

BDC COUNCIL – 25 MAY 2022

ITEM 15 - QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

Question 1

Mr Ferguson to Councillor Ward, Leader of the Council

My question to Cllr Ward refers to the introduction of revised car parking charges in Babergh.

Cabinet Minutes from last year show that as Leader of Babergh District Council and the Conservative Group, you originally supported a Cabinet decision to introduce increased car parking charges in the District. Subsequently you changed your position on this matter when, with the support of additional Conservative Cabinet members, it was agreed that increased car parking charges would not be introduced in the foreseeable future.

As you have now resigned from the Conservative Group and crossed the floor to become an Independent Member of Babergh District Council, have you changed your most recent position on car parking, namely, that Babergh District Council will not introduce additional car parking charges in the remaining period of this current Administration.