



## MEETING PAPER

Subject: Permit Parking – Ipswich Road, NR33 9RE

Meeting: Planning Committee

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> November 2024

### CONFIDENTIAL/NON-CONFIDENTIAL

A member of public had previously contacted the office to request support for implementing permit parking bays in Ipswich Road. Their email correspondence is below:

*The reason for the request is that I have been resident in Ipswich Road for nearly 7 years and in that time it has become increasingly difficult to park close to my property. This is due to numerous commercial vehicles parking in the road on a regular basis, an increase in the number of households with more than one car, an increased number of disabled parking spaces, parents parking for drop off and pick up of children from St Margaret's Primary School, and customers of the nearby Premier shop and tea rooms using the road for parking.*

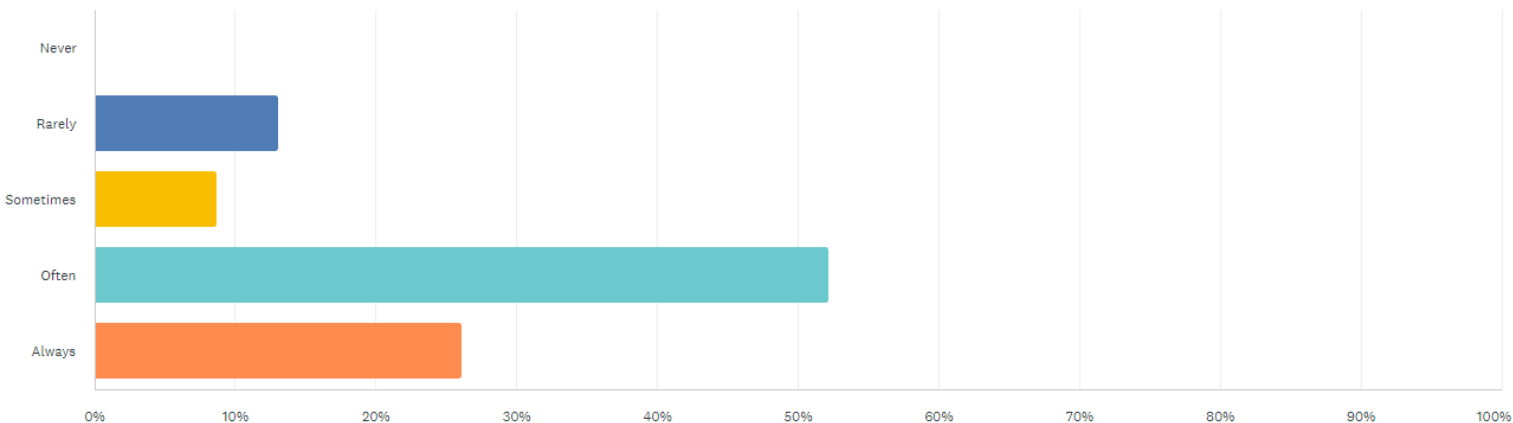
*I often have to park my car in the surrounding streets, which is a security concern due to antisocial behaviour in the neighbourhood, and of course increases parking difficulties for residents of those streets too. I and many of my neighbours would be happy to pay for a resident parking permit in order to more easily park closer to our properties. I would be grateful if you could let me know what the process is for this to be considered.*

The Committee requested this member of public obtain the opinion of their neighbours to determine if they were also in favour of the implementation of permit parking.

The member of public has responded and provided the following survey:

How often do you have difficulty finding parking near your home?

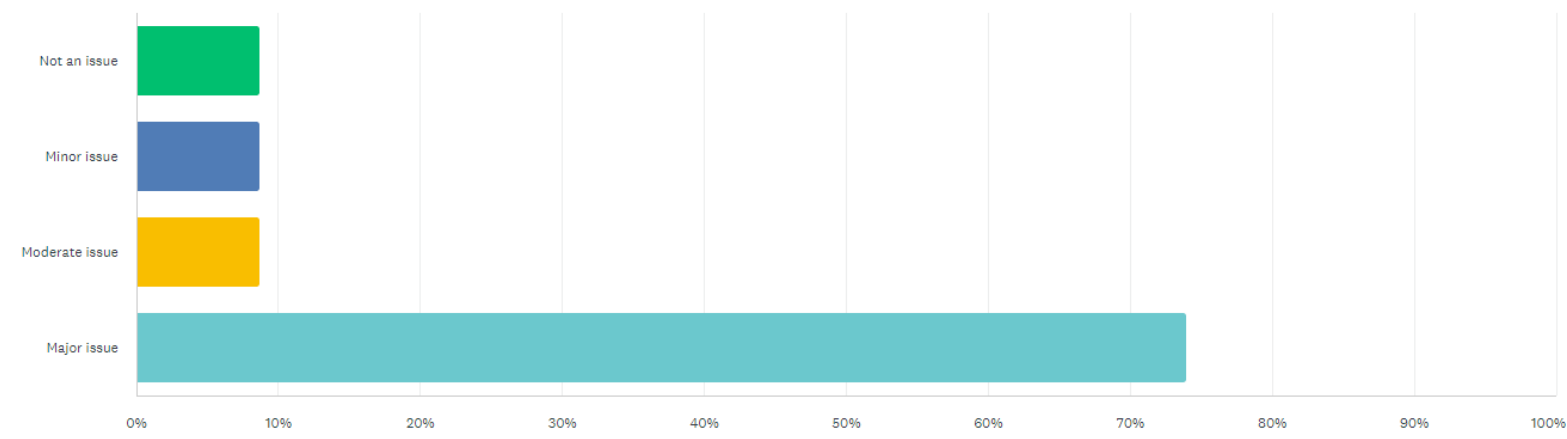
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### How much of an issue do you think parking congestion is in Ipswich Road?



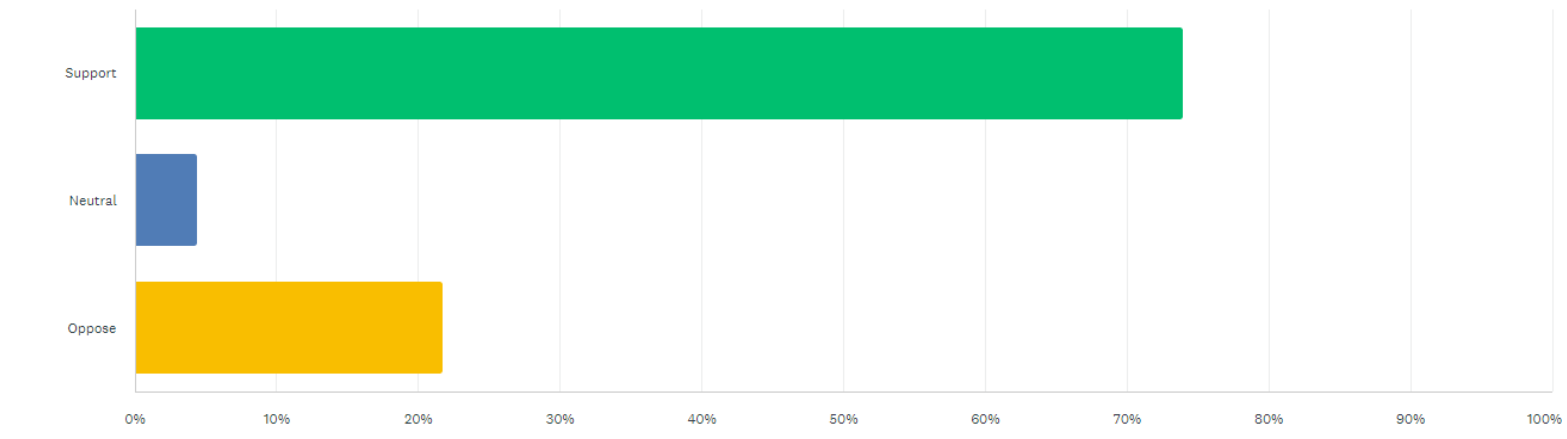
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### Would you support the implementation of a resident permit parking scheme in Ipswich Road?



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### What benefits do you think a resident permit parking scheme would bring? Select all that apply.



Answered: 21 Skipped: 2

