

**REPORT TO PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE****06<sup>th</sup> December 2023****TITLE OF REPORT:** Enforcement Team Activity**REPORT OF:** Anneliese Hutchinson, Service Director – Climate Change, Compliance, Planning and Transport

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**Purpose of the Report**

1. To advise the Committee of the activity of the Enforcement Team since the last Committee meeting.

**Background**

2. The Enforcement team deal with proactive and reactive investigations in relation to Planning, Highway and Waste related matters.

**Recommendations**

3. It is recommended that the Committee note the report.

Within the date range commencing 19.10.2023 and ending 21.11.2023 the enforcement team has received 135 new service requests. The enforcement team currently has 634 cases under investigation.

TYPE OF SERVICE REQUEST	NEW SERVICE REQUESTS RECEIVED	CASES ALLOCATED TO OFFICER	CASES RESOLVED	UNDER INVESTIGATION	PENDING PROSECUTIONS	FPN ISSUED	CAUTION ISSUED	REFERAL TO OTHER AGENCY
Planning	19	19	49	245	0			
Empty/vacant properties & sites	18	18	8	126	0			
Highways	26	19	44	152	0			
Abandoned vehicles	46	46	54	6	0			

<b>Waste investigations</b>	26	19	71	105	2	3	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

#### COURT HEARINGS

No court hearings have occurred in this period.