Agenda Item 3 Revenue Budget 2020/2021

Objection to Revenue Budget – Car Parking Charges (Constitution Reference: Budget and Policy Framework Standing Order F2.9)

Adjourned Council Meeting
13 February 2020

Proposal:

That the Council formally objects to the Cabinet's revenue budget proposals on the basis of the Cabinet's proposals for changes to the car parking charges, in respect of the annual permit and increases in all other parking charges. This is against a background where there was a commitment to undertake a fundamental review of parking charges (which has not been undertaken) and where there was no consultation on proposed 3% increase on parking charges as part of this budget consultation. As such this Council believes that the proposals should not be implemented until the promised review of all parking charges is undertaken and further consultation undertaken, with a decision coming back to full Council.

In accordance with the Constitution at F2.9, the Council therefore requires the Cabinet to consider this objection by 20 February 2020 either:

- submit a revision of the estimates or amounts as amended by the
 Cabinet with the reasons for any amendments made to the estimates or amounts, to the Council for its consideration; or
- inform the Council of any disagreement that the Cabinet has with any of the Council's objections and the Cabinet's reasons for any such disagreement.

Proposed by Councillor Hill

Seconded by Councillor Kavanagh