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| Councillor Nikki Barton |
| Surrey County Council |
| 2nd May 2019 |
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Dear Nikki

Electric Car Charging Points

I am writing to you to let you know that South Western Railway will be installing eight electric vehicle charging points in Haslemere station car park. First and MTR secured the South Western Franchise, with a commitment to install 60 electric vehicle charging points as part of our wider environmental commitment to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from transport.

We will begin to install the electric vehicle charging points during May and these will be rolled out over the summer. We will be installing standard charging points, as opposed to rapid chargers as these better fit the model of parking experienced across the network, typically where customers park their cars in the morning and return in the evening.

We have selected this station car park by surveying the electrical supply needed to power these charging points. Many of the stations across our network do not have the necessary levels of power supply available to support electric vehicle charging.

Combined with the issue of power supply, we need to ensure that the car parks selected have the capacity to accommodate bays specifically allocated to electric car charging. We have looked to install charging points at stations where we believe there is potential demand for electric vehicles.

We would be happy to discuss any questions you have with the installation of these charging points and further opportunities for externally funded charging points at these and other stations in the future.

Yours sincerely

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South Western Railway