

# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

## POLICY COMMITTEE DECISION RECORD

The following decisions were taken on Wednesday 21 December 2022 by the Waste & Street Scene Policy Committee.

### Item No

#### **7. GRASS VERGE OPTIONS, INCLUDING WILDFLOWER PLANTING AND COMMUNITY FUNDED STREET TREES**

- 7.1 The report set out a new approach to managing the competing demands on the Council's urban verges around the city, including options for protection measures to prevent anti-social parking, establishment of wildflowers and community funded tree planting.
- 7.2 **RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Waste and Street Scene Policy Committee agreed to defer this decision to the February meeting pending a full documented Equality Impact Assessment being published.

#### **8. CITY CENTRE STREET FOOD MARKETS POLICY AND FEES**

- 8.1 This report sets out a proposal to create a Street Food Market Licensing initiative.
- 8.2 **RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the **Waste and Street Scene** Policy Committee:-
1. Approve the proposal for a new Street Food Market Licence initiative.
  2. Approve the Street Food Market licensing documents appended to the report (regulations, qualitative criteria, sites/locations, fees, and licence and conditions).
  3. Approve promotion of the Street Food Market Licence initiative with immediate effect.

#### **8.3 Reasons for Decision**

- 8.3.1 Moving forward with the proposals outlined in this Report will improve the on-street food trading offer across the city centre, providing more opportunities for local street food businesses (especially start-ups) and the creation of mini street food markets.

#### **8.4 Alternatives Considered and Rejected**

- 8.4.1 The Council could maintain the status quo. However, in order to secure the benefits outlined in the Report this option is not recommended.

#### **9. AMEY PERFORMANCE REVIEW**

- 9.1 To provide an overview of the performance of Amey, including any current

challenges and improvement plans. To seek approval for improvement plan(s) and the new street scene and waste customer charter.

9.2 **RESOLVED:** That the Waste and Street Scene Policy Committee:-

Defer items 1 and 3 (listed below) to a meeting to be held in January 2023, to allow the Committee more time to consider the detail within the report before making a decision on those items.

1. Note the details of the performance update.
3. Agree the actions set out in the Report including tracking the delivery of the improvement plan against contract compliance.

**RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY:** That the Waste and Street Scene Policy Committee:-

2. Note the new street scene and waste customer charter improving information to our customers on Amey and Veolia service delivery.
4. Receive a further update on Amey Performance in six months-time.

9.3 **Reasons for Decision**

9.3.1 In approving the new waste and street scene customer charter, the Committee are ensuring customers understand what to expect in terms of response by Amey to key service requests and Amey's performance against these

9.4 **Alternatives Considered and Rejected**

9.4.1 There are proposed actions set out in this Report, including tracking the delivery of the improvement plan against contract compliance. To the extent that there are alternative options available, these are set out in (closed) Appendix 2.