

**APPENDIX 2**

**PETITIONS SUBMITTED TO GATESHEAD METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

<b>DATE RECEIVED</b>	<b>REF</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>ISSUE</b>	<b>FORWARDED TO</b>	<b>ACTION TO DATE</b>
24.08.16 Submitted to The Gateshead Housing Company	13/16	Petition from residents of Ventnor Gardens	Petition complaining about the height of trees in neighbouring properties and asking for them to be cut back to a reasonable height.	Strategic Director, Communities and Environment/ The Gateshead Housing Company	The petition raised concerns about the large trees which belong to a private property.  The land owner has requested a list of approved contractors in order to obtain estimates to carry out the works. The Council's Arboricultural Officer has provided a list of approved contractors and has requested a rough timetable for the works to be completed. The Cabinet member, ward councillors and the lead petitioner will be kept advised when a timetable is received.
13.04.17 Submitted to the Strategic Director, Communities and Environment	04/17	Petition from residents of Gateshead	Petition calling upon South Tyneside, Sunderland and Gateshead Councils to revoke the contract for Cleadon Kennels.	Strategic Director, Communities and Environment	The petition is being investigated by South Tyneside Council as the partnership procuring authority. The outcome of this investigation will be shared with both Sunderland and Gateshead Councils. A response will then be prepared for the lead petitioner following consultation with the appropriate Cabinet member.