

Written statement of a key decision
Cabinet

Title	Herefordshire Parking Strategy 2026 - 2041
Decision maker	Cabinet Information about cabinet, including the names and contact details of the cabinet members, can be found here: http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251
Date of decision	30 July 2026
Report exemption class	Open
Reason for being a key decision	This is a key decision because it is likely to be significant having regard to: the strategic nature of the decision; and / or whether the outcome will have an impact, for better or worse, on the amenity of the community or quality of service provided by the authority to a significant number of people living or working in the locality (two or more wards) affected.
A notice was served in accordance with Part 3 (Key decisions) of The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.	
General exception or special urgency (as defined in the constitution)	No
Purpose	A report on the proposed 15 year strategy for parking to be adopted by Herefordshire Council.
Decision	That: a) That the new Parking Strategy for Herefordshire is adopted by cabinet; b) Delegated authority be given to the Chief Operating Officer for Economy and Environment in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Roads and Regulatory Services to take all operational decisions to implement the Parking Strategy and its delivery plan.
Reason for the decision	As set out in the report. Documents relating to this decision are available at http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50054920
Options considered	1. Do not adopt the Parking Strategy – This would mean the council lacks a strategic framework for parking and enforcement infrastructure, missing out on adopting a strategy that has aims to deliver the council objectives and

	priorities and has been adapted to focus on the priorities the public have detailed in their consultation responses. 2. Adopt an alternative strategy – this would mean the prioritises of the council and those the public have expressed would be ignored.
Declarations of interest (see ▪ below)	
Call-in expiry date (decisions are not subject to call-in where special urgency provisions apply)	5 August 2026

Councillor: Leader of the Council (Councillor Jonathan Lester)	Date 30 July 2026
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- a record of any conflict of interest declared by any executive member who is consulted by the member which relates to the decision;

and

- in respect of any declared conflict of interest, a note of dispensation granted.