

# Report to Council

**1 March 2022**

<b>Subject:</b>	Written Questions
<b>Director:</b>	Surjit Tour – Director of Law and Governance and Monitoring Officer

The following written questions have been received:-

## 7(a) **Councillor Hackett to the Cabinet Member for Community Safety**

For several years myself, local council staff and Wednesbury Police have been trying to tackle off road bikes. This has now become the number one complaint by local residents in Friar Park, Woods Estate, Park Hill, Tiffany Green, Newtown, Mesty Croft and both Johnson Road and Hydes Road areas. Residents believe our area has become the off road bike capital of the Black Country and sadly has become a forgotten crime. This has become an all year round daily problem. Everyday I am reporting or witnessing the problems that off road bikes are causing to our community. Can I ask the Cabinet Member to make sure that at the very highest level within the council and Police that everything that can be done will be done to tackle this massive anti-social behaviour problem in my local area.



