

ENTERPRISE, PLANNING AND INFRASTRUCTURE

MOTIONS LIST

24 May, 2011

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1.	<p><u>Motion by Councillor Cassie</u></p> <p>"In view of the increasing parking problems arising as a result of student numbers at Robert Gordon University, the Council considers extending the existing Controlled Parking Zone across the entire Garthdee Ward as originally discussed"</p>	23/03/05	<p><u>Environment & Infrastructure</u> <u>23/03/05</u></p> <p>To instruct the Corporate Director for Environment and Infrastructure to report in greater detail to the next meeting, addressing the various areas of concern raised.</p> <p>On 24th May 2005, the Committee having considered a further report, resolved to support the view of Councillor Cassie and request the officials to revisit all aspects of this matter.</p>	<p>A report was submitted to Council on 30 May which provided an update on parking surveys in Garthdee and up-to-date information for 2007. The Council resolved to note the continuing concern of Councillor Cassie, to request officials to continue to monitor the displacement effect at this location and to report back if and when significant parking issues attributable to the University were sufficient to invoke the agreement whereby the latter was obliged to finance an extension to the existing zone.</p> <p>RGU are in the process of submitting a further planning application to expand the campus. The Development Control Team within roads are in discussions with the university and Councillors Cassie's motion will form</p>	Head of Asset Management and Operations	Report due if and when significant parking issue attributable to RGU invoked the agreement with them.	No

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				part of these discussions.			
2.	<p><u>Motion by Councillor Boulton</u></p> <p>"That Aberdeen City Council makes an official approach to the bus companies serving Aberdeen to negotiate a more appropriate fare structure for pupils still in full time education - raising the age at which children start paying an adult fare when still at school."</p>	23.02.11	<p><u>Enterprise, Planning and Infrastructure 15.03.11</u></p> <p>The Committee resolved to write to the Local Authorities Bus Operators Forum regarding this matter, and that officers submit a report following those discussions to a future meeting of the Enterprise, Planning and Infrastructure Committee for consideration.</p>	<p>Officers have discussed the matter of bus travel for those aged 16-18 years old with First Aberdeen, who have notified that they intend to introduce a ticket for those aged 16-18 years of age who are in full time school education. Officers do not know the form of this ticket or an introduction date at this stage. Detailed discussions are still to be had between Officers and Stagecoach Bluebird on this matter. A further update/report will be presented to Committee in due course.</p> <p>On Monday 25th April 2011, First Aberdeen introduced discounted travel for those aged between 16 - 18. This applies to season tickets only and not for single tickets or day tickets, which are purchased on bus.</p> <p>People aged 16-18 can now purchase season tickets at Student prices as opposed</p>	Head of Planning and Sustainable Development	13.09.11	Yes

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				<p>to paying the adult fare. They are required to show proof of age when purchasing season tickets from the First travel shop.</p> <p>Although the discounted tickets are not in line with child fares it still provides a substantial saving and benefit over the cost of the adult fare, with discounts of between 10-25%. This means that persons aged 16-18 can buy any of the student season tickets which includes the Unilink ticket which is a lower cost, Monday to Friday only ticket.</p> <p>I attach a comparison of prices on offer for those aged 16-18 against those of the child fare and adult fares for season tickets with First Aberdeen.</p> <p>We are still awaiting information from Stagecoach Bluebird as to whether they have any intention of introducing a discounted ticket for those</p>			

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				aged 16-18. I do not have a further update at this time.			
3.	<u>Motion by Councillor Boulton</u> "That consideration was given to reducing the speed limit on the road from Countesswells to Kingswells due to the high level of accidents."	23.02.11	<u>Enterprise, Planning and Infrastructure 15.03.11</u> The Committee resolved to request officers to report on the terms of the motion to the Enterprise, Planning and Infrastructure Committee in two cycles.	A report will be submitted to the Committee on 13 September, 2011.	Head of Asset Management and Operations	13.09.11	No

Comparison of prices on offer for those aged 16-18 against those of the child fare and adult fares for season tickets with First Aberdeen.

Ticket	Adult	Child	Student (7 days)	Unilink (Mon – Fri only)
1 Week	£14.00	£7.50	£13.00	£9.50
4 Week	£53.50	£28.50	£40.00	£38.00
12 Week	£145.00	£78.00	£115.00	£142.50