

Fosse ward update

Bins on the street

The bins on the street project started in April with the whole team visiting the ward as a result 1077 properties were identified as leaving their wheelie bin or household waste out on the public highway and were issued with a first warning. The second visit took place in late May and the third stage visits have also been completed. All properties that are still leaving out household waste or their bins will now receive a fine per adult per household.

Alleyways

All alleyways are private land and not the responsibility of Leicester City Council to clear or maintain. The signage for this has finally arrived with the handyperson service and they will be fixing to the alley gates.

We have also set up on my account the ability to request and pay for an alley gate key if the original lock is still intact and we have the master key. If the lock has been changed, they will need to sort this out with neighbours as it is a civil matter and we do not own the gates. They can also request and pay for any maintenance for the alley gates.

A number of properties have been sent a S78 letter reminding occupiers that it is their responsibility to clear all waste and maintain their alleyways.

Fly tipping

This is still an issue but is being dealt with as part of the bins project as the majority of waste is not actual flytipping but excess waste put by the side of the bins and left.

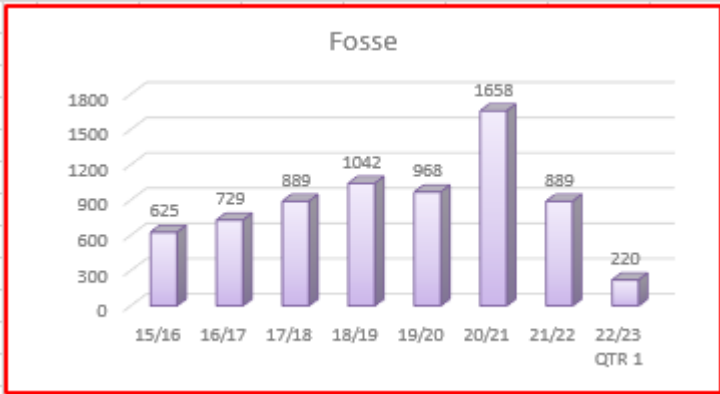
A business is currently under investigation after evidence was found from their business in a fly tip on Tyrrell Street. A PACE by post is being conducted and checks in to their duty of care will be done.

A property on Fosse Road North is currently under investigation after on-going issues of fly tipping by residents. CCTV footage has been obtained and PACE interviews are to be conducted.

Various properties have been served community protection warning notices and legal notices for items/waste being left outside of their properties. High compliance rate after notices issued.

The top fly tipped streets have all been written to and a multi lingual booklet delivered to explain the offences and how to dispose of their waste correctly.

The chart below shows the flytipping year on year with a huge spike during lockdown when the tips were closed.



Untidy land

Hinckley Road explosion site has now been made secure and overgrowth and waste has been cleared after notices were issued to all land owners.

Any other issues

Any other issues can be reported to me via the Love Leicester app or via myaccount on the Leicester City Council website.