# Cabinet – 4 April 2012

# Scrap Metal

**Portfolio:** Councillor Zahid Ali, Communities and partnerships

**Service:** Regulatory Services

Wards: All

**Key decision:** No

Forward plan: No

## 1. Summary

The Environment Scrutiny and Performance Panel's report on Scrap Metal was presented to Council on 23 February 2012, whereby it was resolved:

- 1) That the report and recommendations of the Scrap Metal Working Group be noted
- 2) That the report be submitted to the next meeting of Cabinet for consideration.

#### 2. Recommendations

- 2.1 That Cabinet notes the report and recommendations of the Scrap Metal Working Group and thanks the members of the Panel for their work.
- 2.2 That Cabinet agrees to receive the Portfolio Holder's response to the Panel's report, and an implementation plan, at the next meeting of Cabinet in the new municipal year.

## 3. Scrap Metal working group report

- 3.1 At its meeting on 20 October 2011, the Environment Scrutiny and Performance Panel considered a report on businesses dealing in scrap metal. This followed a motion passed at Council requesting that the relevant Scrutiny and Performance Panel undertake an investigation into the matter.
- 3.2 The Panel subsequently established a working group, who submitted their report to the Panel on 9 February 2011. The Panel approved the report and referred it to Council on 23 February 2012.

3.3 In accordance with the motion passed at Council, the findings of the investigation have been produced in a report for submission to Council and Cabinet.

### **Background papers**

Scrap Metal Working Group report to the Environment Scrutiny and Performance Panel on 9 February 2012

Scrap Metal Working Group report to Council on 23 February 2012

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