

Scrutiny Panel

Item

7 July 2020

Report of Assistant Director (Environment) Author Rory Doyle

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Title Pre-Scrutiny of Proposed changes to Garden Waste Collection

Wards All wards affected

1. Executive Summary

1.1 This report outlines proposed changes to the Council's arrangements for collection of residential garden waste.

2. Action Required

- 2.1 The Scrutiny Panel should consider the proposed changes and whether, from the information available, they will result in a garden waste collection service that is sustainable and fit for the future, and;
- 2.2 Scrutinise the financial implications of the changes proposed and;
- 2.3 Consider any recommendations that the Panel may wish to make to Cabinet.

3. Reason for Scrutiny

3.1 To ensure front-line services are designed so they are fit for the future and that adequate financial savings in relation to the service being reviewed are achieved, pre-scrutiny of the draft Cabinet report at Appendix A has been requested.

4. Background Information

4.1 The Scrutiny Panel has been asked to pre-scrutinise the appended report, which is due to go to Cabinet on 8 July 2020, and consider whether to make recommendation on its contents and the decision/s required.

5. Equality, Diversity and Human Rights implications

5.1 The proposals have no equality, diversity or human rights implications.

6. Strategic Plan References

6.1 The implications of the proposed decision, as relating to the <u>Strategic Plan</u> <u>2018-21</u> and the New Strategic Priorities are covered within the Cabinet report at Appendix A.

7. Publicity and Consultation Considerations

- 7.1 These considerations are covered within the Cabinet report at Appendix A.
- 8. Financial, Community Safety, Health and Wellbeing, Health and Safety, Environmental and Sustainability and Risk Management Implications
- 8.1 These considerations are covered within the Cabinet report at Appendix A.

9. Appendix

Appendix A – Cabinet report on proposed changes to garden waste collections