



## **Possible Amendment to Waiting Limit Sittingbourne Residents' Parking Scheme**

Following receipt of a petition from residents of Ufton Lane, Sittingbourne, the Swale Joint Transportation Board has requested a consultation with residents currently located within the one hour waiting limit of the current Sittingbourne Residents' Parking Scheme.

It has been reported that vehicles not displaying valid parking permits are taking advantage of the current authorised one hour waiting limit in some areas, reducing the available parking for permit holders. It has therefore been suggested that the one hour limit be reduced to 30 minutes in an attempt to tackle this issue and increase the available parking for residents displaying a valid permit, and we would like to gauge support for this proposal.

To allow residents to make an informed decision, it is important that we clearly set out the impacts that a reduced waiting time could have on residents. The waiting limit would apply to **all** vehicles not displaying a valid permit, for example service engineers, care workers, property maintenance companies and all other visitors not possessing a permit or voucher.

I would be most grateful to receive your views as to whether you would support the reduction of the current waiting limit to 30 minutes, or whether you would prefer to see the waiting limit remain unchanged.

Please complete the reply slip below and return to Swale Borough Council Leisure & Technical Services, Swale House, East Street, Sittingbourne, Kent ME10 3HT before **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017**. Alternatively you can e-mail your comments to us at [engineers@swale.gov.uk](mailto:engineers@swale.gov.uk)

A space has also been provided to allow you to add any further comments you may have.

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Please tick one of the following boxes

I support the reduction of the current waiting limit to **30 minutes**

I support the existing **1 hour** waiting limit

Name & Address	Comments