

SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Overview and Scrutiny Committee

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PART I **FOR INFORMATION**

ANNUAL PETITIONS REPORTS 2019/20

1. **Purpose of Report**

The purpose of this report is to provide the Committee with details of the Annual Petitions Report for information.

2. **Recommendation**

The Committee is requested to note the Annual Petitions Report 2019/20.

3. **The Slough Joint Wellbeing Strategy, the JSNA and the Five Year Plan**

3a. **Slough Joint Wellbeing Strategy Priorities**

Overview and Scrutiny is a process by which decision-makers are accountable to local people, via their elected representatives for improving outcomes relating to all priorities for the Borough and its residents. Scrutiny seeks to influence those who make decisions by considering the major issues affecting the Borough and making recommendations about how services can be improved.

3b. **Five Year Plan Outcomes**

Overview and Scrutiny covers all of the five year plan outcomes:

- Our children and young people will have the best start in life and opportunities to give them positive lives.
- Our people will become healthier and will manage their own health, care and support needs.
- Slough will be an attractive place where people choose to live, work and visit.
- Our residents will have access to good quality homes.
- Slough will attract, retain and grow businesses and investment to provide jobs and opportunities for our residents

4. **Other Implications**

(a) **Financial**

There are no financial implications of this report.

(b) **Risk Management**

None associated with this report.

(c) Human Rights Act and Other Legal Implications

None associated with this report.

(d) Equalities Impact Assessment

None associated with this report.

4. **Supporting Information**

4.1 In accordance with the Council's Constitution, an annual summary detailing all petitions submitted under the Petitions Scheme is reported to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

4.2 For the period 1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 a total of 20 petitions were received - 18 paper petitions and 2 e-petitions. The table below summarises the subject matter and total number of signatures received for each petition.

Paper Petition Title	Signatures
19-05 - Parking Issues at Slough Cricket Club	36
19-06 - Objection to Removal of Montem Leisure Centre	132
19-07 - Clear Blocked Drain - High Street Chalvey, Service Road	22
19-08 - Parking Restriction on High Street after 7pm - Friday to Sunday	17
19-09 - St Andrews Way Parking Issues	274
19-10 - Chalvey Road East - Permit Holders Only Parking	58
19-11 - Planned Development Work at Moreton Way 1-11A Bases	14
19-12 - Tamarisk Way – Pest Control Issues	24
19-13 - Nuisance Parking on Stirling Road	85
19-14 - St Johns Road - Request for Parking Permits	100
19-15 - Parking Issues at Grace Court	17
19-16 - Handling of Parking Scheme - College Avenue	36
19-17 - Everard Avenue Waiting and Parking Restrictions	10
19-18 - Parking Issues on Hampshire Avenue	16
19-19 - Petition - Coftards Garages	12
19-20 - Petition Against Greenside Development	77
20-01 - Petition - Abolish Double Yellow Lines - Finefield Walk	32

20-02 - Parking Issues – Farnham Road	19

Date Range: 1st April, 2019 to 31st March, 2020 - 2 – ePetitions

ePetitions Title	Signatures
Demand that Slough joins the Voter ID scheme immediately	62
Petition to Reject the Planning Application to redevelop The Former Willow Tree site	412

Responses to the petitions are detailed in Appendix A.

5. **Conclusion**

Overview and Scrutiny Committee Members are requested to note details of the report.

6. **Appendix Attached**

A - Annual Petitions Report 2019/20

7. **Background Papers**

None.