

CABINET MEMBERS REPORT TO COUNCIL

23 February 2022

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For the period January 25th to 23rd February 2022

1 Progress on Portfolio Matters.

Most of the work on the de-carbonisation program, is nearing completion, with just a few hold ups which were beyond our control, so we were pleased to hear that the government has extended the period by a couple of months.

- With the huge increase in gas prices due to take effect shortly, there will be significant savings in expenditure on gas through this project. (but there will be an increase in electricity costs) and of course a big reduction in CO2 output.

2 Community Safety & Neighbourhood Nuisance Team

Fly-tipping

We are currently working with other agencies on major fly tipping incidents, but I am not able at this stage to give any details.

3. Refuse.

Whilst we are still experiencing some staffing shortages due to Covid and other reasons, collections remain mostly unaffected.

4.Meetings Attended and Meetings Scheduled

Cabinet
Portfolio briefing: -Climate Change, Recycling and Refuse collection and Licensing, Flood and Coastal erosion matters.

Cabinet Briefing

Budget briefings

CPP

E&C

LGA Coastal Special Interest Group (SIG)

Friends of the Earth

Klimate Concern

QEH Board of Governors

QEH Nom and Rem Ctte

QEH Finance Ctte

Norfolk Parking Partnership Ctte

Licensing and Appeals Board

Most of the above meetings held on line.