THE FALKIRK COUNCIL (ON-STREET PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS)(NO:35) ORDER 2010

Summary of Objections and Considerations

Objection letter received 06 September 2010

Objections issues:

Development Services Consideration:

 Applicant looking to occupy certain parking spaces. 	 Survey conducted assessing site conditions relating to application. Castings Avenue is part of the adopted public road. Consequently if a vehicle is taxed, has a valid MOT and insurance, vehicles are not committing an offence by parking in Castings Avenue. No road safety concerns relating to the siting of the spaces.
 Elderly residents without cars will suffer as they may have to walk further to carers/family vehicles. 	 Disabled spaces are sited at the end of parking areas to minimise the effect. Any blue badger holder can use a space once it is marked on the ground. Local authority required to identify a convenient location. The proposed space is convenient for the applicant.
 Applicant does not have mobility issues. 	 The Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009 makes provisions for individuals to apply for on-street disabled persons' parking place. Applications can be made by any disabled persons blue badge holder whose address is the same as the registered keeper of the vehicle. Applicant meets these criteria.
 Disabled spaces would reduce total available parking. 	 National guidance states end on spaces should be 3.6m wide. Spaces narrower than this cannot be enforced by Central Scotland Police.
 Applicant has three cars 	 Car can only park in a disabled space if a valid blue badge is displayed.

THE FALKIRK COUNCIL (ON-STREET PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS)(NO:60) ORDER 2010

Summary of Objections and Considerations

Objection letter received 06 September 2010

Objections issues:

Development Services Consideration:

 Applicant looking to occupy certain parking spaces. 	 Survey conducted assessing site conditions relating to application. Castings Avenue is part of the adopted public road. Consequently if a vehicle is taxed, has a valid MOT and insurance, vehicles are not committing an offence by parking in Castings Avenue. No road safety concerns relating to the siting of the spaces.
 Elderly residents without cars will suffer as they may have to walk further to carers/family vehicles. 	 Disabled spaces are sited at the end of parking areas to minimise the effect. Any blue badger holder can use a space once it is marked on the ground. Local authority required to identify a convenient location. The proposed space is convenient for the applicant.
 Applicant does not have mobility issues. 	 The Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009 makes provisions for individuals to apply for on-street disabled persons' parking place. Applications can be made by any disabled persons blue badge holder whose address is the same as the registered keeper of the vehicle. Applicant meets these criteria.
 Disabled spaces would reduce total available parking. 	 National guidance states end on spaces should be 3.6m wide. Spaces narrower than this cannot be enforced by Central Scotland Police.
 Applicant can play 18 holes of golf. 	 Not relevant to the traffic regulation order.

THE FALKIRK COUNCIL (ON-STREET PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS)(NO:63) ORDER 2010

Summary of Objections and Considerations

Objection letter received 06 September 2010

Objections issues:

Development Services Consideration:

 Applicant looking to occupy certain parking spaces. 	 Survey conducted assessing site conditions relating to application. Castings Avenue is part of the adopted public road. Consequently if a vehicle is taxed, has a valid MOT and insurance, vehicles are not committing an offence by parking in Castings Avenue. No road safety concerns relating to the siting of the spaces.
 Elderly residents without cars will suffer as they may have to walk further to carers/family vehicles. 	 Disabled spaces are sited at the end of parking areas to minimise the effect. Any blue badger holder can use a space once it is marked on the ground. Local authority required to identify a convenient location. The proposed space is convenient for the applicant.
 Applicant does not have mobility issues. 	 The Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009 makes provisions for individuals to apply for on-street disabled persons' parking place. Applications can be made by any disabled persons blue badge holder whose address is the same as the registered keeper of the vehicle. Applicant meets these criteria.
 Disabled spaces would reduce total available parking. 	 National guidance states end on spaces should be 3.6m wide. Spaces narrower than this cannot be enforced by Central Scotland Police.