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Date: 7th January 2021

Dear Sir or Madam,

Owner/Occupier

THIS IS NOT A CIRCULAR

Proposed residents' parking scheme – Godwyne Road, Castlemount Road, Godwyne Close, Harold Street, Leyburne Road, Taswell Street and Taswell Close

Following our previous letter to you, we have been made aware that some people encountered problems with the email address. This has been rectified and we are, therefore, giving those that did experience problems, a further opportunity to respond. Those of you that have emailed or posted a response, do not need to reply again.

We are aware that non-residents regularly park along the roads in your neighbourhood and, of those, most of them stay for the full working day. One possible way to address this problem that has been suggested by some residents would be to introduce a residents' parking scheme.

I am therefore writing to enquire whether, you would support the introduction of a residents' parking scheme along your road?

Please find enclosed a plan showing the extent of the residential parking scheme (Zone R) being proposed for your area. The scheme, if progressed, would involve introducing a limit of 2 hours parking (return prohibited for 4 hours) along the roads within the zoned area. The limited waiting restriction would apply during the working day (8.30am – 5.30pm, Mon – Sat) but not in the evenings, nor on Sundays. Vehicles displaying the Zone R Resident Permits would be exempt from the 2-hour limit but, all other vehicles would need to comply with the Monday to Saturday daytime limit. Households within the zone can apply for up to 2 annual permits per household: the first one costing £65 p.a. and the second £90 p.a. The purchase of a permit does not guarantee the availability of parking spaces.

To help gauge the views of residents, could you please indicate your preference for, or against, the proposed residents' parking scheme by filling in and returning the enclosed questionnaire, to reach this office by 12noon on Friday 29th January 2021. Alternatively, you can reply via email to: parking-onstreet-consultation@dover.gov.uk stating whether, or not, you support the proposed scheme. Please ensure that any emails are delivered by 12noon on Friday 29th January 2021, and that they include your name and postal address.

If the majority of responders support the proposed scheme, agreement will be sought from Councillor's on the Dover Joint Transportation Advisory Board (JTAB) to formally advertise the proposal. Conversely, if the majority of responders' object, it is likely that the JTAB will abandon the proposal. Alternatively, if all but one or two roads support the scheme, it's possible that a variant scheme could be considered that excludes those roads where the majority of responders objected.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Dean Aldridge
Parking Operations Officer

Appendix B