



Coventry City Council

Briefing note

To: Communities and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board (4)

Date: 24th October 2024

Subject: Fly-tipping Performance 2023/24

1 Purpose of the Note

- 1.1 To inform the Communities and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board (4) of the performance addressing fly-tipping during the year 2023/24.

2 Recommendations

- 2.1 The Communities and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Board (4) is recommended to:
- 1) Consider the current performance to address fly-tipping in the city
 - 2) Identify any further recommendations to the Cabinet Member

3 Information and Background

- 3.1 At their meeting on the 25th September 2024, Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee considered Cabinet Report on the One Coventry Performance Plan 2023-2024.
- 3.2 Included in the report was progress made on the metric “cleaner streets, supported by action against fly-tipping”.
- 3.3 The number of fly-tipping incidents reduced from 6,840 in 2022/23 to 5,883 in 2023/24. The Environmental Enforcement Team exceeded the target of the 5% reduction and will continue to drive down fly tipping through a combination of education and enforcement, focussing attention on the streets that are causing the most issues. Working closely with colleagues in streetpride and domestic waste, it is hoped that there will be further reductions over the coming years, whilst maintaining or increasing the current level of enforcement.

3.4 Table 1



3.5 Table 2

Metric	Previous	Current	Comparators	Progress	Target	Status
Fly-tips reported in the city	6,840 Incidents, 6,662 Enforcement Activity (2022/23)	5,883 incidents 6,176 Enforcement activity 2023/24	N/A	✓	To reduced fly tipping by a further 5%	✓

3.6 There will be a demonstration of the data management tools available by the service which provides real time data to support service improvement.

4 Health Inequalities Impact

4.1 The “cleaner streets, supported by action against fly-tipping” metric contributes to the “Improving outcomes and tackling inequalities within our communities” delivery priority in the One Coventry Plan.

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