

# Current Issues in On-Street Parking

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## Context

- Why Parking Controls?
  - Traffic Management
  - Modal Shift
  - Turnover
  - Revenue
- Support of Public Representatives
- Support of Business Community
- Public Acceptance

## Revenue

- Falling Income
- Thefts
  
- Increase Tariffs/Reduce Tariffs
- Anti-theft Actions
  - Newer Machines
  - Increased Collection Frequency
  - Cashless Systems

## Cashless Systems

- Parking Tag
  - Extension to Dublin County
  - Residential Parking Tag
  - ANPR Solution
  - Promotions

## Residential Schemes

- Benefit for Council
- Support of Residents
- Level of Enforcement

## Enforcement

- Clamping vs. Ticketing
- Relocation & Removal
- Appropriate Level of Enforcement

## Appeals

- Integral to Enforcement
- Independence
- Two-stage Process

## Future Developments

- ANPR Enforcement
- Mobile Phone Bill Parking
- Credit Card-Enabled Parking Ticket Machines?
- Near Field Technology