

## Overview & Scrutiny Recommendation Response Pro forma

*Under section 9FE of the Local Government Act 2000, Overview and Scrutiny Committees must require the Cabinet or local authority to respond to a report or recommendations made thereto by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee. Such a response must be provided within two months from the date on which it is requested<sup>1</sup> and, if the report or recommendations in question were published, the response also must be so.*

*This template provides a structure which respondents are encouraged to use. However, respondents are welcome to depart from the suggested structure provided the same information is included in a response. The usual way to publish a response is to include it in the agenda of a meeting of the body to which the report or recommendations were addressed.*

**Issue:**                      **Oxford Temporary Congestion Charge Points**

**Lead Cabinet Member(s):**              **Cllr Andrew Gant, Cabinet member for Transport Management**

**Date response requested:<sup>2</sup>**              **10 September 2025**

**Response to report:**

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**Response to recommendations:**

<b>Recommendation</b>	<b>Accepted, rejected or partially accepted</b>	<b>Proposed action (if different to that recommended) and indicative timescale (unless rejected)</b>
<b>That the Cabinet gives specific consideration to historic peak capacity levels data at the Park and Rides and</b>		

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<b>whether there are any negative implications on plans to reduce car journeys within the city by increasing park and ride usage</b>		
<b>That the Council publishes and updates its monitoring data online as closely to real-time as possible, and no less than once a month from the commencement of the congestion charge.</b>		
<b>That the Council provides congestion charge exemptions for those Oxfordshire parents with children referred for but awaiting EHCP assessments and/or results</b>		
<b>That the Council commits to dedicating a proportionate percentage of income to supporting services in deprived and rural areas</b>		
<b>That the Council invests in increased education around the flexibilities in the existing bus network</b>		
<b>That the Council does not extend the IT system used for parking permits to the resident pass system and finds a more user-friendly alternative instead.</b>		
<b>That the Council improves the time it takes to enable the police to suspend congestion charges in case of emergency</b>		
<b>That the Council expedites the delivery of its 'smaller schemes' with additional resource, particularly those which relate to schools.</b>		