

CAR PARK HEALTH CHECK

GENERAL

Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	Old Market West (long and short stay) Car Parks
Car Park Location:	Off Old Market Street and close to Police Station
Local Traffic Generators:	Shopping on Old Market Street
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Mostly towards eastern side of Old market Street
Areas for Expansion:	None

Characteristic	Inadequate	Adequate but needs improvement	Adequate
Access/Egress:		Yes	
Capacity		Yes	
Parking information and signage			Yes
Pedestrian/Disabled/Cycle Facilities			
Internal		Yes	
External			Yes
Lighting and Safety		Yes	
Layout of Park		Yes	
General Car Park Condition			Yes

COMMENTS

General

>The long stay car park seems inadequate, but the short stay capacity meets demand. The bigger part of the park is utilised for long-stay parking and pedestrian provision is not critical. Violation of motorcycle facilities observed in the short stay.

Improvements

>Improve layout of the short stay car park to ease manoeuvres. This might lead to the loss of one space.
 >Install dropped kerbs across car park entrance
 >Provide disabled parking spaces near entrance
 >Improve signage and maintain markings. Improve lighting to long stay car park.

CAR PARK HEALTH CHECK

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Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	Old Market East Car Park (Cossack sq.)
Car Park Location:	Eastern side of Old Market street behing 'Bungalow' shops
Local Traffic Generators:	Shopping on Old Market Street
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Towards Old Market Street, property at the rear
Areas for Expansion:	None

Characteristic	Inadequate	Adequate but needs improvement	Adequate
Access/Egress:			Yes
Capacity			Yes
Parking information and signage		Yes	
Pedestrian/Disabled/Cycle Facilities			
Internal		Yes	
External			Yes
Lighting and Safety		Yes	
Layout of Park			Yes
General Car Park Condition			Yes

COMMENTS

General

>The car park is generally in good condition. High level of pedestrian/vehicle conflict observed at southern end and hence internal pedestrian footways are crucial. Shops are serviced at the rear through the car park and this may inhibit free flow in the car park

Improvements

>Provide paint marked footway on the southern end of the park.

>Improve lighting for the car park

>May implement time restrictions to servicing trucks if users are inconvenienced.

>Install bollards across dropped kerbs at entry to avoid blockage by parking vehicles

CAR PARK HEALTH CHECK

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Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	Bus Station and Layby Car Parks
Car Park Location:	Off Old Market Street
Local Traffic Generators:	Shopping on Old Market Street
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Towards shops on both sides of the road
Areas for Expansion:	May relocate recycle bins and Bus Stop if possible

Characteristic	Inadequate	Adequate but needs improvement	Adequate
Access/Egress			Yes
Capacity		Yes	
Parking information and signage			Yes
Pedestrian/Disabled/Cyclists Facilities			
Internal			Yes
External			Yes
Lighting and Safety			Yes
Layout of Park			Yes
General Car Park Condition			Yes

COMMENTS

General

Excellent parking conditions. A new Tesco supermarket to open soon will be an added traffic generator. There is potential safety problem of cars reversing into the road for the lay-by car park

Improvements

May install signs cautioning drivers of cars turning at lay-by car parks

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Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	Somerfield Car Park
Car Park Location:	Off George Street
Local Traffic Generators:	Somerfield Superstore
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Towards Superstore
Areas for Expansion:	None

Characteristic	Inadequate	Adequate but needs improvement	Adequate
Access/Egress			Yes
Capacity	Yes		
Parking information and signage			Yes
Pedestrian/Disabled/Cyclists Facilities			
Internal		Yes	
External			Yes
Lighting and Safety			Yes
Layout of Park			Yes
General Car Park Condition			Yes

COMMENTS

General

>Generally an excellent Car Park with marked internal pedestrian facilities. More capacity is required basing on the difficulty of obtaining parking space in the park.

Improvements

>Provide cycle stands in the car park
 >Devise measures to create more parking capacity for example reduction of the time restrictions, building more spaces close to the supermarket, etc (see chapter 8 of report).

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Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	Newmarket Car Park
Car Park Location:	Off New Market Street
Local Traffic Generators:	Old Market shopping and Public House on Newmarket Street
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Towards Old market
Areas for Expansion:	Demolish Council garages

Characteristic	Inadequate	Adequate but needs improvement	Adequate
Access/Egress			Yes
Capacity			Yes
Parking information and signage		Yes	
Pedestrian/Disabled/Cyclists Facilities			
Internal		Yes	
External		Yes	
Lighting and Safety		Yes	
Layout of Park			Yes
General Car Park Condition			Yes

COMMENTS

General

>Car park in very good condition and seemingly newly constructed. It is remotely located to the Town centre, hence safety and security are critical

Improvements

- >Provide 2 disabled parking spaces in the park preferably near the entry and exits.
- >Ban the parking of vehicles in front of the park to ease entry/exit manoeuvres to the park
- >Improve lighting in the park

CAR PARK HEALTH CHECK

GENERAL

Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	Comrades Club/Town Hall Car Park
Car Park Location:	Near Town Hall off Old Bristol Road
Local Traffic Generators:	Town Hall, Shops
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Towards Town Hall, Shops
Areas for Expansion:	None

Characteristic	Inadequate	Adequate but needs improvement	Adequate
Access/Egress		Yes	
Capacity			Yes
Parking information and signage		Yes	
Pedestrian/Disabled/Cyclists Facilities			
Internal		Yes	
External		Yes	
Lighting and Safety			Yes
Layout of Park		Yes	
General Car Park Condition		Yes	

COMMENTS

General

>Generally the car park is adequate but can be improved further. Visibility to Old Bristol Road restricted for vehicles exiting the car park. There is a property access through the park and the layout should provide for this.

Improvements

>Provide a widened ramped access for pedestrian access to the car park instead of a stepped access, and improve access generally.
 >Improve parking information and signage in the car park
 >Improve marking of the car park surface

STREET PARKING HEALTH CHECK

GENERAL

Town:	Nailsworth
Car Park Reference:	On-street Parking (Old Market Street, Market Street)
Car Park Location:	Town centre
Local Traffic Generators:	Shopping in the town centre
Pedestrian Desire Lines:	Along the streets and toward shops
Road marking	Clearly marked and signed spaces
Kerb side capacity	Uncounted

Effect	Negative	Moderate and needs improvement	No effect
Effect on visibility			
Near bends			Yes
At junctions		Yes	
Pedestrian and cycle crossing			Yes
Effect on accessibility			
Vehicle flow/turning			Yes
Cyclists			Yes

COMMENTS

General

>Street parking on these two main roads in the town was seen to be very organised. Isolated incidents of parking near bends.

>Condition of parking surfaces was observed to vary from good to poor.

Improvements

>Parking near junctions should be discouraged