

# Executive Committee

All Wards  
7th October 2009

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## JOINT MUNICIPAL WASTE MANAGEMENT STRATEGY- RECOMMENDATION FROM THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

(Report of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee)

### 1. Purpose of Report

To enable Members to consider a recommendation from the Overview and Scrutiny Committee regarding the revised Joint Municipal Waste Strategy.

### 2. Recommendations

**The Overview and Scrutiny Committee RECOMMENDS that the Executive Committee endorses the three recommendations contained within the Joint Municipal Waste Management Strategy (JMWMS) for Herefordshire and Worcestershire – First Review report.**

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### 3. Background

On Thursday 1st October, the Overview and Scrutiny Committee hosted an all Members' evening where information was provided to Members of the Committee and other Members about the revised Joint Municipal Waste Strategy. Information was given about the key changes to the Strategy; the new EnviroSort facility currently being built at Norton; publicity and promotion of recycling; re-use of materials; and the proposals to introduce a chargeable waste collection.

In addition, Officers informed Members of the three recommendations that were due to be considered by the Executive Committee on Wednesday 7th October. Members of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee agreed that they wished to endorse these three recommendations. However, it was agreed that judgement should be reserved regarding the proposals for a chargeable garden waste collection until the Committee was able to further consider this issue at its meeting on 4th November 2009.

### 4. Conclusion

Based on the information contained within this report the Overview and Scrutiny Committee request that the Executive Committee give due consideration to their recommendation.

6. **Background Papers**

Revised Joint Municipal Waste Strategy

PowerPoint presentation slides presented to Members at a special meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 1st October 2009.

7. **Author of Report**

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