



## **OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD**

**20 SEPTEMBER 2011**

### **ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY PANEL**

#### **- PROGRESS REPORT**

#### **PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

1. To provide members of the Overview and Scrutiny Board (OSB) with an update on the work of the Environment Scrutiny Panel.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

2. That the Overview and Scrutiny Board notes the updated position.

#### **BACKGROUND**

3. Since the last update to OSB, the Environment Scrutiny Panel has met once, on 8 September 2011.
4. At the above meeting, further information was considered regarding the subject of footpath repairs. The scrutiny panel considered a draft discussion document regarding the legal position in respect of vehicles crossing footpaths to access in-curtilage parking. Information was submitted regarding the legal position and options for addressing this issue.
5. The scrutiny panel also considered a report on Naure's World. The report updated the position following the recommendations that were made by the Environment Scrutiny Panel on the subject in 2010.

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