Brighton & Hove City Council

Tourism, Equalities, Communities & Culture Committee

Agenda Item X

Subject: Public Space Protection Orders

Date of meeting: 3 November 2022

Proposer: Councillor Bagaeen Seconder: Councillor Simson

Ward(s) affected: All

Notice of Motion

Conservative Group

This Committee,

- 1) Notes that this Committee allowed many the City's Public Space Protection Orders (PSPOs) to expire in 2019 and has never replaced them;
- 2) Further notes that this has left the Council out of step with neighbouring authorities, which have retained a broad range of PSPOs to help boost community safety.
- Expresses concern that the Council is not using all the tools at its disposal to tackle crime and antisocial behaviour and is developing a reputation for being a soft touch on crime.
- Calls for an officer report that examines the range of PSPOs neighbouring authorities are using and which could also be implemented in Brighton & Hove to improve community safety.

Supporting Information:

Public Space Protection Orders (PSPOs) and Gating Orders (brightonhove.gov.uk)