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Dear Cllr Anderson,

We would like to request a scrutiny inquiry into the Council's Refuse Service as a point of focus for the coming municipal year.


Given the recent increase in missed bin collections in wards throughout the city and the change in management of the service, we would like to request a scrutiny inquiry that focuses on the effectiveness of the Refuse Service in general but also specifically on the suitability of the fleet and analysis of the number of breakdowns, a review of existing policies on issues such as side waste, areas for improvement within the service and analysis of the impact of route rationalisation and scope for future route changes.

We hope that you are happy for this to proceed and we would be happy to attend to outline our concerns at one of your upcoming meetings.

**Yours sincerely**



**Councillor Matthew Robinson**



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