

Friary Way and Valley Avenue, N12 – Results of Parking Consultation

Appendix A

Scheme Name: **Friary Way and Valley Avenue – Informal Parking Consultation**
Department: **Traffic & Development**
Date: **22nd September 2016**
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Dear Sir/Madam

Friary Way and Valley Avenue N12 – Informal Parking Review

The Council has been made aware of the concerns about the high level of perceived ‘non-resident’ parking in Friary Way and Valley Avenue N12, resulting in fewer places for residents to park.

In response to this, the Finchley and Golders Green Area Committee has agreed that this should be investigated. We are therefore contacting you so that you can give us your views about how we can improve parking in your streets.

We would like your views on the current parking situation in your road and if you would support the introduction of parking controls. Subject to the responses we receive, any measures introduced would seek to deter all day commuter-type parking, protect residents’ parking, allow for visitor parking, facilitate better management of the parking layout, and improve traffic flow.

The enclosed drawing 20493/200 shows:

- The informal parking consultation area
- The nearby boundaries of the existing controlled parking areas.

If your road is included in a future Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ) it would mean that resident parking bays and yellow line waiting restrictions would be marked and signed on street.

Residents wishing to park in the resident bays would need to purchase a valid resident permit. Only those living in the CPZ would be eligible to apply for resident permits and visitor vouchers. Please see the questions and answers leaflet, accompanying this letter, for further details of current costs.

During the operational hours of a CPZ, non-permit holders would not be able to park in the area, although disabled motorists can park in any residents parking bay, or display their Disabled Badge on any yellow line restriction, for up to three hours.

We are asking each household to complete only one questionnaire, so please ensure that the views given are representative of your household.

The questionnaire is designed to help us better understand the parking needs in your road and local area. By ensuring we get information and opinions from people who live in your road, we can gain an accurate picture of how we can make improvements to the parking situation in your area if necessary.

Please use the following link to the online questionnaire:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/friaryparking>. Alternatively, please ring 020 8359 3555 or email parking.consultations@barnet.gov.uk to request a paper copy of the questionnaire. Any paper copies should be sent to the Design Team, Traffic and Development Section, London Borough of Barnet, 11th Floor, Barnet House 1255 High Road, Whetstone London N20 0EJ.

Please could you ensure all questionnaires are completed by **Friday 14 October 2016**.

All of the responses will be analysed and the outcome will help us determine what action needs to be taken to address areas of concern, so it is very important that you take this opportunity to express your views.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for taking the time to read this letter, and look forward to receiving your completed questionnaire. Everyone consulted as part of this exercise will be notified in due course of the outcome and the council's intended course of action.

If you have any further questions, please contact us at the email address above, or on the above telephone number.

Yours faithfully

TRAFFIC AND DEVELOPMENT SECTION

Friary Way and Valley Avenue parking consultation

Introduction

The council has been made aware of concerns about the high level of perceived 'non-resident' parking in Friary Way and Valley Avenue N12, resulting in fewer places for residents to park. In response to these parking concerns, the Finchley and Golders Green Area Committee agreed that this should be investigated. We are therefore carrying out a review of parking within these roads to ask residents for their views on parking.

This consultation is intended to give the council a clearer understanding of the parking issues in these roads and help determine whether any changes should be made to improve parking availability for local residents.

Please take the time to give us your views about parking in your road by completing this questionnaire.

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SurveyMonkey and data protection statement

The London Borough of Barnet uses SurveyMonkey to host surveys and collect responses.

The council has investigated the data assurance and legal framework which SurveyMonkey provides and is satisfied that it meets the requirements of the Data Protection Act 1998.

The London Borough of Barnet complies with all its duties under the Data Protection Act 1998. To ensure personal information about you is secure, all of your answers will be treated in the strictest confidence and will be stored in accordance with our responsibilities under the Data Protection Act 1998.

You can read more about Barnet's privacy statement here: www.barnet.gov.uk/privacy. If you have any questions about this statement please email first.contact@barnet.gov.uk.

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Section 1 - General Information

In an effort to understand your particular needs and get as clear a picture as possible, please tell us where you live. If you do not want to tell us your full name please ensure you give us your address and/or post code - without it we won't know where the problems may be.

1. Please provide your name, address and postcode: (Please type in your answer)

Name

Road Name

House Number or Name

Postcode

2. Is this property your: (Please select one option only)

- ☐ Home
- ☐ Business
- ☐ Both
- ☐ Other (please specify)

3. How many vehicles are there in the above household/business/other? (Please select one option only)

- ☐ None ☐ Two
- ☐ One ☐ Three
- ☐ More than three (please specify)

4. How many of these are parked on the street? (Please select one option only)

- ☐ None ☐ Two
- ☐ One ☐ Three
- ☐ More than three (please specify)

5. Is there a Blue Badge holder at this address? (Please select one option only)

- ☐ Yes ☐ No

Section 3 - Parking Issues

☐ Yes

☐ No

| | Morning | Afternoon | Evening | Night |
|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Monday to Friday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Saturday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sunday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

☐ Yes

☐ No

| | Morning | Afternoon | Evening | Night |
|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Monday to Friday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Saturday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sunday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

☐ Yes☐ No

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Section 3 - Parking Issues (continued)

12. When do these problems mainly occur? (Please select all that apply)

| | Morning | Afternoon | Evening | Night |
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| Monday to Friday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Saturday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sunday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

13. Do you find it difficult to turn at junctions in your road due to parked vehicles? (Please tick one option only)

☐ Yes

☐ No

14. If yes, please specify which junctions: (Please type in your answer)

15. Do your visitors have problems parking in your road? (Please select one option only)

☐ Yes

☐ No

16. If yes, please give details: (Please type in your answer)

17. When do these problems mainly occur? (Please select all that apply)

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| Saturday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sunday | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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Section 4 – Parking Overall

18. Are you happy with the current parking situation in your road? (Please select one option only)

☐ Yes

☐ No

19. Would you like parking issues in your road to be investigated further? (Please select one option only)

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Please give details (whether you have responded either yes or no): (Please type in your answer)

A Controlled Parking Zone is an area where all on-street parking is controlled either by signs, yellow lines or designated parking bays. It gives priority to residents and local businesses and their visitors, who must display their permits or vouchers to show their entitlement to park during the operational hours of the zone. Any vehicles that are parked illegally are liable to receive a penalty charge notice, issued by uniformed civil enforcement officers who would regularly patrol the area.

20. Would you like your road to be included as part of a Controlled Parking Zone? (Please select one option only)

☐ Yes

☐ No

21. If you have any further comments and suggestions regarding parking in your road, or if you have any parking issues elsewhere in the area (see plan of consultation area) that you would like to raise relating to this questionnaire, please let us know: (Please type in your answer)

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Section 5 – The Questionnaire

We have tried to keep this questionnaire as short as possible but at the same time covering most areas of concern that you may have. We have used a layout and questions that we hope have been easy to follow and that will provide us with as much information as possible so we can find out how you feel about parking in your road and area. In order to let us know whether we are achieving this, we would be very grateful if you could please tell us what you thought of this questionnaire.

22. Do you think the questionnaire has met the criteria mentioned above and enabled you to get your views across? (Please select one option only)

☐ Yes

☐ No

23. Please give us your comments: (Please type in your answer)

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Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire

If you have any queries regarding this questionnaire please contact us by:

emailing: parking.consultations@barnet.gov.uk,

writing to: Parking Design Team, London Borough of Barnet, Barnet House, 1255 High Road, London N20 0EJ.
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