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Councillor Michael Bennett-Sylvester Elected Member

Via email: michael.sylvester@rotherham.gov.uk

Dear Councillor Bennett-Sylvester

Question for Council - 4th October 2023

Thank you for submitting a question to the Council Meeting on Wednesday 4th October 2023. I have detailed the question below along with my subsequent response for your information.

Do crews emptying litter bins count bags of domestic rubbish left next to bins as small fly tips?

Each case will be different, for example often litter-picking volunteers through the successful Love Where you Live scheme will leave bags of collected waste for disposal. Crews will judge each case on its own merit and now due to the introduction of improved IT systems, the service can track repeated overflowing bins to identify any problem locations and will then work closely with our enforcement team to resolve the issue or take appropriate actions against anyone misusing the bins.

I trust the above information is helpful.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Dominic Beck

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