



**National  
Parking  
Platform**

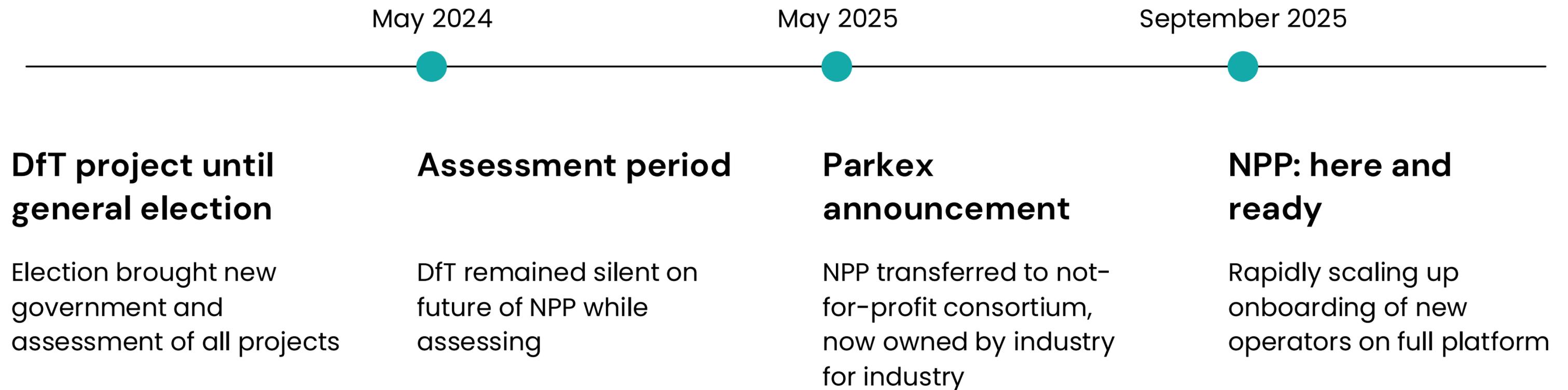
# Herefordshire Council and NPP

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# NPP: Our Journey





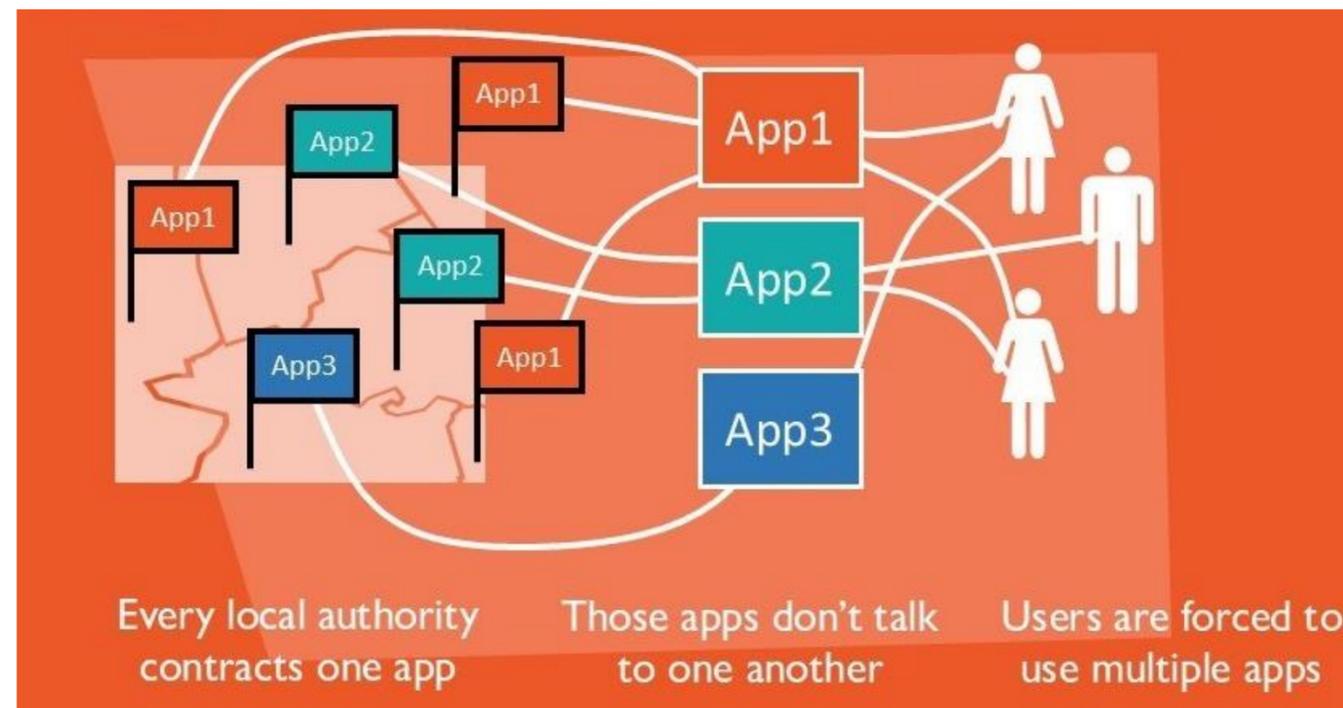
# How Does It Work?

- Not an App!
- Integrated System – connecting existing systems rather than replacing them
- International data standard – Alliance for Parking Data Standards (APDS)

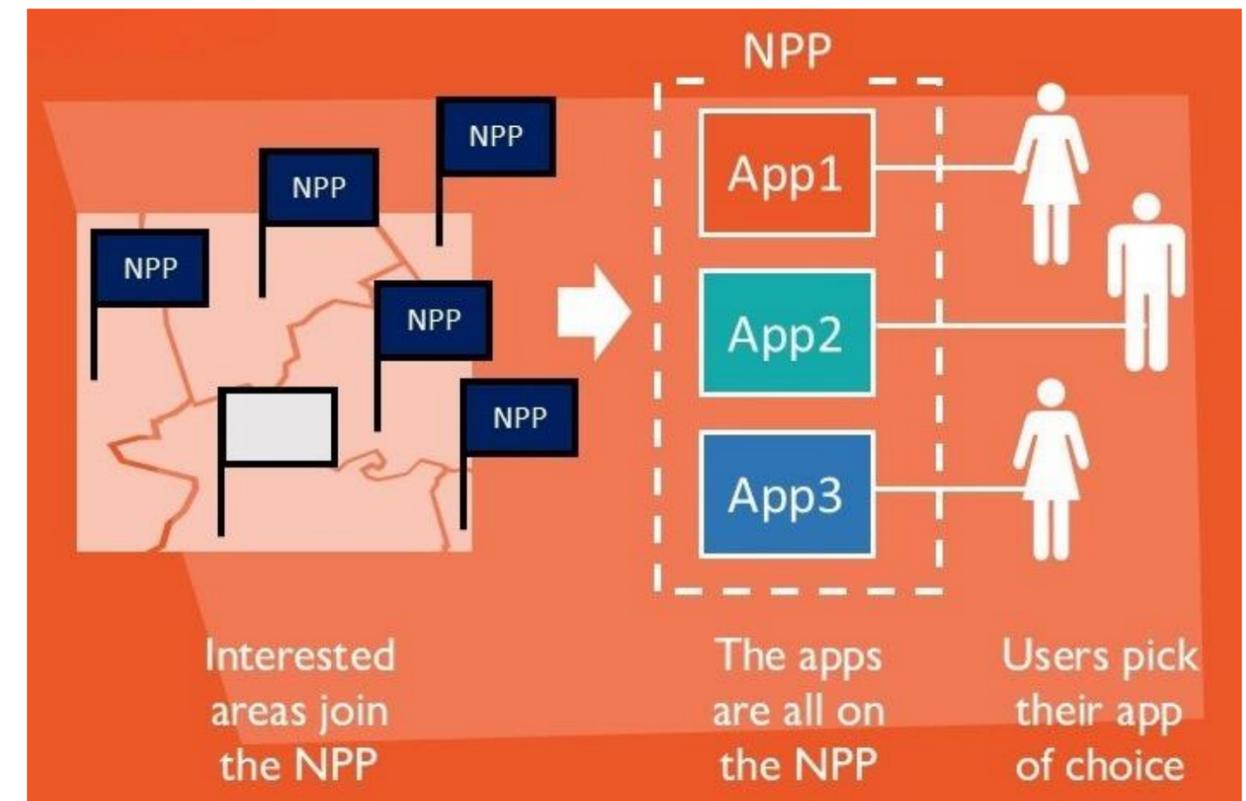


# How Does It Work?

## Currently



## On the NPP





# What happens on the street?

## Very little changes on the street

- Drivers can use **their choice of app** to pay for parking in any participating area
- Does not affect the availability of other parking payment options
- NPP will create a **central set of codes** for parking bays

## But the links to new technology are built in

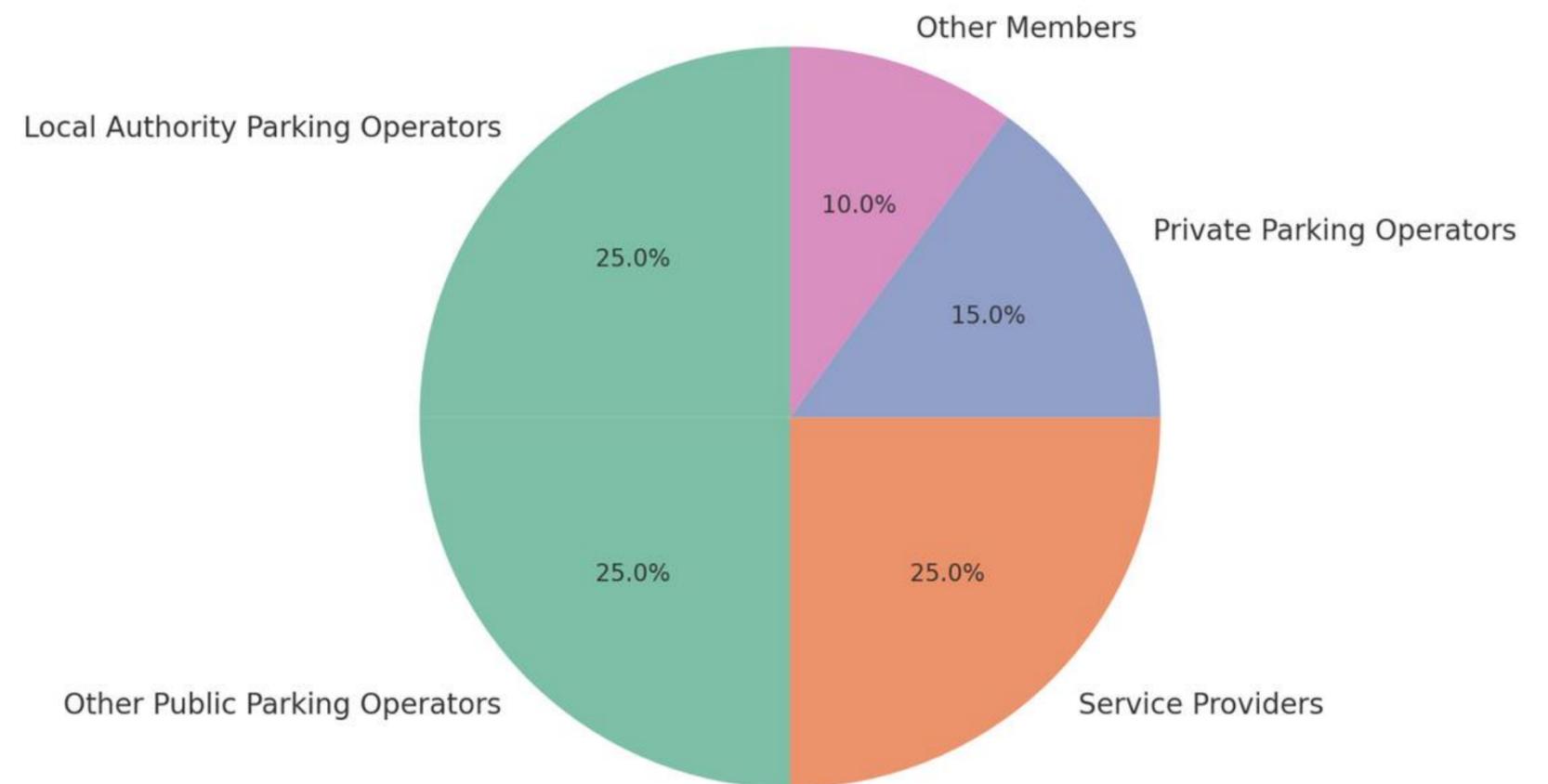
- Connects to the latest generation of parking sensors and ANPR
- Gives equipment manufacturers a clear technical standard for easy integration
- Puts data to productive use

# Membership Structure

## Balance of Public & Private

- 50% of Members and voting rights reside with Public Sector
- Membership is uncapped in each Member group
- 75% supermajority required for any key decisions
- Other Members = organisations such as BPA

National Parking Platform Ltd - Membership Weighted Voting Rights





# NPP Benefits

## For Local Authorities

- Savings on costly, time-consuming procurement
- Happier motorists
- Increased digital uptake and data insights

## For Drivers

- Freedom of choice
- Better user experience – innovation
- Inclusive for all

## For Service Providers

- Compete on quality of service
- Sustainable income to improve features
- Savings on costly, time-consuming procurement



# NPP Joining Cost

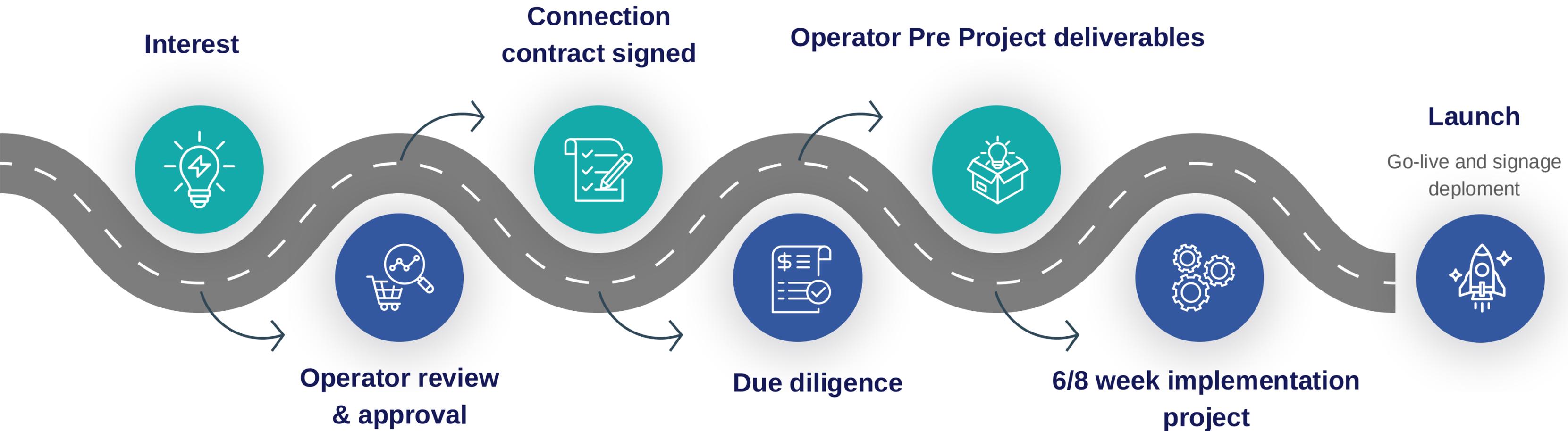
- **No joining fee for Local Authorities**
  - Signage, implementation, configuration, enforcement integration,
  - Platform funded by Service Providers paying NPP £0.02 per transaction
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- **Only cost to LAs – Commission Rate**
  - Interim Commission Calculation
  - Determined by independent expert panel, based on SP costs



# Current Developments

- Part of Department for Transport's Integrated Transport Strategy
- Train Companies
- Park and Ride
- Procurement Legal Advice
- NPP Board of Directors

# Project Road Map





# The Future Of The NPP

- Blue Badge
- EV Charging
- Specialised Apps
- Toll Roads



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# Thank You

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