

Wiltshire Council

Council

10 July 2018

Notice of Motion No. 8 – Helium Balloons and Sky Lanterns

Councillors Peter Hutton and James Sheppard

To consider the following notice of motion submitted in accordance with the constitution:

To delegate to the Corporate Director for Place, in consultation with the Cabinet Members for Waste and Property, to introduce a policy to prohibit the release of helium balloons or sky lanterns on land in the ownership of the Council, or under its control; and

To ask officers to contact all Town and Parish Councils in the Wiltshire Council area to make them aware of the risks to the environment, public, and animals from helium balloons and sky lanterns, and to ask them to consider taking steps to prohibit the release of balloons or sky lanterns on land in their ownership or under their control.