

All Committee meetings of Fife Council were cancelled with effect from 23rd March 2020, due to Covid-19 emergency.

The recommendations in this report were approved by an Executive Director of Fife Council, acting under delegated authority in terms of paragraph 2.1.1 of the Council's List of Officer Powers.

9th July 2020

Covid-19: Lifting Suspension of Parking Charges

Report by: Derek Crowe, Senior Manager Roads & Transportation Services

Wards Affected: All wards

Purpose

To seek approval under emergency delegated powers for the lifting of the suspension of all public parking charges and time limited parking restrictions across Fife from Monday 3 August 2020.

Summary

Approval was granted under emergency delegated powers for the suspension of all public parking charges and time limited parking restrictions across Fife from Thursday 9 April 2020 until further notice, in response to Covid-19.

Following the easing of national lockdown, opening of shops/facilities and increased car usage, the abuse of parking restrictions is on the rise and the case to end the suspension from: practical, operational and financial perspectives was presented to the Members Stakeholders Group on 9 July 2020 (report attached).

In summary, following discussion, the Group provided the political steer to allow officers to normalise parking charges and enforcement from 3 August 2020. This group is a non-decision-making body and hence it requires a further executive delegated decision to give authority to this action. That is the purpose of this report.

Roads & Transportation Services will now proceed with all necessary steps to implement this decision, working closely with Communications and local Area Managers.

Recommendation(s)

.It is recommended that the Executive Director, Enterprise & Environment in liaison with the Executive Director, Finance & Corporate Services and the Chief Executive under emergency delegated powers, authorise:

- (i) lifting the current suspension of parking charges and time limited parking restrictions in all Fife Council public parking places from 3 August 2020.

Signed by Keith Winter, Executive Director, Enterprise & Environment

Signature	Authorised
Date	9th July 2020

Signed by Eileen Rowand, Executive Director, Finance & Corporate Services

Signature	n/a
Date	July 2020

Signed by Steve Grimmond, Chief Executive

Signature	n/a
Date	July 2020