Environment Select Committee

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee - 4 October 2011

Review of Care for Your Area Services Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)

The Committee met on 12 September and considered initial options for the Review of Care for Your Area as a service. Members agreed that the following options, which will have a minimum service impact, be further developed:

- Re-structure/re-configure Management/Supervision
- Round reconfiguration
- Reduced maintenance budgets for Parks Improvement Fund
- Reduce supplies and spend across all services
- Reduced staffing through natural wastage for street cleaning and grounds maintenance
- Increased income from recyclable material
- Further investigation into depot relocation
- Further investigation into outsourcing workshops

Members will receive a draft report providing more detail on these options at their next meeting on 13 October.

Review of Waste Management

The Committee also received a presentation outlining baseline information for the Officer Led Gateway Review of Waste Management on 12 September. A site visit to the Recycling Facility will be arranged for Members of the Committee.