

## COUNCIL

22 JANUARY 2019

### REPORT OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE

#### A.1 PETITION: IPSWICH ROAD TOILETS

(Report prepared by Lisa Hastings)

In accordance with the Council's approved scheme for dealing with petitions, I formally report the receipt of a petition submitted by Councillors Broderick, Winfield and King, as lead petitioners, on 3 January 2019. The petition is signed by 247 local residents and requests that the Council *maintains human rights to "Spend a Penny" by re-opening (or better still replacing) the Ipswich Road toilet.*

In accordance with the Council's approved scheme for dealing with petitions, this matter will now be investigated and a report will be prepared and presented to the Cabinet on the basis that it contains between 30 and 249 signatures.

Members will be aware that the next practicable ordinary meeting of the Cabinet is on 15 February 2019.

At that meeting, and in accordance with the Council's approved scheme, a lead petitioner is invited to address the Council, present the petition and outline the action that the petitioners would like the Council to take. Due to the fact that there are 3 lead petitioners identified, and all being Ward Councillors, one of those elected Members will be permitted to present the Petition in accordance with the approved Scheme. Members will then discuss the petition and decide what action, if any, should be taken. Cabinet's decision will be confirmed in writing and the decision will be published on the Council's website.

**RECOMMENDED - That the receipt of the Petition and the contents of the report be noted.**

**IAN DAVIDSON  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

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