

Progress with Committee Resolutions

Date of Meeting	Item number and title	Resolution	Progress
13 February 2020	5. The Council and Trunk Road Agency Highways Grass Verge and Hedge Maintenance and Pesticide Application Policies	<p><i>Resolved:</i> - <i>having examined the current policies of both organisations, and subject to the above observations –</i></p> <p>(i) <i>to receive the report and recommend that the timing of grass verge cuts be adhered to across the county, with a level of flexibility built into it to them to accommodate the variances in growing seasons from year to year; and</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>that the Council’s Highways Grass Verge Maintenance Policy be presented to the Committee at its May 2020 meeting for review</i></p>	<p>Lead Member, officers and Trunk Road Agency representatives advised of the Committee’s recommendations.</p> <p>The Committee’s meeting scheduled for May 2019 was cancelled due to the COVID-19 crisis – policy review is listed on the ‘holding list’ for future rescheduling (see Appendix 1b)</p>
	6. Additional Licensing of Houses in Multiple Occupation	<p><i>Resolved:</i> - <i>subject to the above observations –</i></p> <p>(i) <i>and the provision of an ‘Information Report’ on the number of planning applications received by the Council during the last two years seeking permission to convert single dwellings into Houses of Multiple Occupation and/or into self-contained apartments, including the number of applications granted and refused by officers and by the Planning Committee;</i></p>	<p>Lead Member and officers informed of the Committee’s recommendations</p> <p>Due to the COVID-19 crisis Partnerships Scrutiny Committee meetings from April until September 2020 were cancelled and as the</p>

		<p>(ii) having considered the contents of the report and given particular consideration to the geographical area covered by the proposed Additional Licensing Scheme, the type of Houses in Multiple Occupation to be covered by the additional scheme, the justification and evidence for re-designating an Additional Licencing Scheme, the Conditions to be imposed as part of the Scheme, and the fees to be applied to the Scheme, to support the forthcoming consultation on extending the Additional Licensing Scheme;</p> <p>(iii) that as part of its consideration it had read, understood and taken account of the Well-being Impact Assessment (Appendix 7); and</p> <p>(iv) that following the conclusion of the public consultation process the final draft Additional Licensing for Houses in Multiple Occupation be presented to the Committee for further scrutiny prior to its submission to Cabinet for approval</p>	<p>decisions regarding these schemes were subject to time constraints Cabinet approved the re-designation of the Additional Licensing Scheme in Rhyl and to extend the designation to Prestatyn, Denbigh and Llangollen at its meeting, held remotely, on 28 July 2020</p>
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