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Called in

Yes/No

**THE THANET DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**RECORD OF DECISION OF CABINET**

Cabinet Member

Councillor Kristian Bright

Relevant Portfolio:

Cabinet Member for Parking

Date of Decision:

19 December 2024

Subject:

Thanet District Parking Strategy

Key Decision

Yes

In Forward Plan

Yes

Brief summary of matter:

Introduction of a parking strategy for the Thanet District. The strategy sets out how Thanet District Council will approach parking over the next 20 years.

Decision made:

Cabinet adopted the Thanet District Parking Strategy and agreed to the initial implementation plan.

Reasons for decision:

The Thanet District parking strategy sets out the future of parking requirements for the whole district, balancing the needs of residents and visitors. It provides a strategic approach to parking whilst integrating it with active and sustainable transport.

Alternatives considered and why rejected:

Not approve the strategy and implementation plan. This is not recommended due to improvements that the strategy and associated implementation plan will bring to Thanet leaving an inconsistent approach to parking across the district.

Approve the strategy but not the implementation plan. This is not recommended as it will leave an adopted strategy without a designated timeframe for delivery and will delay implementation of the identified improvements.

Details of any conflict of interest declared by any executive Member who has been consulted and of any dispensation granted by the Standards Committee:

None

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Background papers

Parking Strategy Cabinet Report Dec 2024 - Google Docs  
Annex 1 Thanet District Council Parking Strategy v2 (2)  
Annex 2 - Quick Wins - Google Docs  
Annex 3- Short, Medium and Long Term - Google Docs

Statement if decision is an urgent one and therefore not subject to call-in:

None

Last date for call in:

6 January 2025