

Wyre Forest District Council

Record of a Council Decision delegated to be made by an Officer

This includes a record of an Executive Decision made by an officer under Regulation 13, Part 4 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Item decided: Commencement of consultation on extending Kidderminster Public Space Protection Order (PSPO)	
Officer who has taken the decision	Ian Miller, Chief Executive
Date of the decision	7 July 2021
Reason for the decision/alternatives considered	<p>Delegated authority has been given to the Chief Executive, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Culture, Leisure and Community Protection, to commence a consultation period on the PSPO, subject to the findings of the evidence-gathering exercise demonstrating to his satisfaction that it is appropriate and proportionate to make a further PSPO.</p> <p>Information considered included the findings from the PSPO Review undertaken by the Partnership Analyst within West Mercia Police. The review recommends that the PSPO is renewed to ensure alcohol-related anti-social behaviour remains low after the effects of COVID19.</p> <p>There is sufficient evidence to demonstrate that it is proportionate to consider making a further PSPO, and that support for it now needs to be tested in the consultation. It will fall to Cabinet to decide whether or not to proceed with a PSPO following the consultation.</p>
Date and source of Delegated Decision (if appropriate)	Review of Kidderminster Public Space Protection Order – strong leader decision by Cllr Helen Dyke, 2 July 2021
Council/Cabinet member consulted – if applicable	Cllr Graham Ballinger
Any interest declared by the Consultee or officer	None