

Southend-on-Sea Borough Council

Report of Corporate Director of Enterprise, Tourism and
the Environment

to

Traffic and Parking Working Party

on

9th September 2010

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(Traffic Management and Road Safety)

Agenda
Item No.

Petition Received

Portfolio Holder – Councillor Mark Flewitt

A Part 1 Public Agenda Item

1. Purpose of Report

To advise members of a petition received via Councillor Garston from residents living near to the town centre regarding parking difficulties.

2. Recommendation

2.1 That the Traffic and Parking Working Party note the petition and response.

3. Background

3.1 Residents living in and near Hamlet Road suffer daily parking difficulties created by the proximity to the Town Centre and the unrestricted parking availability in the immediate area.

3.2 Officers have discussed the ongoing concerns with residents and requested funding to explore the possibility of introducing controls this financial year (see report titled Traffic Management and Road Safety Team Work Programme – 9th September 2010).

3.3 Officers and ward Councillors met with residents to discuss concerns earlier this year and the petition with 12 signatories resulted.

3.4 The area is programmed for review and consultation with residents later this year.