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## Notice of intention – parking restriction

Dear Occupier,

Following the start of the parking consultation survey on 16 December 2024, as well as a letter on 8 September 2025 outlining a proposed parking idea to all businesses by the shops and adjacent properties. The feedback stage closed on 10 October 2025.

We received one response, which was in favour of the proposed restrictions. While engagement was low, it's worth noting that consultations of this nature typically attract responses from those who oppose a proposal. The absence of negative feedback can reasonably be interpreted as a general level of support or acceptance from the businesses and wider community.

Proposal:

### Time limited parking bays

Time-limited parking is proposed on Haldens in approximately half of the inlet bays, the half nearest Nisa, which is more frequently used for short visits.

Proposed restriction: Monday to Saturday, 9am–5pm, maximum stay of 2 hours, with a 4-hour no return

## **We are not proposing any changes to the car park.**

The public notice will be advertised in the Welwyn Hatfield Times on Wednesday 26 November 2025. Public notices will also be placed on lamp columns near the shops.

Formal objections to the proposals can be made using the details in the public notice published in the newspaper and on our website.

Any comments/objections to the proposed parking restrictions need to be submitted as per instructions on the public notice, so they can be considered by Parking Services and CPPP (Cabinet Planning and Parking Panel).

All consultation documents will be published on Wednesday 26 November 2025 at [www.welhat.gov.uk/parking-consultations](http://www.welhat.gov.uk/parking-consultations) and click on “Haldens Car Park and Shops”.

Any updates relating to this consultation will be appear on the above webpage, as well as details of any committee meetings these proposals may be considered at.

If you have any queries regarding the above, please email us at [parkingservices@welhat.gov.uk](mailto:parkingservices@welhat.gov.uk) or call us on 01707 357000.

Regards,  
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