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## Notice of Motion - Number 66

Councillor initiating: Cllr A Riddle

Committee: Full Council

Date of meeting: 9 March 2026

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**Subject:** Car Parking Charges

**Background [Motion]:**

Salisbury's parking charges are already the highest in the county.

This council believes that raising them still further, aligning Sunday parking charges with those on weekdays and extending the hours covered by the charges from 7am to 7pm will damage Salisbury's retail, leisure and hospitality businesses. Local churches have also expressed concern about the impact on their congregations.

**Resolution:**

During the public consultation period, SCC's administration will work with the city's business community and set up a meeting with Wiltshire's leadership to get these proposals reversed. At the very least, the higher Sunday charges and extended hours should be dropped.

Should that fail, this council will decouple Lush House car park charges and hours from those of Wiltshire and instruct officers to freeze the charges and hours, thereafter reviewing them during the annual budget setting process.

Councillor Signed:

Date: