

Report Statement

Report Purpose:

Community Enforcement Update

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Town Clerk

Background

At Full Council 29 03 22 it was approved to fund a Community Enforcement Officer through CEC.

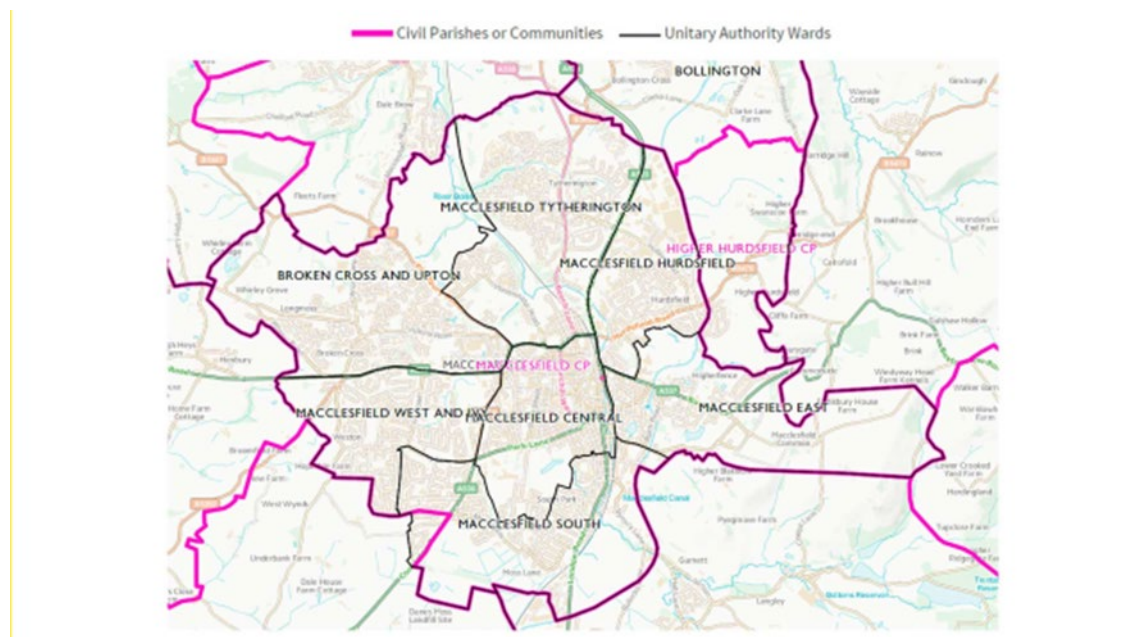
The clerk and Cllr Jackson met with the Community Enforcement team at CEC to further discuss the Town Councils requirements.

- Instances of fly tipping.
- Instances of business waste.
- Dog mess.

Update

CEC have sent through the grant agreement and the project scope is as follows:

The project is an additional resource for targeted patrols, preventative and proactive work on an Engage, Educate and Encourage basis, specifically for the Macclesfield Town area and associated wards covered by Macclesfield Town Council which are detailed within the below map and are namely; Central Ward, East Ward, South Ward, Broken Cross and Upton Ward, Hurdsfield Ward, Tytherington Ward, and West and Ivy Wards.



The resource will have all the powers and training associated with the mainstream role and will be managed by and based within the Cheshire East Council the North Community Enforcement Team. Their primary patrol areas will be as detailed above with a view to supply a more enhanced, dedicated resource for the projects main aims which is to enable relationships with the wards, communities and Town Council to be built, supplying additional time and focus to the area. The comparison table overleaf highlights the key additional benefits compared to Cheshire East Councils Community Enforcement Team.

The core working hours of the project resource will be Monday to Friday 37 hours per week. Any Weekend and BH working requested by the funder will require additional payment from the funder if TOIL is not chosen by the staff member. Weekend and Bank Holiday working and payments will be in line with Cheshire East Councils own policies and will be subject to the post holder agreeing to work the requested hours, and ability for a supervisor to be available during the hours worked.

The resource will have enforcement powers and where required will take enforcement action as per the Councils Community Enforcement and Corporate Enforcement Policies and will be authorised, managed and supervised accordingly by the Council's Community Enforcement Team Leader.

Next Steps

CEC have started to recruit, and then the successful candidate will have to be vetted which can take some time, however they are confident to have this project started over the next 2 months.