

ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE SCRUTINY PANEL**Work programme 2025/2026**

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FULL PANEL DISCUSSION		
THEME/ISSUE	APPROACH / AREAS OF FOCUS	OUTCOMES / ACTIONS
Simpler Recycling and Split Collections	<p><u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 13th August 2025</u></p> <p>The Panel will consider an update on Simpler Recycling and Split Collections following changes to Kirklees Council's collections as per government policy</p>	
	September Meeting Cancelled	

Snow Wardens Scheme Update	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 8th October 2025</u></p> <p>The Panel will consider an update on the Snow Wardens Scheme</p>	
Fly tipping and Litter Pact	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 26th November 2025</u></p> <p>The Panel will consider an update on Fly tipping and Litter Pact</p>	
Waste Strategy Update	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 26th November 2025</u></p> <p>The Panel will consider the 2021-2030 Waste Strategy annual Update</p>	
TBC	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 7th January 2026</u></p>	

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Annual Update on Flood Risk	<u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 11th February 2026</u> The Panel will consider the Annual Update on Flood Risk	
TBC	<u>Meeting of the Panel to be held 15th April 2026</u>	
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<u>Informal Briefings</u>		
TBC	Air Quality Update	

Golden Threads:

The Panel will consider and would like to receive information around the following themes throughout its programme of work

- Climate Impact
- Risks and Opportunities
- Partnership work, links to other opportunities and engagement
- Communications; i.e.- how is the council using communications to deliver messaging, raise awareness of issues and provide information

Items /themes not yet scheduled:

- Pollution Update
- Lane Rental Update
- Moving traffic offences (tbc) try to line up with lane rental
- Parks and Green spaces Update
- Huddersfield District Heat Network (progress update on the full business case and additional delegations)