

QUESTION FROM A MEMBER OF PUBLIC

UNDER STANDING ORDER NO.19

SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - COMMUNITY – 10 NOVEMBER 2015

QUESTION FROM MR BROWNBRIDGE

Whilst the ASB during the start of term was much reduced, certainly along New North Rd., I believe the next step is to better manage the incidents of consuming alcohol on the public highway.

During the early weeks of this term I have photographed a number of empty alcohol containers which have been discarded. I believe this is a result on the street drinking by University Students walking along New North Rd.

SO my question to the Committee is:-

Will the committee amend the suggested coverage of the PSPO to include all of the public highways between the City Centre and units of University Residents?

In particular New North Rd, Pennsylvania Rd, St Davids Hill and Bonhay Rd.

In addition I urge the Committee to make it clear in any publicity about the proposed PSPO, that it will cover all street drinking & ASB irrespective of who is responsible.

ANSWER

The proposed PSPO is subject to a consultation exercise that ends on 22 January 2016, and any views about the extent and application of the PSPO from members of the public are very welcome. These views will be considered when the PSPO is considered by Council in February.