

Covid 19 Leadership Group 29.10.20

Request for Decision; Extension to Permission Under Covid 19 Emergency Powers to Waive Fee for Use of Public Space for Business Use

In July 2020 an application was received seeking to use up to 9 bays of the off street parking at the Esplanade Car Park in Oban which is owned by the Council. Off street parking charges are directed by Area Committees and there was a requirement for a quick decision on this request.

The advice from Roads and Infrastructure Services that in normal circumstances the fee to license the 9 bays requested would cost £526.50 per week). The license request was until the end of September 2020.

The Strategic Management Team agreed 20 July to email the Covid 19 Leadership Group and recommend in this instance be waived.

The Leadership Group agreed by email the recommendation.

Recommendation; It is recommended that the Leadership Group agrees to extend this permission until 31 March 2021.

The decision will be recorded and the Council will be notified at its next meeting.