NWLDC car parking review 2024

Historically, NWLDC always assured CDPC that charges to the car parks in Castle Donington would not be levied, due to the lack of other available parking areas, the high residential need and to ensure the heart of the community continued to thrive.

NWLDC stopped paying the costs for having the Catholic car park as a public car park, which the Parish Council now pays to ensure this space is not lost.

2024 – NWLDC has launched a public survey as the first stage of its car parking review programme.

Extract from website:

“The car parking review is part of the council’s wider work to maintain its financial stability and ensure its services are as efficient and cost effective as possible in the face of a predicted £2m funding gap expected by 2028.

Feedback from the survey will help the council to understand how drivers currently use its car parks, and how they will be affected by proposed changes.

These are:

* Two hours free parking in all council car parks in Coalville, with charges beyond two hours mirroring the Belvoir Shopping Centre tariff.
* Charges increased in Ashby to be in line with similar charges in neighbouring district and borough councils.
* Review electric vehicle charging points in council car parks.
* Two hours free parking in all council car parks across the district (except Ashby), with charges applied after this.
* North Street and South Street car parks in Ashby changed to become short stay.
* A new long stay car park at Money Hill in Ashby, including an electric vehicle charging hub.”

Additional information and / or clarity as to why this review is taking place and why the charges are proposed to be levied has been requested, but nothing has received.