# **Corporate Services Scrutiny Review** 31 January 2019



ITEM 8

Report sponsor: Richard Antcliff, Director of

Public Protection & Streetpride

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# **Sinfin Energy from Waste Treatment Plant**

## **Purpose**

1.1 To update the Corporate Scrutiny Board of the performance on - "Sinfin Lane Waste Treatment Plant – Review of Initial financial justification at Contract Approval vs actual rates presently"

#### Recommendation

2.1 The Corporate Scrutiny Board members are requested to note the information provided by this report and by verbal update.

#### Reason

3.1 This report contains an outline approach to the requested information by the Corporate Scrutiny Board, in order that the members can be updated on the performance of the new waste treatment facility. It will not disclose confidential or commercial sensitive information.

# **Supporting information**

- 4.1 The Waste Plant contract was discussed at Council Cabinet on 12 December 2018. Some of the information is not in the public domain due to confidential and commercial sensitivities.
- 4.2 Each council met at their respective Cabinet meetings to discuss their joint long-term waste management contract.
- 4.3 Under the contract, Resource Recovery Solutions (Derbyshire) Ltd (RRS) has built a waste treatment facility on Sinfin Lane, Derby, on behalf of the councils to divert 190,000 tonnes per year of waste from landfill.
- 4.4 All decisions about the waste treatment centre must be taken jointly by both councils as set out in the contract.
- We remain in contract with RRS and the facility continues to be assessed by an Independent Certifier. It is proposed that Cabinet will receive a further update at the appropriate time.

## Public/stakeholder engagement

5.1 Extensive public consultation and an enquiry has previously been undertaken.

### Other options

6.1 None applicable to this report.

#### Financial and value for money issues

7.1 The new Waste Treatment Facility is a joint contract between Derby City Council, Derbyshire County Council and RRS (Resource Recovery Solutions Derby). Contract details are commercially sensitive and not available for public disclosure.

#### Legal implications

8.1 Members should be reminded on the confidentiality and commercial sensitivities regarding the waste treatment facility and contract.

### Other significant implications

9.1 None arising from this report

# This report has been approved by the following people:

Role	Name	Date of sign-off
Legal		
Finance		
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