

Wiltshire Council

Environment Select Committee

21 November 2017

Task Group Update

1. Waste Contracts Task Group

Membership

Membership is being sought for the proposed task group

Terms of Reference

1. To support the delivery of the Business Plan 2017-27 objective(s) of high recycling rates and reducing litter by monitoring, scrutinising and supporting:
 - A) The development of the council's Commercial Waste Policy
 - B) The implementation and performance of the council's waste contracts for Lot 1, Lot 3, Lot 4 and Lot 5 (commencing July 2018)
 - C) The performance of the contract for managing council-owned HRCs (commenced October 2017)
 - D) The potential development of services within the council's waste contracts.

2. To support the 'Clean up Wilts' campaign to make Wiltshire's towns and cities cleaner and tidier by helping to:
 - a) Increase awareness of changes to waste collections
 - b) Enable communities to reduce waste left in urban areas more easily and effectively
 - c) Discourage fly-tipping across the County
 - d) Encourage more residents to engage in litter-picking events.

3. To hold quarterly meetings to focus on the waste contracts (following their commencement), with further ad hoc meetings convened when appropriate to consider other areas within the terms of reference above.

Recent Activity

During the ESC-Executive Annual Meeting on the Waste Portfolio the above task group was proposed. A briefing meeting was also agreed between the ESC Chairman and Vice-Chairman, the Cabinet Member for Highways, Transport and Waste to discuss the Council's recent 'Clean Up Wilts' litter campaign. It was also agreed the item titled 'Emissions' remain on the Committee's FWP as a 'TBC' item.

Proposal

- i. The Committee is asked to consider whether to endorse the establishment of the proposed task group.
 - ii. To note the briefing meeting on the 'Clean Up Wilts' litter campaign to be held
 - iii. To note that that item entitled 'Emissions' remains as a 'TBC' item on the Committee's FWP
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