

Briefing note

To: Communities and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board (4) 2023

9th February

Subject: Update on the Recommendations from the Fly-tipping Task and Finish Group

1 Purpose of the Note

1.1 To inform the Communities and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board (4) of an update on the recommendations identified by the Fly-tipping Task and Finish Group which were submitted to Cabinet Member in March 2022 following ratification by the Communities and Neighbourhood Scrutiny Board (4) on 3rd March 2022.

2 Recommendations

- 2.1 The Communities and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board (4) are recommended to:
 - 1) Note the update on the implementation of the recommendations from the Flytipping Task and Finish Group
 - 2) Make recommendations or comments to the Cabinet Member regarding the progress on the implementation of the recommendations.

3 Background

- 3.1 The Communities and Neighbourhood Scrutiny Board (4) established a task and finish group during the 2021/22 municipal year to review fly-tipping.
- 3.2 The task and finish group made 25 recommendations. Appendix 1 provides an update on each of these recommendations and progress to date on implementing them.
- 3.3 Appendix 2 outlines the fly-tipping 3 year position showing fly-tipping trends.

4 Health Inequalities Impact

- 4.1 The highest levels of fly-tipping are in those areas of the city which have the highest levels of disadvantage and health inequalities.
- 4.2 Improving the environment of the most disadvantaged neighbourhoods, helps improve residents' sense of well-being as well as reducing the direct health impacts of unclean streets and open spaces.
- 4.3 The recommendations proposed by the task and finish group contribute to the Marmot Principles by creating and developing healthy and sustainable places and communities.

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