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Report of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Scrutiny Board (Environment and Neighbourhoods)

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Subject: Inquiry into Recycling - Draft Terms of Reference

Electoral Wards Affected: All	Specific Implications For:
	Equality and Diversity
	Community Cohesion
Ward Members consulted (referred to in report)	Narrowing the Gap

1.0 Introduction

- 1.1 In June 2009, the Board agreed to conduct an inquiry into Recycling following a referral made by the Executive Board Member for Environmental Services. The Board decided to establish a working group to consider the scope of this inquiry and to bring draft terms of reference back to this meeting.
- 1.2 The working group met on 11th August 2009 and draft terms of reference are attached for the Board's consideration.

2.0 Views of the director and executive member

2.1 The Scrutiny Board Procedure Rules Guidance Notes also require that, before embarking on an inquiry, the Board seeks and considers the views of the relevant Director and Executive Member. These views will need to be taken into account in finalising the terms of reference.

3.0 Recommendation

3.1 The Board is requested to agree the terms of reference for its forthcoming inquiry into Recycling.

Background Papers

None