

## **Meeting of the Full Council - Thursday 13 October 2022**

### **Report of the Environment, Economic Growth and Transport Scrutiny Committee Meeting held Thursday 15 September 2022**

**Chair: County Councillor Rupert Swarbrick**

#### **Reviewing of Charging for Attachment to Lighting Columns**

The committee considered a report which set out guidance and a proposal, due to be presented to Cabinet, to charge authorities and organisations for permits or licences to attach seasonable decorative items to lighting columns.

**Resolved:** That the Environment, Economic Growth and Transport Scrutiny Committee recommends that Cabinet Member for Highways and Transport give consideration to:

1. Charging for one licence fee per event;
2. Applying end dates or advise on a specified time frame for when signs should be removed. If signs aren't removed in time, to apply a fine; and
3. Ensuring a comprehensive communication plan is put in place and maintained.

#### **Parking Enforcement Review**

The committee considered a report which provided an update on how the Parking Enforcement Service was operating since services that had previously been provided by an external contractor had been brought in-house.

**Resolved:** That the Environment, Economic Growth and Transport Scrutiny Committee noted the update on the in-house Parking Enforcement service and functions.