

	<h2>Environment Committee</h2> <h3>10 November 2015</h3>
<p style="text-align: right;">Title</p>	<p>Motion from Full Council, Roads and Pavements</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Report of</p>	<p>Head of Governance</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Wards</p>	<p>All</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Status</p>	<p>Public</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Enclosures</p>	<p>None</p>
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Summary
<p>The report informs the Environment Committee of a Motion which was reported to Full Council on 20 October 2015. In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 23.5, if a Member's Motion is not deal with by the end of a Full Council meeting, it will be referred to the appropriate committee for consideration and any necessary action.</p>

Recommendation
<p>That the Environment Committee instructions are required in relation to this item.</p>

1. WHY THIS REPORT IS NEEDED

1.1 On Tuesday 20 October 2015 Councillor Alan Schneiderman submitted an Opposition Motion to Full Council as follows:

1.2 Roads and Pavements

Council notes the rising complaints over the state of the boroughs roads and pavements, and that roads and pavements are the number one issue of concern for residents according to the council's own Residents Perception Survey.

Council also notes the recent practice of 'road surface dressing' in Barnet which leaves tarmac road chippings loose on the road surface resulting in damage to vehicles from flying chippings and damage to homes from tar.

Council further notes that many residents have complained about this new approach to road repairs, and asks the Environment Committee to review the procedure, including any contingency for dealing with a deterioration in roads due to the approaching cold winter weather.

1.3 Under Full Council Procedure Rule 23.5 I ask that if my motion is not dealt with by the end of the meeting it is referred directly to the Environment Committee.

1.4 Council's Constitution, Full Council Procedure Rule 23.5 states that:

If the Member's Motion is not dealt with by the end of the meeting, it will be referred to the appropriate Council Committee or sub-Committee for consideration and any necessary action. (However, if the proposer has specifically asked in his or her notice for the Motion to be voted on at that Council meeting it will be voted on without discussion).

1.5 The motion was not discussed or voted on at the Full Council meeting. Therefore the Environment Committee are requested to consider the contents of the motion as set out in section 1.2 of this report and give instruction.

2. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 No recommendations have been made. The Environment Committee are therefore requested to give consideration to the motion and provide instruction.

3. ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND NOT RECOMMENDED

3.1 Not applicable.

4. POST DECISION IMPLEMENTATION

- 4.1 Post decision implementation will depend on the decision taken by the Committee.

5. IMPLICATIONS OF DECISION

5.1 Corporate Priorities and Performance

- 5.1.1 If the committee propose to action in relation to this motion, any actions arising will need to be evaluated against the Corporate Plan and other relevant policies.

5.2 Resources (Finance & Value for Money, Procurement, Staffing, IT, Property, Sustainability)

- 5.2.1 None in the context of this report.

5.3 Legal and Constitutional References

- 5.3.1 Council Constitution, Full Council Procedure Rules (section 23.5) states if the Member's Motion is not dealt with by the end of the meeting, it will be referred to the appropriate Council Committee.

- 5.3.2 Council Constitution, Responsibility for Functions, Annex A – the terms of reference of the Environment Committee includes transport and traffic management.

- 5.3.3 There are no legal references in the context of this report.

5.4 Risk Management

- 5.4.1 None in the context of this report.

5.5 Equalities and Diversity

- 5.5.1 All of these issues must be considered for their equalities and diversity implications.

5.6 Consultation and Engagement

- 5.6.1 None in the context of this report.

6. BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 6.1 Motion to Full Council, 20 October 2015
<http://barnet.moderngov.co.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=162&MId=8340&Ver=4>