



NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

30 APRIL 2018

BRIEFING NOTE: Environmental Enforcement

Northampton Borough Council has entered into a contract with Kingdom Security Ltd for the provision of environmental enforcement services. The service which began at the end of January 2018 has initially focused on issuing fixed penalty notices for littering. In due course, the scope of the service will be extended to deal with waste offences, fly tipping and dog fouling.

The following statistics summarise the activity of the service to the end of March. In this period the majority of fixed penalty notices have been issues in Northampton Town Centre but the officers are now moving out to locations around the Borough.

Month	Total FPNs issued	FPNs cigarette litter	FPN food	FPN spitting	FPN other
January 2018	561	507	20	29	5
February 2018	815	742	24	41	8
March 2018	1097	1069	19	-	9

The service is delivered on a zero cost basis to the Council with the cost of provision being funded by the fixed penalty receipts received.

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