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Ref: Parking of Motorhomes Off-season at Abbey Headland

Dear Mike,

At a meeting of Whitby Town Council on 11 August 2020, the town council resolved its support for the initiative of a 'Whitby Aire' at a specially designated parking area on the Council Abbey Headland carpark, during the period November to March, when parking is free, on the basis of a review in January.

Town councillors are aware that this proposal has been raised within the borough council as worthy of consideration.

Members recognise that there must be a balance between access, cost of provision and any fees applied specifically to overnight parking. They take the view that with appropriate management, facilities could be provided at Abbey Headland, at no net cost, or generating a small surplus, to encourage short-stay visitors in motorhomes to visit Whitby between November and March and in turn support local businesses as they adjust to the effects of the pandemic.

I'd be grateful if the town council's resolved position could be relayed to those involved in any decision on this subject.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M King'.

Michael King
Town Clerk