

Parking in Dereham
Summary of Stakeholder views

Public Responses

- Free parking for up to an hour for people who want to dash into town. Otherwise, people will just go to Tesco and buy everything there.
- Dereham free car parking must be kept. I live in Swanton Morley and try to support town centre, very rarely venturing to Norwich. I know people who live in Costessy who come to Dereham rather than the city because of free parking.
- How great to be in Dereham where there is usually a parking space somewhere and that space is free for the first 3 hours. Anecdotally, I have heard of people from Norwich travelling out to Dereham to shop rather than pay Norwich car parking charges. If at all possible the current system should be retained.
- Dereham, along with some other Norfolk Towns, retains the unique ability to 'keep going' with all that is being thrown at them at present, what with the increasing threat of the 'supermarkets' and 'out of town' shopping let alone the recession.
- I live next to the Cherry Tree car park. If the Council want more money, why don't they have a £1 all day fee? If people go to Norwich and pay up to £6 a day to park £1 a day in Dereham looks good to me. Where can you get free parking today?
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