WEMBLEY STADIUM EVENT DAY PARKING CONTROLS

Supplemental Officers Information

That paragraph 5.1 in the report is supplemented by the following paragraphs.

The review of the Wembley event day parking arrangements is intended to take place after the first season of events and during the months of November 2007 to February 2008 and will include consultations with the Wembley Stadium Residents Advisory Committee and residents associations.

Other parking issues that have arisen during the Wembley events that have taken place so far, are mainly concerned with the lack of consideration for visitors parking during weddings, parties and visitors to places of worship.

Arrangements for funerals are already in place in controlled parking zones and the Wembley PPS to allow parking at places of worship and to accommodate the funeral arrangements at the resident's homes. These arrangements will be better communicated to residents and to local religious leaders and funeral parlours.

The current arrangements for weddings allow residents to ask for up to 10 temporary permits from any of parking shop. These permits are vehicle specific and assist the resident with organisational arrangements on the day. Wedding guests are asked to leave their invitation cards in their vehicles on the dash board along with a note as to where the driver can be located.

In the main parking attendants have been advised to carry out reactive enforcement in these areas and particularly when asked to by residents.

To prevent the disruption to resident's social life and to retain their ability to visit relatives and friends during events, officers are looking into the possibility of scratch cards or special visitors permits.

Recommendations

Members may wish to propose the following additional recommendations:

2.4 Officers are instructed to investigate the suitability of a prepaid visitor scratch card system.