

# Fly Tipping Performance

## 24/25


## Scrutiny Board 4

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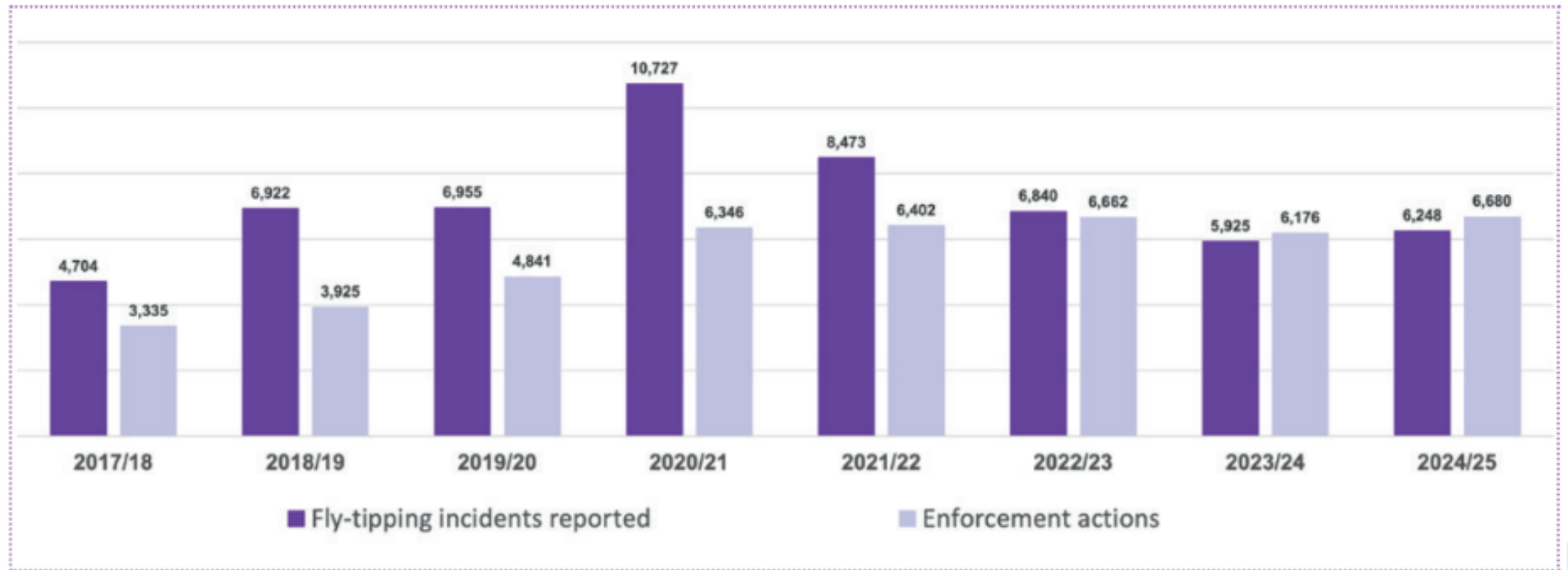


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# Workload

- In the past 12 months the team have:
    - Reacted to over 11000 referrals
    - Investigated over 3000 fly tipping incidents
    - Investigated over 1400 refuse complaints
    - Served over 900 notices forcing landowners to clear waste or eradicate vermin
  - Its not just fly tipping and vermin....
    - Dog fouling
    - Flyposting
    - Drainage issues
    - Unauthorised encampments
    - Empty property issues
    - Neglected Properties
    - Unsightly land and or property
    - Filthy & verminous properties
    - Invasive weed complaints
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# Performance 24/25



# Additional resources

- CCTV Budget = £80k
- 6 additional cameras for next 4 years
  - Airtime
  - Maintenance and monitoring
- 30 in total
- Locations
- Review process
  - Costly process to relocate



# Partnership Working

## Internal


- HMO Licensing and Enforcement
- Empty dwellings
- Planning
- Building Control
- Pest Control
- Streetpride
- Highways

## External

- WM Police
- WM Fire & Rescue
- Citizen
- Other RSL's
- Probation – Community Payback

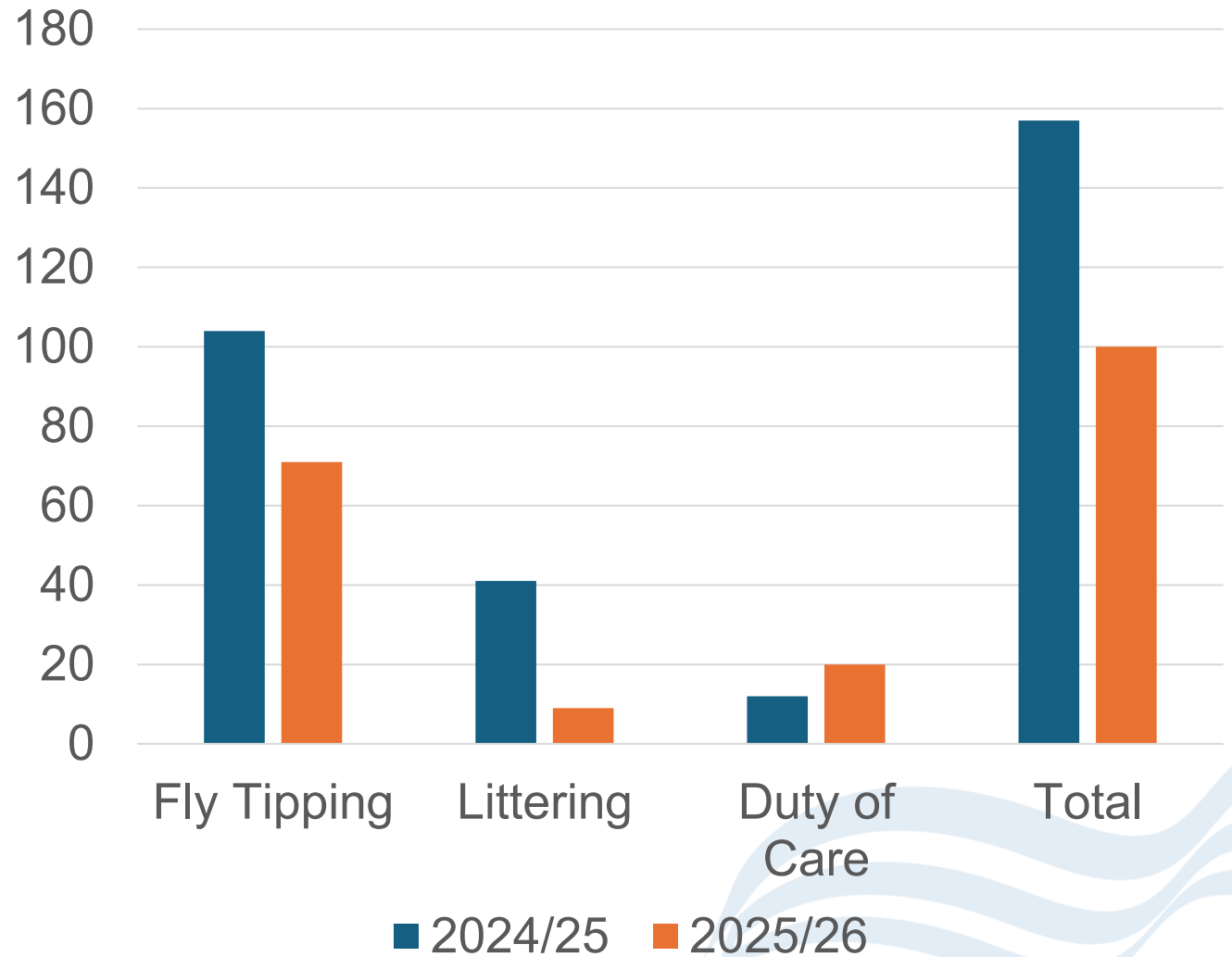


# Projects


- Domestic Hot Streets
    - Foleshill and St Michaels predominantly
  - Wall of shame
  - Working For You Campaign
    - Cleaner and More Connected City
  - Case Studies
    - Day in the life, perception
  - Commercial Hot Streets
    - Palmer Lane
    - Ball Hill – mixed
    - The Butts/Upper York Street
  - Waste on Land
    - Unadopted Land – signage
  - Signage
    - Bins
    - Refuse Vehicles
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# Impact of increased fines

- Went up in November
  - Fly tipping £200 to £1,000
  - Littering £100 to £500
- Duty of Care
- Fines increased from £200 to £600



# Future plans for Street Enforcement

- Review of service
  - Ward based approach
  - Waste Education Officers
  - Balance education and enforcement
  - Waste Awareness Course
  - Litter picking
  - Community Liaison
  - Business Accreditation Scheme
  - Covert surveillance
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# Streetpride



# Additional Funding 2025/26 (£420k)

- Resource Distribution:
  - X 8 Streetpride Operatives
  - X 1 Skilled Driver
  - X 3 Caged Vehicles
  - X 1 Mechanical Sweeper
  - X 1 Walking Sweeper
- Allocated Teams:
  - Ball Hill Pilot – Dedicated Team
    - X 1 Mobile Team (3 operatives + vehicle)
    - X 1 Sweeper (1 operative + vehicle)
  - Suburban Shopping Site Trial
    - X 1 Mobile Team (2 operatives + vehicle)
    - X 1 Mini-crusher Vehicle (existing Fleet)
  - Additional Site Clearance Team
    - X 1 Team (2 operatives + vehicle)
  - Additional Mechanical Midi Sweeper
    - X 1 City-wide (1 skilled driver + vehicle)

# Ball Hill Pilot

- Installation of Big Belly Bins - installed July 2025
  - Dedicated Team
    - Remove fly-tipping daily in the Pilot area
    - Empty litter bins
    - General Litter Picking
    - Continuation of Deep Cleanse – removal of built-up litter and detritus
      - Walsgrave Road
      - Side Streets
  - Deep cleansing of side streets in conjunction with Highways
  - Walker Sweeper Monday to Friday
  - Launch of Pride in Ball Hill Campaign/Business Charter
  - Engagement with Community Group - Destination Ball Hill
  - Environmental Enforcement Team undertake minimum of 3 visits per week
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## Appendix A

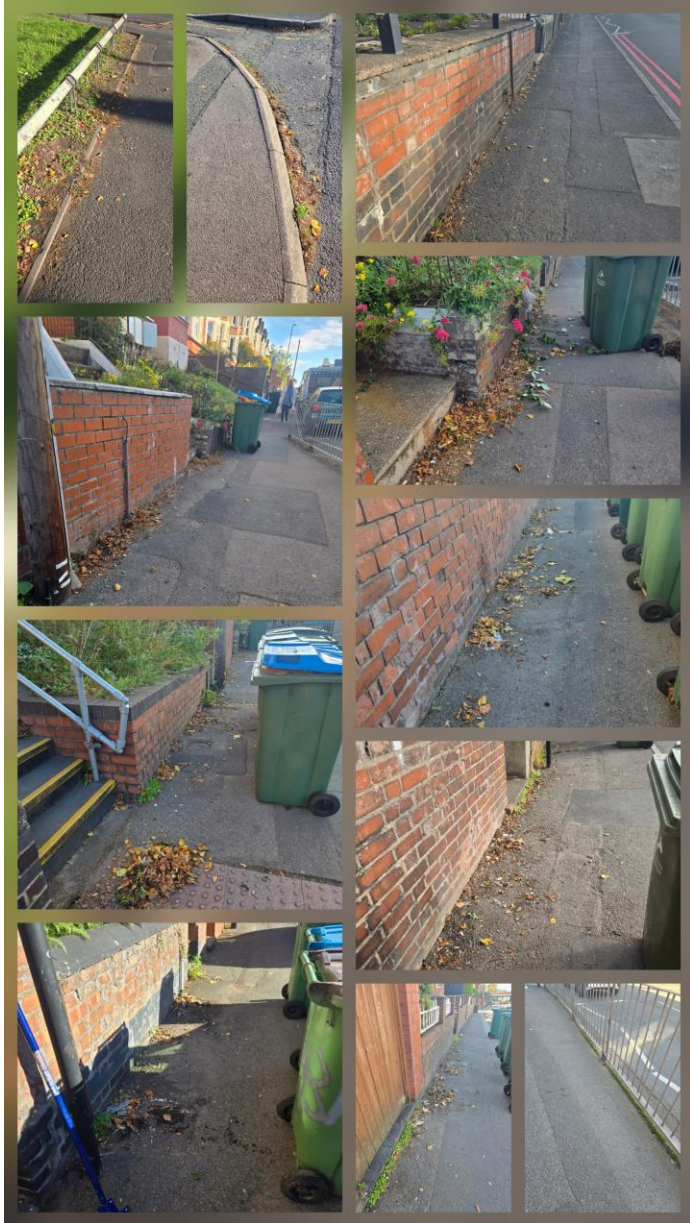


### Ball Hill Streetpride Pilot

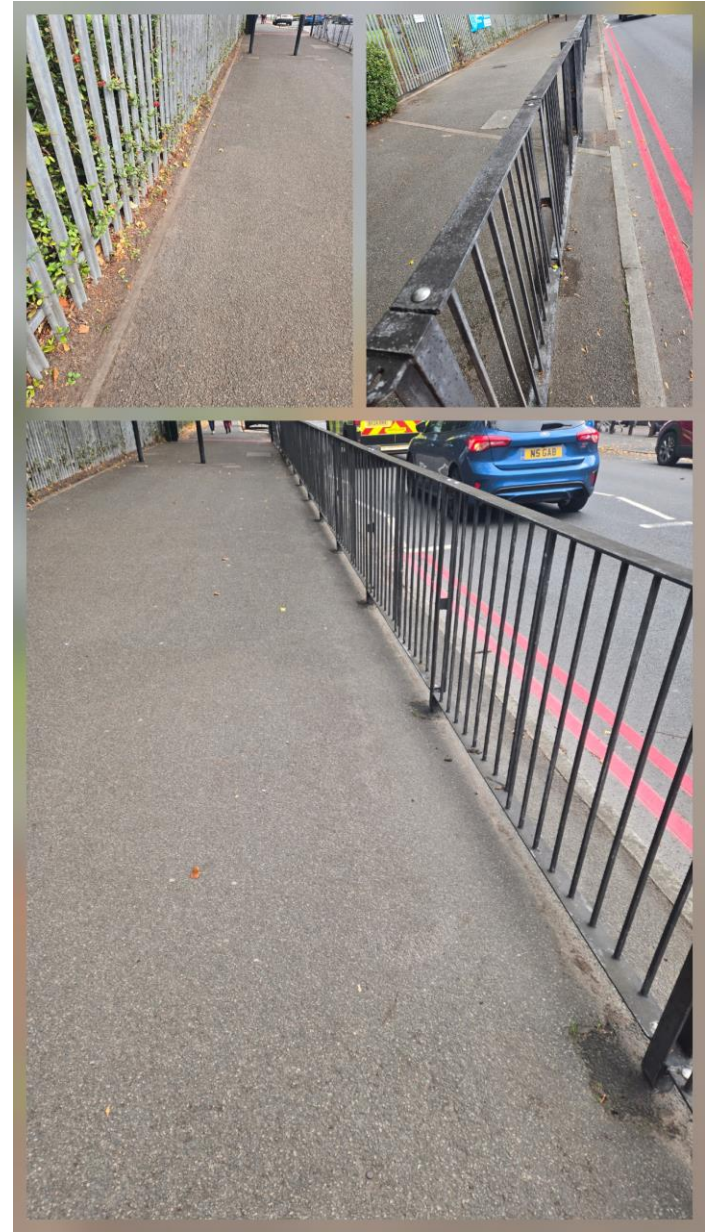


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# Suburban Shopping Sites

- Litter Bin emptying and removal of fly-tipping in identified problematic areas, including:
  - Jubilee Crescent
  - Upper York Street
  - Daventry Road
  - Gosford Street/Far Gosford Street
- A45 Layby (inbound/outbound)
  - Installation of 1100 bins – initially weekly emptying





# Additional Site Clearance Team/Sweeper

- Increase from x 2 Teams to 3
  - North Team – 2 Operatives + Vehicle
  - South Team – 2 Operatives + Vehicle
  - City-wide (Additional) – 2 Operatives + Vehicle
    - Concentrated Works, such as Mattresses and White Goods
- Mechanical Sweeper
  - Increase in frequency from 6 weekly to 4 weekly



# Partnership Working

- Clean-up Projects with Citizen Housing
  - '6' Closes – Hillfields
  - '4' Closes – Binley
  - Wood End – Milverton Road area
- Design out of Clements/Villiers Street
- Partnership with Community Payback Team
  - Autumn/Winter – 3 days per week
  - Spring/Summer – 1 day per week



# Questions?

