BRIDGNORTH TOWN COUNCIL TC/03/2324



Request For Royal British Legion

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Purpose: A list of car registrations were provided to the Council from the RBL in relation to the annual carparking passes for Severn Park, which are assigned to members of the legion. These passes have been provided free of charge for some years and historically in turn the RBL maintain our riverbanks and fishing platforms.

What has been identified	Current Licence Agreement	Income
Licence From: September 2022 Licence To: September 2028	The Legion pay the Council £380.00 per annum with a compound 5% per annum increase.	£380.00
The Royal British Legion obtain 24 carpark passes every year from the Council. In the current licence the Legion pay the Council £380.00 per annum with a 5% per annum increase.	Agreed with Lee Jakeman in 2022: "In light of the limited number of Association members request a free parking permit and that they are regularly involved in ongoing maintenance or formal competition organisation and participation, then the good will of issuing a limited number of free tickets is offset by the volunteer work that contributes to the maintenance of some of the riverbank." Each permit if purchased by residents would cost £64.00 per annum. 24 Passes x £62.50 = £1,500	-1,500.00

If the free permits were not granted:	Income
 The cost of the carpark per day is £5.00. If each member was to attend once a week this would be £120.00 per week The fishing season is for a period of 8 months a year = 48 weeks a year 	120.00
	-5,760.00

Recommendations:

For councillors to discuss the content of the report, and to decide whether to supply free permits going forward.