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<b>EXECUTIVE REPORT: STREET SCENE PORTFOLIO HOLDER</b>
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**1. Purpose of Report**

- 1.1** To inform Council of progress on key objectives and the current position on issues within the Street Scene Portfolio.

**2. Current and Future Issues**

- 2.1** Summary information is included in Appendix 1 on the following key issues relating to a cleaner and greener environment.

- Waste Management (Bulky Waste, Containerised Collections)
- Street Cleansing
- Dog Control Orders

- 3.** In accordance with Procedure Rule 10.3 any member of Council will be able to ask me a question or make a comment on the contents of my report or on any issue which falls within my area of responsibility. I will respond to any such questions or comments in accordance with procedure Rule 10.5.

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STREET SCENE PORTFOLIO HOLDER PROGRESS UPDATE

July 2011

**1. Waste Management Contract**

**1.1** The procurement of a new waste collection contract continues to progress to target.

**1.2** A very successful "Bidders Session" was undertaken with prospective bidders on the 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> May 2011, which included

- A tour of the existing depot, to determine potential upgrades to the current facilities
- A tour of the reclaim facility at Thornton, to give them detail of the front end operation, and what is expected of a contractor using the facility
- An overview of the Bartec system the contractor will be using
- A question & answer session on the proposed new depot

**1.3** The return of the completed tender documentation is now the 4<sup>th</sup> July 2011

**1.4** The partnering process with Bulky Matters (Social Enterprise) to collect and re-use/recycle the Boroughs Bulky waste is targeted to be implemented from 18th July 2011. A letter of modification has been sent to Fylde BC confirming the changes under section 4.9 of the current contract.

**1.5** The recent price change to the Commercial Waste Service, aimed at ensuring financial viability within this area of the operation has resulted in a significant reduction in the customer base. The reduction has prompted Wyre to initiate a variation to the current contract, as significantly fewer resources will be required to undertake the operation. Further update reports will be produced to keep members informed

**1.6** The introduction of the containerised collection service in the current black sack areas is on target for a September 2011 implementation. The procurement process for the containers has been undertaken, but the successful supplier is still being finalised

**2. Street Cleansing**

**2.1** The project for delivering the Street Cleansing Service as an in-house operation from April 2012 continues to progress in accordance with the overall project plan, and the procurement process using an existing framework for the mechanical sweepers has recently been initiated

**3. Dog Control Orders**

**3.1** Dog Control Orders covering the Fleetwood area were approved at Cabinet on 25 May 2011. The orders will be phased in across the borough commencing in Fleetwood with key sites being prioritised.