

FEES AND CHARGES

Service	Proposed Increase
Environmental Services	Most of these fees are statutory
Land Charges	No increases are proposed. There is a statutory requirement for this service area to break even
Licensing	These fees have increased by between 1.9% and 2.5%
Council Publications	No increases are proposed
Electoral Services	No increases are proposed
Corporate Marketing	No increases are proposed
Car Parking	Majority of fees remain the same, however it is proposed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To charge on a linear basis for car parks with a minimum charge of one hour; • To increase charge for car park season discs; • To introduce a charge of 10p for first 30 minutes at Albion Road car park; • To continue with free Saturday parking at Vere Road, Harold Road, Mill Lane and Leopold Street; • To change on-street charging period from 9am-7pm to 9am-6pm; • To close Mill Lane car park at 7pm; • To increase coach parking and HGV parking charges.
Cremations/Burials	The following increases are proposed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.1% increase to the adult cremation fee; • 1.9% increase to the adult grave purchase fee; • 1.9% increase for the garden of rest plot purchase fee; • 4.5% increase on the fees payable by stonemasons
Refuse – Bulky Waste	No increases are proposed
Garden Waste	No increases are proposed
Allotments	An increase of 2% is proposed
Littering & Graffiti	No increases are proposed
Margate & Broadstairs Harbour	Only increases proposed are in respect of sand levelling and car parking, all other charges remain at current levels
Ramsgate Harbour/Port	An increase of 2% is proposed
Property Services	A new charge is proposed for professional surveying services
HMO Licences	A 2% increase is proposed
Building Control	An increase of 2.86% to 4% is proposed
Planning	Fees for applications are set by the Town & Country Planning Act 1990. No increases are proposed to the pre-application planning advice fees
Museums	No increases are proposed
Sports & Leisure	No increases are proposed
Cultural & Outside Events	No increases are proposed