

NEWSLETTER

Proposed Controlled Parking Zone 'H2'

Poets Area



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Dear Residents/Business

The purpose of this newsletter is to let you know the outcome of the informal consultation carried out in October/November 2008, and to inform you of the Council's decision for the proposed controlled parking zone (CPZ) H2 Poets Area.

The informal consultation on proposals to introduce parking controls in the Poets Area commenced on 12 September and ended on 10 October 2008. 420 households were consulted with documents containing a newsletter explaining the proposals; an associated plan showing the proposed parking layout; a pre-paid questionnaire reply card and a sheet of frequently asked questions, which were posted to all households and businesses within the area. Notification of the proposals, along with an online questionnaire (e-form) was also posted on the council's website. Exhibitions were also held on three separate days at Wimbledon Community Hall, Haydon's road.

The consultation resulted in a total of 183 questionnaires returned, representing a response rate of 43.6%, which is considered to be high for this type of consultation.

As it can be seen from the results, 71.3% majority of all respondents feel that they have a parking problem, as opposed to 24.9% who feel that they do not have a problem in their road.

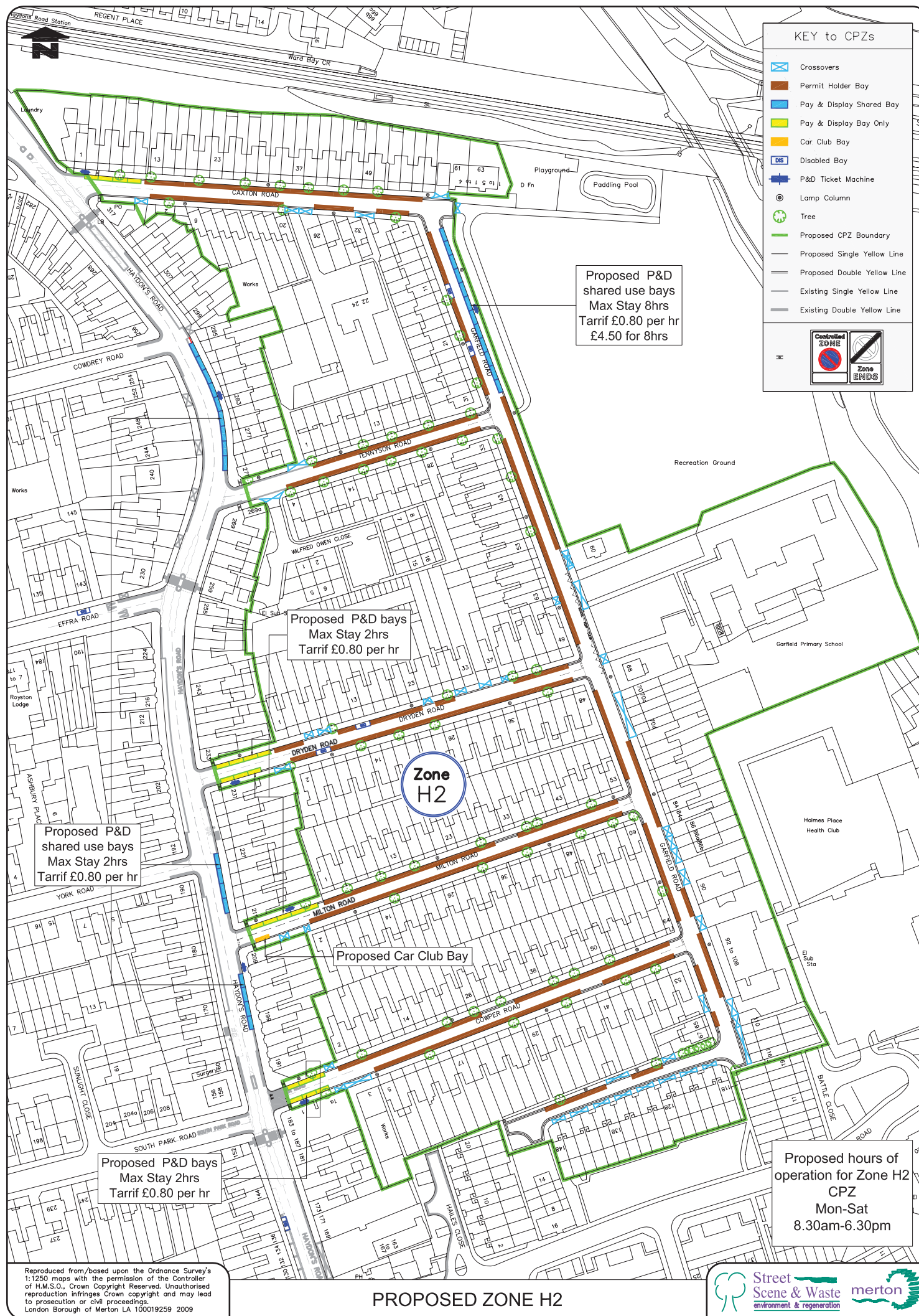
(Table 1 - summary of results to questions 3)

ROAD NAME	Q3 DO YOU FEEL YOU HAVE A PARKING PROBLEM IN YOUR ROAD							
	No. Consulted	No. Returned	Yes	No	Unsure	% Yes	% No	% Unsure
Caxton Rd	54	26	25	1	0	96.2	3.8	0
Cowper Rd	91	37	22	12	2	61.1	33.3	5.6
Dryden Rd	70	32	23	6	3	74.2	19.4	6.5
Garfield Rd	96	37	23	13	1	62.2	35.1	2.7
Milton Rd	63	37	26	11	0	70.3	29.7	0.1
Tennyson Rd	26	12	10	1	1	83.3	8.3	8.3
Wilfred Owen Cl	20	2	0	1	1	0	50	50
Total	420	183	129	45	7	71.2	24.9	3.9

Of the 183 who responded (61.2%) 112 support the proposed CPZ in their road. This is compared to (32.2%) 59 who are against and (6.6%) 12 who are unsure.

(Table 2 - summary of results to questions 4)

ROAD NAME	Q4 DO YOU SUPPORT A CPZ IN YOUR ROAD							
	No. Consulted	No. Returned	Yes	No	Unsure	% Yes	% No	% Unsure
Caxton Rd	54	26	22	2	2	84.6	7.7	7.7
Cowper Rd	91	37	17	17	3	45.9	45.9	8.1
Dryden Rd	70	32	22	8	2	68.8	25	6.3
Garfield Rd	96	37	23	13	1	62.2	35.1	2.7
Milton Rd	63	37	19	14	4	51.4	37.8	10.8
Tennyson Rd	26	12	8	4	0	66.7	33.3	0
Wilfred Owen Cl	20	2	1	1	0	50	50	0
Total	420	183	112	59	12	61.2	32.2	6.6



PROPOSED ZONE H2



Z78/154/01B H2 CPZ

Residents were also asked if they would support a CPZ if the neighbouring road(s) or part of their road were included in a CPZ. Majority of all respondents, 64.1% would like to be included if their neighbouring roads or part of their road support a CPZ.

(Table 3 - summary of results to questions 5)

ROAD NAME	Q5 WOULD YOU BE IN FAVOUR OF A CPZ IN YOUR ROAD, IF THE NEIGHBOURING ROAD(S) OR PART OF YOUR ROAD, WERE INCLUDED IN A CPZ?							
	No.Consulted	No.returned	Yes	No	Unsure	% Yes	% No	% Unsure
Caxton Rd	54	26	21	2	3	80.8	7.7	11.5
Cowper Rd	91	37	19	16	1	52.8	44.4	2.8
Dryden Rd	70	32	23	6	2	74.2	19.4	6.5
Garfield Rd	96	37	23	13	1	62.2	35.1	2.7
Milton Rd	63	37	20	12	5	54.1	32.4	13.5
Tennyson Rd	26	12	9	2	1	75	16.7	8.3
Wilfred Owen Cl	20	2	1	1	0	50	50	0
Total	420	183	116	52	13	64.1	28.7	7.2

A further question was afforded to residents that if a CPZ was introduced, which hours of operation would they prefer. (36.6%) 67 would prefer Mon - Sat 8.30 am - 6.30pm, (23%) 42 Mon - Fri 8.30 am - 6.30pm. Mon - Fri 11am - 3pm and 1 hour option only had 8.7% support.

(Table 4 - summary of results to questions 6)

ROAD NAME	Q6 IF A CPZ WAS INTRODUCED WHICH HOURS WOULD YOU PREFER?				
	Mon-Sat 8.30am-6.30pm	Mon-Fri 8.30am-6.30pm	Mon-Fri 11am - 3pm	Mon-Fri 11am-12pm 1 hour option	Unsure
Caxton Rd	50% (13)	23.1% (6)	3.8% (1)	7.7% (2)	15.4% (4)
Cowper Rd	35.1% (13)	16.2% (6)	8.1% (3)	10.8% (4)	29.7% (11)
Dryden Rd	34.4% (11)	31.3% (10)	12.5% (4)	6.3% (2)	15.6% (5)
Garfield Rd	18.9% (7)	35.1% (13)	2.7% (1)	8.1% (3)	35.1% (13)
Milton Rd	37.8% (14)	16.2% (6)	10.8% (4)	8.1% (3)	27% (10)
Tennyson Rd	66.7% (8)	8.3% (1)	8.3% (1)	8.3% (1)	8.3% (1)
Wilfred Owen Cl	50% (1)	0% (0)	0% (0)	50% (1)	0% (0)
Total	36.6% (67)	23% (42)	7.7% (14)	8.7% (16)	24% (44)

The unsure column 24% is made up of respondents that either ticked more than one option or those who did not indicate which hours of operation they would like.

The results of the consultation were reported to the Street Management Advisory Committee on 13th January 2009. Following the meeting the Cabinet Member agreed:

- To proceed with a formal consultation to introduce H2 CPZ in the Poets area (to include Caxton Road, Comper Road Dryden Road Milton Road Tennyson Road and Garfield Road), operational Mondays to Saturday between 8.30 am and 6.30 pm.
- To proceed with the statutory consultation to convert permit bays on the east side of Haydon's Road between property nos. 197 to 295 to pay & display shared use bays, by allowing visitors to businesses in Haydon's Road to utilise these bays and make more efficient use of these bays.
- That properties Nos. 167 to 317 Haydon's Road (odd numbers only) will remain within the existing zones 3E and 3F.

The agreed proposals are shown on the plan at the back of this leaflet

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Statutory consultation is required prior to any decision to proceed to implementation. This is the legal part of the process and requires the introduction of Traffic Management Order (TMO), which is a legal requirement enables the Council to change & enforce traffic or parking regulations. The statutory notice will be published in the London Gazette and one local newspaper circulated in the area. In addition to this, the council will post notices in the affected streets and deliver newsletters to local residents and traders.

The notice informs residents and traders in the affected area to submit written representations to the proposed scheme. Representation can be made in writing to: **Head of Street Scene and Waste, Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey, SM4 5DX** by no later than **24 April 2009**, quoting reference **ES/SGE/CPZH2**. The Council will then be required to consider all representations prior to proceeding further.

A copy of the proposed TMO, a plan identifying the areas affected by the proposals and the Council's Statement of Reasons can be inspected at the Merton Link, Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey, during the Council's normal office hours Mondays to Fridays, 9am-5pm. A copy can also be inspected at Wimbledon Library. Alternatively, this information can be viewed on our website using the following link www.merton.gov.uk/cpz2

Finally we would like to thank you for your participation in the consultation process and for your feedback. If you require any further information, please contact Paul Atie, on telephone number 020 8545 3214 or email him at paul.atie@merton.gov.uk.

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Albanian: Nese deshironi me shume informacion ne gjuhen tuaj, ju lutemi te na kontaktoni ne adresen e dhene ne kutine me poshte.

Arabic: إذا أردت معلومات إضافية بلغتك الأصلية الرجاء الاتصال بنا في العنوان المدون ضمن الإطار أدناه.

Bengali: যদি আপনার নিজের ভাষায় লেখা আরও তথ্য চান তাহলে দয়া করে আমাদের সঙ্গে যোগাযোগ করুন, তলার বক্সে আমাদের ঠিকানা রয়েছে।

Chinese: 如果你需要用中文印成的資料，請按低端方格內提供的地址與我們聯系。

Farsi: اگر مایل به اطلاعات بیشتر به زبان خود هستید، لطفاً با ما از طریق آدرس زیر تماس بگیرید.

French: Pour tout renseignement complémentaire dans votre propre langue, veuillez nous contacter à l'adresse figurant dans l'encadré du bas.

Gujarati: જો તમને તમારી પોતાની ભાષામાં વધારે માહિતી જોઈતી હોય, તો કૃપા કરીને નીચે અંતમાં આપેલા ખાનામાં દર્શાવેલા સરનામે અમારો સંપર્ક કરો.

Punjabi: ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਵਿਚ ਹੋਰ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਲੈਣੀ ਚਾਹੁੰਦੇ ਹੋ ਤਾਂ ਹਿੱਸਾ ਵਰਤੇ ਹੇਠ ਲਿਖੇ ਖਾਨੇ ਵਿਚ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਪਤੇ 'ਤੇ ਸਾਡੇ ਨਾਲ ਸੰਪਰਕ ਕਰੋ।

Somali: Hadii aad u baahan tahay faahfaahin intaa kabadan oo ku soobsan afkaaka hooyo ama Af Somali fadlan lana soo xiira cinwaanka hoos ku qoran.

Spanish: Si usted desea más información en su propia lengua, por favor contáctenos en la dirección al pie del formato.

Tamil: உங்கள் மொழியில் மேலதிக தகவலைப் பெற விரும்பினால், அடியிலுள்ள பெட்டிக்குள் தரப்பட்டிருக்கிற விவரத்தில் எம்முடன் தொடர்பு கொள்ளுங்கள்.

Urdu: اگر آپ اپنی زبان میں مزید معلومات حاصل کرنا چاہتے ہیں تو براہ کرم ہم سے اس پتے پر رابطہ قائم کریں جو کہ نیچے کے بکس میں درج ہے۔

You can also get this information in large print, in Braille and on tape.

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