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To the Resident / Occupier Charlotte House 282 Kew Road Kew TW9 3DU

Dear Resident / Occupier

## Kew Controlled Parking Zone (Zone KA) Review – Questionnaire for Completion

Following the submission of a petition from residents of this part of Kew Road, the Council is carrying out a consultation in this immediate area of Zone KA on parking proposals as described below and as shown on the attached maps.

The proposals are to:

- Adjust the boundary of Zones KA and KC. If implemented as proposed, property Nos 336 to 358 Kew Road inclusive and all properties in James Cottages and Gloucester Court will be situated in and only be able to apply for parking permits for Zone KC. Zone KC is operational Monday to Sunday 10am to 4.30pm including Bank Holidays).
- Create a new Zone KD for Nos 292 to 322 Kew Road only. If implemented as proposed, only residents of these properties will be able to apply for parking permits for this new zone. No other parking permits other than Zone KD will be valid in this new zone.

The above proposals are aimed at improving parking conditions for all residents of this part of Kew Road by re-distributing some of the parking demand to Zone KC where most spaces can be used by permit holders of Zone KC. We will, however, be looking at the overall provision of parking space in Zone KC with the aim of ensuring that any displacement of parking demand from Zone KA does not create any difficulties for existing or new permit holders of Zone KC.

These changes are being proposed as part of an overall review of all controlled parking zones in Kew.

Your address is situated outside the boundary of the proposed new Zone KD so therefore it will remain within Zone KA if implemented. Please be informed that we are also currently seeking feedback from residents and businesses in Zone KA on how this scheme is working and whether any changes should be made. This includes seeking views on whether the CPZ's operational hours/days are about right or need to be changed and whether the boundary/formation of the zones should be altered.

The current operational hours/days for Zone KA (10am to noon, Monday to Friday) are in Tier-1 as shown in the following table. The table indicates the current parking permit costs and how these could alter if this zone's operational hours/days were changed.

Tier	Operational Hours	Operational Days	Annual Residents' Permit Charge	Annual Business Permit Charge	Daily Resident Visitor Permit charge
1	4hrs or less	Mon - Fri/Sat/Sun	£63.80	£213.40	£1.65
2	Between 4hrs and 10.5hrs	Mon - Fri/Sat	£108.50	£360.70	£3.30
	Between 4hrs and 6.5hrs	Mon – Sun	£108.50	£360.70	£3.30
3	More than 6.5hrs	Mon – Sun	£143.20	£480.50	£6.60
	More than 10.5hrs	Mon - Fri/Sat/Sun	£143.20	£480.50	£6.60

## **Resident and Business permits**

The above resident and business permit prices are for the first permit issued per household/business for one year. Subsequent resident permits purchased per year are approximately 100% more for the second permit and 200% more for the third and further permits issued. Subsequent business permits purchased are approximately 50% more for the second permit purchased per year and 50% again for third and further permits issued.

## **Resident visitor permits**

Resident visitor permits (scratch cards) are available at half the standard price to the over 60s. These permits must be validated for the relevant time period and in two hour CPZs, each one allows parking for a full day. CPZs that operate for longer than four hours require two permits to be displayed to allow all day parking.

Please note that all parking charges are reviewed annually.

Both Zones KA and KB were last reviewed in 2020 which showed some support for longer hours and/or for event day controls to be introduced to provide protection when events are held at Kew Gardens and Brentford Football Club. We are currently reviewing the existing event scheme that operates in the North Kew zone (Zone KC) to decide whether this will continue in operation for the future. Therefore, we are not consulting specifically on the introduction of event day controls in your area at this time.

Please let us know any views you have on the proposals and/or any other comments you may have on how Zone KA operates and/or on parking generally in the area.

There are two ways of providing your response:

## Online survey

To respond to the online survey, please visit: https://haveyoursay.citizenspace.com/richmondecs/zone-oskdreview-24

You can also access the online survey by scanning the QR code below.



If you are unable to complete the survey online and you would like a hard copy of the questionnaire, please call 020 8871 8929 leaving your name and address and quoting reference 'Kew CPZs Review' and one will be posted out to you with a postage paid return envelope.

Please ensure we have received your responses by **Sunday 29 September 2024.** All feedback, both received to date and in response to this consultation, will be considered by the Council along with all relevant traffic management and other highway factors prior to a decision being made on how the CPZ operates in the future.

Further information on this review and generally on CPZs can be viewed by visiting the webpages below or by calling the Customer Service Centre on 020 8891 1411. www.richmond.gov.uk/kew\_cpz\_consultations www.richmond.gov.uk/controlled\_parking\_zones

Yours faithfully

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