


ITEMS RAISED FOR ACTION & IN OPEN FORUM: 29th February 2012

	Raised By	Issue	Action by	Action
1.	Resident	Coronation Park is in dire need of a clean up. Could this be looked into?	Christine Maksymowski Township Co-ordinator	CM contacted Tom Buggie the Parks and Countryside Manager on 01/03/12. Tom arranged for Malcolm Grundy the Senior Supervisor from Environment and Development Services to go to the park and clean up the area.
2.	Resident	Dog fouling in New Church Walk/Howarth Close/Barlow Street - could we introduce on the spot fines for people who do not clean up after their dogs who foul in the streets?	Customer Contact Team Environmental Services	Passed to Gary Brown from Environmental Services
3.	Resident	Query regarding current charges for replacing grey bins. We should be charging for replacing all bins. Council operatives should ensure that bins are returned to each householder after being emptied rather than being left at a collection point on street.	Christine Maksymowski Township Co-ordinator Graham Atkinson	CM emailed Graham Atkinson on 23/03/12. Response See attached policy document - see para 8 on page 4. The Council does not charge for replacement recycling bins because the roll out of recycling collections across the borough is still not absolutely complete and we do not want to deter any residents from recycling in any way.  Refuse-Recycling Policies 2011.doc As a rule of thumb, with straightforward front of property collections, bins should be and are returned to the point at which they were left by residents, which is usually outside their house. However there are many exceptions to this rule in e.g. back streets and tightly congested terraced streets where bins have to be dragged a distance to the vehicle to be emptied. It really is a case of horses for courses. The Council does have the power (under law) to nominate collection points at which bins should be left by residents for emptying e.g. at the end of

				a back street. In many back streets if bins are collected from back gates it is often not possible to return bins to the point of collection because often neither the bins or the back gates are numbered.
4.	Resident	Books by Radcliffe authors are not available in Radcliffe or Central Libraries. If they were to be made available, could this be part of improving Radcliffe's profile?	Christine Maksymowski Township Co-ordinator Radcliffe Library	Response received 24/03/2012 Some examples of books in stock at Radcliffe Library are - Sunderland, Frank - The book of Radcliffe Nicholls, Rev W - History and traditions of Radcliffe Hardman, Sam - In the days of my youth Also there are several local authors kept in our Local History section for reference only. Thanks Radcliffe Library
5.	Resident	Concerns in relation to parking on Church Street near to the Health Centre and overflow from the Tram Station.	Traffic Management	Update Final Decision The Traffic Management Unit agreed to the proposals below but reduced the extension of the single yellow line to the south east of the old Radcliffe Times Building due to the possible introduction of a parking bay and the Limited Waiting restriction (outside "Neatline" business) to be 2hrs no return within 1 hour. The introduction of the proposals will now follow the statutory process for implementation on site and I have informed the interested parties. Hope this is of use to you. 21/02/2012 Good morning Christine, Further to your enquiry about parking problems on Church Street West I would like to inform you that I am looking at introducing extra restrictions along stretches of the road in response to complaints from members of the public and Businesses about the increase in parking. I propose to extend the existing single yellow line on the south east side from the old Radcliffe Times Building south west to the existing shops which will prohibit vehicles parking between 8am and 7pm.

				<p>I also propose to put single yellow lines from the junction of Church Street West along both sides of Glenvale Close and put a limited waiting area in front of the hairdressing shop and Neatline furniture store. This is in response to requests from both of these businesses and Contour Housing (who manage the housing in Glenvale Close) who have all been asked for their views on the parking problems.</p> <p>These proposals have to be put before the Traffic Management Unit meeting on 29 March for their approval and I will inform you of their decision in due course.</p> <p>Please contact me if you require any further information or clarification.</p> <p>Regards Stephen</p> <p>Stephen McManamon Traffic Management Bury MBC Tel: 0161 253 5802 Fax: 0161 253 5363 email: s.mcmanamon@bury.gov.uk</p>
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