**Community Services**

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**‘Important Parking Consultation’**

The Resident

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Dear Resident,

**Parking Review, Clarence Ward (Ladder Roads) Update**

Following the informal consultations and review of the responses the proposal for the Ladder Roads scheme has been amended as follows:

* The introduction of the shared use parking bays (Residents and PaybyPhone bays) has been removed.
* To protect the parking supply in areas adjacent to the existing Zone P (Ladders Roads) scheme it will be extended into the following roads:

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| **Roads To be included in existing Zone P Scheme (Ladder Roads)** | |
| * Arthur Road * Burnham Road * Eaton Road * Monks Horton Way * Royal Road | * Salisbury Road outside 19 to 37 (Odds), * St Paul’s Place * Woodstock Road North * Woodstock Road South |

These roads will be subject to residents only parking to match the existing zone P Ladder Roads Scheme, i.e. Monday to Friday 11am to 1pm.

* In addition to residents parking, to protect sight lines (driver visibility) and improve passing points for vehicles, single and double yellow lines will be introduced as detailed on the enclosed maps. These are shown by a single or double yellow line.
* Clarence Road - between Hatfield Road and York Road, the layout of the parking bays will be amended to improve passing opportunities and increase the number of residents parking bays as detailed on the enclosed maps.
* The limited (free) waiting period in York Road and Clarence Road will be amended to remove the Saturday restriction as this was found not to be required. Times remain unchanged i.e. two hours, no return within 1 hour, 8am to 6pm).
* If these proposals are agreed and implemented, they will be reviewed after 12 months.

The remaining proposals which we consulted on are under review and a fresh proposal to those residents will be sent shortly. These are not expected to impact on the original Zone P (Ladder Roads) scheme or the proposals above.

Next Steps:

We will be advertising our intent to make the relevant Traffic Orders which will amend the original Ladder Roads Orders to include the new roads and make the amendments as detailed above and shown on the attached maps.

The advert (Public Notice) will appear in the local newspaper, the Herts Advertiser, on **Thursday 12th May 2021**.

The closing date for any comments and objections will be **4th June 2021,** see enclosed public notice for more information.

Once we have reviewed any comments and objections, we will update residents. This will include details of any scheme start date and how to obtain permits if the scheme is agreed.

Please note, this is a formal consultation process. It is the St Albans City and District Councils intention to implement the proposed changes detailed above, subject to any further comments or objections.

Yours faithfully



**Gary Payne**

Specialist Officer (Parking)