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IMPLICATIONS/CONSULTATIONS

Contribution to	Priority 1 – Improve the health and wellbeing of our
the Council's	communities
Corporate	Priority 2 – Enhance the quality of people's lives
Priorities/	Priority 3 – Enable a flourishing local economy
Objectives	
Consultation:	 The following gave evidence as part of the process: Karen Burton and Gina Thomas – Bishop's Stortford BID (23/07/19) Dominic Woods – Hertford traders representative and Ausra Bitinaite – Hertford Town Council (22/08/19) EHDC ClIrs Kaye and Cutting and Sally Andrews – EHDC interim Parking Manager (24/09/19) Sally Andrews – EHDC Interim Parking Manager and Andrew Pulham – EHDC Parking Manager 2005-2018 (15/10/19) Trevor Brennan – Strategy and Programme Manager, HCC and David Thorogood – Environmental Sustainability Co-ordinator, EHDC (13/11/19) Julia Davis – Stanstead Abbotts Parish Councillor, Clare Ewing, St Margaret's Parish Councillor and Joseph Dumont, Stanstead Abbotts District Councillor (13/11/19) An online survey of residents' views on Residents Permit Zones (RPZs) was undertaken in September/October 2019 and generated one thousand responses. Consultation would be required on all occasions where a Traffic Regulation Order was required to give legal effect to a proposed change.
Legal:	Many of the proposals recommended in this report

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	would require the promotion of a Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) to give them legal effect.
Financial:	Some proposals are likely to require initial capital
	and/or revenue funding although this may then result
	in a new/increased revenue stream. Costs and
	revenue potential of the main proposals are outlined in ERP B .
	Initiatives which require little or no initial funding or
	where possible non-core funding (e.g. S106
	contributions) may be available are identified in the
	report and/or in ERP B .
Human	Implementation of many parking schemes – e.g. a new
Resource:	permit scheme or RPZ – can require significant officer
	time and input, even when elements of the process
	are outsourced to consultants. It will be important to
	take account of this when consideration is given to
	implementing the recommendations contained in this
	report.
Risk	In key areas such as the availability of off-street
Management:	parking in our main towns, increasing car use means
	demand for parking risks reaching or exceeding
	supply on a regular basis.
Health and	Implementation of these measures may assist in the
wellbeing –	delivery of a range of benefits, for example through a
issues and	reduction in traffic congestion and consequential
impacts:	improvements in air quality.
Equality,	
diversity and	
human rights	
considerations,	None identified
and whether	None lacitatica
Equality Impact	
Assessment	
required:	
Environmental	Implementation of these measures may assist in the
Sustainability	delivery of a range of benefits, for example through
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the increased use of more sustainable transport
modes and a reduction in traffic congestion leading to
improvements in air quality.