

**RECOMMENDATIONS AND REFERENCES FROM
COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE HELD ON 3
JULY 2001**

**1 MINUTE 217 - IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DOGS (FOULING OF
LAND) ACT 1996**

1.1 Minute 217 reads as follows:-

“The Committee considered the report of the Corporate Director (Finance & External Services) which provided a further update on the implication and practicality of adopting the above Act. Whilst considering the issues surrounding adoption of the Act, Members considered that the following would be an appropriate way forward at this stage:-

- Increase the number of dog waste bins available within the District.
- Adopt the Act
- Officers to investigate and report back on staffing implications associated with enforcement of the Act.

Furthermore, Members considered the issue revolved around the education of dog owners and that there would always be a small minority who would ignore the provision of dog waste bins wherever they were placed. On a show of hands, it was: -

RECOMMENDED to the Finance & General Purposes Committee

that an amount of £5,000 be set aside from contingencies for the provision of additional dog waste bins throughout the District.
(CD(F&ES))

It was further

Resolved

- (1) That the Dogs Fouling of Land Act 1996 be adopted.
- (2) That a report be brought to the Autumn Cycle detailing the cost to the Authority in enforcing the Act. (CD(F&ES))”

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