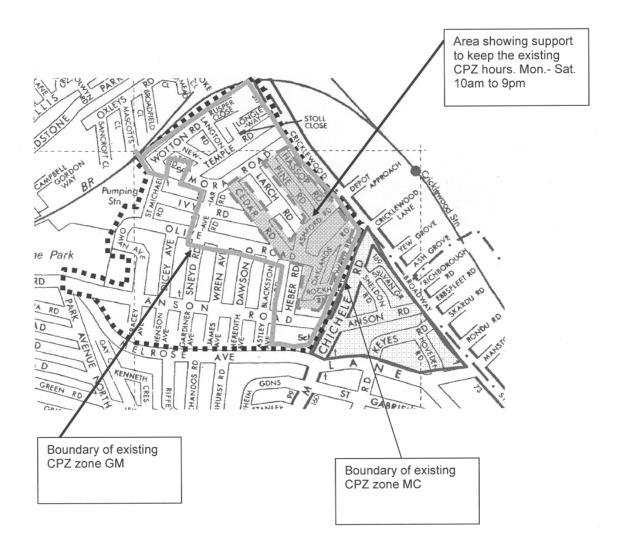
 8.1 Environment Committee 29th July 1998 (report No. 53) Transportation Sub Committee 12 December 2001 L.B. Brent Parking Strategy A New Deal for Transport: Better for Everyone (DETR) Traffic Management and Parking Guidance for London (GOL) Petition received.

8.2 Any person wishing to inspect the above papers should contact David Eaglesham, Transportation Service Unit, Brent House, 349 High Road, Wembley, Middlesex HA9 6BZ,

Telephone: 020 8937 5140

Richard Saunders Director of Environment

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REVIEW OF CONTROLLED PARKING ZONES GM & MC (CRICKLEWOOD) APPENDIX B



REVIEW OF CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE (CPZ) - ZONE GM CONSULTATION November 2003

BACKGROUND

You will recall that in June this year, Brent Council carried out a preliminary review of the CPZ in your area. The results of the review showed that whilst the CPZ was generally well supported, residents in a number of streets wanted the operational times of the current parking controls to be reduced from 10am to 9pm, Monday to Saturday, to 10am to 3pm, Monday to Saturday. This was particularly the case in streets further away from Cricklewood Broadway. At the same time however, the indication from streets closer to Cricklewood Broadway was that residents wanted the existing CPZ times to be retained. The preliminary review also showed that there was demand for additional short term 'pay & display' parking near Cricklewood Broadway, particularly near the Mosque in Chichele Road.



REVIEW PROPOSALS

In view of the above it is proposed to divide the existing zone GM CPZ to reflect the support for the 2 different sets of operating times. It is proposed that the streets which support the reduced hours of operation (10am to 3pm, Monday to Saturday) be retained within Zone GM, and those which support the existing times be amalgamated with the adjacent Zone MC, which also currently operates from 10am to 9pm, Monday to Saturday. The proposed changes are shown on the map overleaf.

To address the demand for additional short term parking it is proposed that the 'permit holder only' bays in Howard Road, Oaklands Road and Rockhall Road be converted to 'shared use' bays, i.e. permit holder and 'pay & display' bays, but only on Fridays between 12.30pm and 2.30pm.

Please note that the above are only proposals at this stage and the changes will only be made if there is majority support. Your views on the above proposal are therefore requested on the proposals. A brief questionnaire has been prepared for you to complete based on the feedback we have received to date, although please feel free to make any comments and suggestions you may wish to.

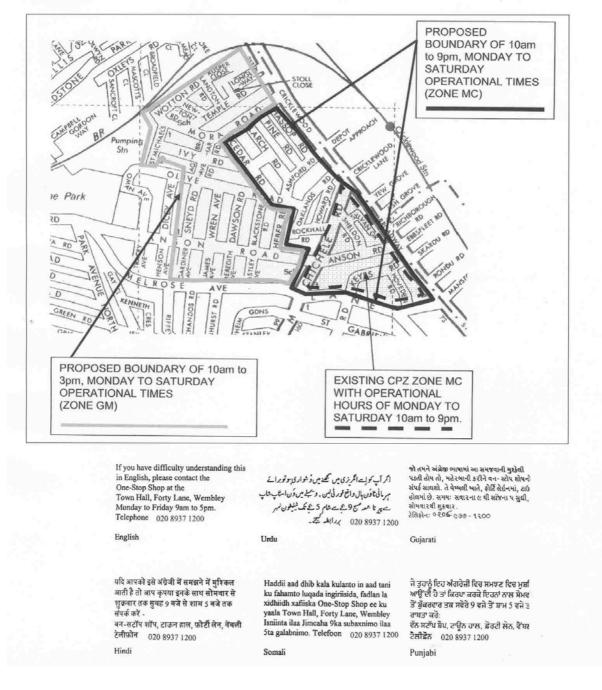
Please take the time to consider the proposals and then complete and return the attached questionnaire by 10th December 2003 using the free post facility provided on the reverse side of the questionnaire.

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If you require further information or wish to discuss the proposed scheme for your area please telephone the Traffic Management Team on 020 8937 5132.

MAP SHOWING PROPOSED CPZ AREAS

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	e note: photocopied questionnaires will not be accepted)
1. Which	of the following do you support as the operational times of your CPZ?
a)	10am to 3 pm Monday to Saturday?
b)	10am to 9 pm Monday to Saturday?
2. Please and the pr	e use the space below for any comments or suggestions you may wish to make about the cpz oposals.
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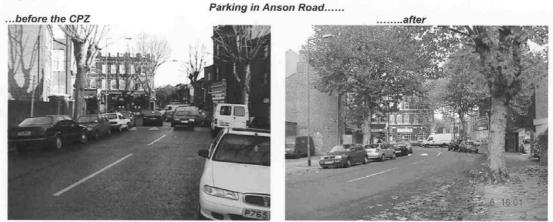
REVIEW OF CONTROLLED PARKING ZONES GM & MC (CRICKLEWOOD) APPENDIX C



REVIEW OF CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE - ZONE MC CONSULTATION-November 2003

INTRODUCTION

Brent Council is proposing to review the Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ) - Zone MC parking controls which were introduced in your area in December 2000. The review is intended to seek your views on how you feel the parking controls are working and if there are any particular issues you would like Brent Council to look at, or if you have any suggestions on how the CPZ could be improved.



REVIEW PROPOSALS

The main complaint received so far is that there is not enough short term 'pay & display' parking for visitors to the area; for example, to the local shops, surgeries and the Mosque in Chichele Road. Some changes have already been made to provide extra short term parking in streets where the 'permit holder' parking spaces are not used during the day. The review will try and find other similar streets where the permit holder bays are not used so that extra parking is made available for visitors. Please note however that this will only be done where there are spaces, so that residents with permits will still be able to park close to their homes.

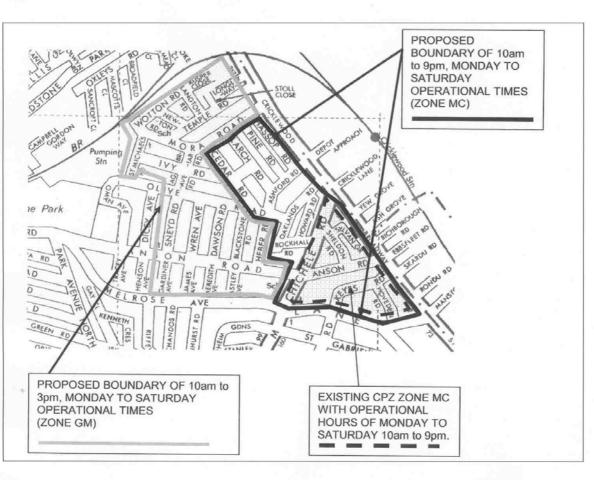
A first review of the CPZ (zone GM) which covers the area to the other side of Chichele Road has been carried out. The CPZ has the same times of operation as your zone but some residents want the times reduced to 10 am to 3 pm, Monday to Saturday, and this is mainly in the streets which are further away from Cricklewood Broadway; residents who live close to the Broadway still want to keep the existing 10 am to 9 pm, Monday to Saturday times. It has been suggested that these streets be included in your zone (MC). Please let us know your views on this, and tell us how you feel about the CPZ and how you think it could be improved.

This is the first stage of the review to find out if there are any particular concerns that local residents, businesses and other organisations may have. We will contact you again with the results in January/February 2004.

Please use the attached questionnaire to let us know if you want any changes made to your CPZ and how you feel about the CPZ by 10th December 2003, using the free post facility provided on the reverse side of the questionnaire.

If you would like to speak to a Council officer about your CPZ please contact the Traffic

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MAP SHOWING PROPOSED CPZ AREAS

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If you have difficulty understanding this in English, please contact the One-Stop Shop at the Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm. Telephone 020 8937 1200

English

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Please complete and return this questionnaire to	o Brent Council by 10 th December 2003 using
the free post facility provided on	the reverse side of this form.
(Please note: photocopied questi	onnaires will not be accepted)
1) Are you a : Resident? Business?	3) Would you support sharing permit holder bays with short term pay & display parking (maximum stay 2 hours) in your street?
	YES NO
2) Do you think the existing 10am to 9pm Monday to Saturday CPZ operational hours for your street should	
be changed?	YES NO NOT SURE
YES NO	If No, please state why below
(a) If 'YES', which of the following would you prefer?	
8 am - 9 pm? 8 am – 6.30 pm?	
10 am - 3 pm?	
(b) If you do not support any of the operational hours operating near your area, what are your preferred times of CPZ operation?	
am topm Monday to Friday	
(c) Include operation on Saturday?	
YES NO	and the second
Please use the space below for your comments/sugg	estions: