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<b>Record of Decision:</b> Charges for Senior Railcards			
<b>Decision taken by:</b> Cabinet Member for Improved Customer Services			
<b>Declaration of Prejudicial Interests:</b> I hereby confirm that I <b>do not</b> have a prejudicial interest in this item.			
<b>Declaration of Personal Interests:</b> None to declare.			
<b>Decision:</b> The rail subsidy per pass increased by £2.			
<b>Key Decision:</b> Yes / No			
<b>Reasons for the Decision:</b> The Association of train operating companies suddenly increased the rail pass by £2 from £24 to £26. In taking this decision ADC wish to take a considered approach in the current economic climate and remove a discrepancy between recipients having to pay differing amounts for the same rail card.			
<b>Alternative Options Considered:</b> Taking no action, but this was considered unfair to recipients.			
<b>Other Matters Considered:</b>			
Legal Advice and Issues	X	Financial Advice and Issues	X
Sustainability Issues	X	Equality Issues	X
Community Safety Issues		Human Rights Issues	
Reputation	X	Risk Assessment	
Health and Safety Issues			
<b>Consultation:</b> This report was circulated to Councillors and published on the Council's website on 9 July 2009. The following consultation responses were noted by the decision maker – none.			
<b>Background Papers:</b> Concessionary Bus Travel Act 2007			

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**Call-in:** The call in deadline for this decision will be 5:00pm on Monday 10 August 2009.



**Signed:**

**Date: 3 August 2009**

**Name: Councilor Julie Searle**

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