

INFORMATION ITEM

REPORT OF	MEETING	DATE	ITEM NO
DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DIRECTORATE	TOURISM AND LEISURE COMMITTEE	4 NOVEMBER 2019	5

ENFORCEMENT OF PSPO CONTROLLING BARBECUES AND OUTDOOR COOKING 2019 SEASON REVIEW

PUBLIC ITEM

This item is for consideration in the public part of the meeting.

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

On 14 March 2019 the Tourism and Leisure Committee RESOLVED

- 1. To introduce a full prohibition of barbecues and other outdoor temporary cooking facilities on council owned land through the application of a Public Spaces Protection Order; to set the level of the Fixed Penalty Notice at £50; and
- 2. To recommend to Council an additional unfunded annual revenue budget increase of £38,000 to cover the cost of enforcement.

On 25 March 2019 Council RESOLVED

to approve an additional unfunded annual revenue budget increase of £38,000 from 2019/20 onwards to cover the cost of enforcement in regards to the Public Space Protection Order in regards controls for the use of barbecues and other outdoor cooking on council owned land.

The drafting of the various <u>Public Space Protection Orders</u> was subsequently undertaken and came into effect on 1 July 2019 for a period of 3 years. <u>FAQ's</u> are available on the council website which outline what the barbecue ban means and how it will be enforced.

This report presents a review of the initial part season of operation from 12th July – 29th September 2019 of the PSPO and the effectiveness of enforcement undertaken.

Officers will take account of the feedback from 2019 in how the service is commissioned and delivered in 2020.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Parks and Coastal Services Team

INFORMATION ATTACHED

BBQ PSPO Security Services season review

WHY IS THIS INFORMATION BEING GIVEN TO THE COMMITTEE?

To allow the Tourism and Leisure Committee to review the initial introduction and enforcement of the PSPO controlling barbecues and open fires.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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