

**COUNCIL MEETING – 7 SEPTEMBER 2022
 QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC
 COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE NO.40**

QUESTION NO.	QUESTION FROM	QUESTION TO	QUESTION
1/2022	A Inanlou	Executive Member for Neighbourhood Safety	<p>Unfortunately, in recent years we have seen an increase in petrified addicts and beggars on the streets of Middlesbrough town centre while not wearing proper clothes, sitting or walking around town centre demanding money from people and the police and the council are not trying to gather them, doing such anti-social behaviour and movements that are tarnishing the image of the city. We have not seen any police or council program to collect these people at all. These people sometimes force citizens to help them financially. In the past, the police used to collect these people, but everyone says that neither the police nor the council haven't had any serious plans or decisions for these people for several years.</p> <p>My question is how do you plan to tackle the anti-social issues in the town centre?</p>