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Important Parking Information & Questionnaire

(CPZ boundary to Eldon Park) & Eldon Park

The Occupier of Albert Road

Dear Occupier,

Albert Road (part) and Eldon Park - Possible Extension of the South Norwood **Controlled Parking Zone**

I am writing to ask for your views on the possibility of introducing a Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ) in part of Albert Road and Eldon Park.

The consultation is as a result of concern on the level of parking outside the existing South Norwood CPZ which creates obstruction to pedestrians and access issues for residents. It is proposed to introduce double yellow line 'At any time' waiting restrictions on the south side of Albert Road and extended restrictions on the first section of Eldon Park to remove the current footway parking. A permit scheme introduced at the same time would help to mitigate against the reduced parking.

Legislation requires that we have regard to various factors in making a decision on whether an area should have a CPZ introduced. These include the views of owners and occupiers of properties but also the need for maintaining the free movement of traffic including public service and emergency vehicles, access to premises and safety of all road users including pedestrians. This is why your views are important and we would be grateful if you could complete the attached questionnaire. Once completed, please return it in the enclosed prepaid envelope by 6 November 2020.

The existing South Norwood CPZ operates between 9am and 5pm, Monday to Saturday. Any proposed CPZ in Albert Road and Eldon Park will mirror these operational times. During the period of operation, parking is only permitted within parking bays with a valid permit or if motorists have paid via the RingGo "Pay by Phone" system. Residents and businesses within the zone boundary are eligible to purchase parking permits.

All questionnaire responses received by 6 November, will be presented in a report to the Executive Director of Place to consider whether to refer the matter to the next scheduled Traffic Management Advisory Committee meeting for consideration and onward recommendation to the Cabinet Member for Environment, Transport & Regeneration (Job Share) for decision.

Please do not hesitate to contact the scheme engineer, Ms Huda Wahab on 07736 498 964 or by email Huda.Wahab@croydon.gov.uk if you require further information or clarification.

Yours faithfully,

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