

PEOPLE AND COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE

| Subject: | | Motion – Review of Enforcement Services | | | | | |
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| Date: | | 7th March, 2017 | | | | | |
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| Reporting Officer: | | Stephen McCrory, Democratic Services Manager | | | | | |
| Contact Officer: | | Sara Steele, Democratic Services Officer | | | | | |
| Is this | report restricted? | | Yes | | No | X | |
| Is the c | decision eligible fo | or Call-in? | Yes | X | No | | |
| 1.0 | Purpose of Popo | rt or Summary of main lesues | | | | | |
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| 1.1 | To bring to the Committee's attention the Notice of Motion re: Review of | | | | | | |
| | Enforcement Services which was referred to the Committee by the Council on | | | | | | |
| | 1st March. | | | | | | |
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| 2.0 | Recommendations | | | | | | |
| 2.1 | To consider the | Motion and take such action thereon as may | / be de | etermii | ned. | | |
| 3.0 | Main report | | | | | | |
| 3.1 | Key Issues | | | | | | |
| | The Council, at its meeting on 1st March, considered the following Notice of | | | | | | |
| | Motion which ha | d been moved by Councillor Boyle and seco | nded | by Co | uncillo | or | |
| | Mullan: | | | | | | |
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| | Review of Enforcement Services | | | | | | |
| | "Belfast City Council is responsible for a range of different enforcement services, including such things as on-street drinking, management of litter and addressing noise. It is important that when carrying out enforcement duties in | | | | | | |

| | respect of these types of issues, our approach operates within the principles of consistency, proportionality and fairness, recognising the rights of all individuals. This Council, therefore, agrees that it is timely for a review to be undertaken of enforcement activities across relevant Council Departments to ensure that such services are effective, efficient and responsive to the needs and demands across the City." | | | |
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| | In accordance with Standing Order 13(f), the Motion was referred without discussion to the People and Communities Committee. | | | |
| 3.2 | Financial & Resource Implications None. | | | |
| 3.3 | Equality or Good Relations Implications None. | | | |
| 4.0 | Appendices – Documents Attached | | | |
| 4.1 | None. | | | |