NON-KEY DECISION TAKEN BY A CABINET MEMBER

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1. Title of report and reason for exemption (if any)

| GC extension – Deal Road area |

2. Decision maker

| Cabinet Member for Environmental Sustainability & Regeneration |

3. Date of Decision

| 26th January 2012 |

4. Date report made available to decision maker

| 23 January 2012 |

5. Date report made available to the Chairs of the Overview and Scrutiny Commission and of any relevant scrutiny panel

6. Decision

That the Committee considers the issues detailed in this report and recommends that the Cabinet Member for Environmental Sustainability & Regeneration;

1. Proposed extension

A) Notes the results of the informal consultation carried out between 16 September and 7 October 2011, on the proposals to extend GC Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ) in the Links Road area to include Deal Road, Eastbourne Road, Frinton Road, Gunton Road, Halsham Road, Jersey Road, Ipswich Road, Vectis Gardens, Vectis Road, parts of Links Road, and Seely Road. For details of the results see the table in Appendix 3a & 3b

B) Agrees to proceed with a statutory consultation to introduce ‘GC’ CPZ extension to include Deal Road, Eastbourne Road, Frinton Road, Gunton Road, Halsham Road, parts of Links Road (between 62 & 170, 43 & 133) and Seely Road (between 61 & 157, 56 & 134), operational Monday to Friday, between 8.30am and 6.30pm, as shown in Drawing No. Z78/190/ 01A (on display) in Appendix 1

C) Agrees to proceed with a statutory consultation and publication of the relevant draft Traffic Management Orders (TMOs) on the Council’s intention to introduce “At Any Time” waiting restrictions at key locations, such as junctions; bends; at the turning heads of culs-de-sac and other specific locations as shown in Drawing No. Z78/190/01 Revision A in Appendix 1:

D) Agrees not to extend the CPZ into Jersey Road, Ipswich Road, Vectis Garden, Vectis Road parts of Links Road (between 172 & 280 and 137 & the
Sub station) and Seely Road (between 159 & 335 and 136 & 232) until such time that the residents petition the Council for inclusion. Upon receiving such a petition, it is recommended that the Council proceeds with a statutory consultation for inclusion.

2. **Existing GC CPZ**

A) Note the results of the consultation on the review of GC CPZ carried out between 16 September and 7 October 2011, on measures to improve the operation of the existing GC CPZ. For a summary of the results from the questionnaire see the tables in Appendix 5.

B) In line with the results of the feedback received during the review, agrees not to make changes to the GC CPZ as detailed in section 3.14.

7. **Reason for decision**

The decision reflects the results of the informal consultation.

8. **Alternative options considered and why rejected**

8.1 Do nothing. This would not address the current parking demands for residents in respect of their views expressed during the informal consultation, as well as the Council’s duty to provide a safe environment for all road users.

8.2 Not to include the roads where there is no majority view on whether they have a parking problem or support a CPZ, this would not address the possible displacement of parking from the nearby controlled roads.

8.3 Not to include the roads where the majority of respondents feel that they have a parking problem and would support the introduction of a CPZ. This would not address the needs of the majority of those residents.

8.4 To proceed with a statutory consultation to introduce ‘GC’ CPZ extension to include all the roads as consulted, this will address the inevitable displacement that would occur but would be against the wishes of the overall majority of residents from those roads who responded and opted against the measures.

9. **Documents relied on in addition to officer report**

Statutory consultation documents, drawings and representations

10. **Declarations of Interest**
11. **Publication of this decision and call in provision**
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