

**COUNCIL**

**22 MARCH 2018**

**MOTION 1 – Amendment 2**

Proposed by: Councillor Michael

Seconded by: Councillor Lister

First Paragraph delete all after damage and replace with: -

*Single use plastics create unnecessary waste with negative impacts on our communities and environment.*

*Approximately 400 million tonnes of plastic are produced globally each year of which 40% is intended to be single use.*

*Over 8 million tonnes of plastic enter the world's oceans each year with most originating from the land.*

*Re-use is always preferable to recycling or disposal, as it requires less energy and creates less waste.*

*Businesses across South Wales are taking proactive steps to encourage consumers to use less plastic.*

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*Cardiff Council will identify recycling streams that will add to our recycling figures and calls on all Councillors for support.*

*This Council recognises the good work being done to increase recycling.*

*This Council recognises the damage to our World by waste, including single use items and calls on the UK Government to take steps to reduce waste and prevent it getting into the oceans and causing more harm.*

*This Council calls on the Cabinet to continue:*

- (i) *to work with partners such as the No Straw Stand to get the message on single use straws, as well as working with them on getting environmental*

*Education books to every primary school, and giving them space on our 'Love Where You Live' website.*

*(ii) to work with Welsh Water on Refill Stations such as:-*

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- *Llanishen Hub*
- *Llanrumney Hub*
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- *Star Hub*

*(iii) to work with partners to send unwanted medical aids to Kenya and Somaliland*

*This Council further calls on the Cabinet to ensure that we continue to explore markets for recycling previously thought to be not recyclable such as: -*

- *Card Tyres;*
- *UPVC Double Glazing;*
- *Polystyrene*
- *Mattresses etc.,*

*This Council calls on the Cabinet to produce a report outlining plans by October 2018 to reduce single use items on council premises such as cups, wrapping, bags etc.,*

*And further calls on the Cabinet to discuss with partners and stakeholders on the reduction of single use items.*

The Amended Motion would read:

That this Council recognise the damage that waste plastics cause to the world wide environment, acknowledge that there are measures we can take now to reduce, or cease, our contribution to that contamination and damage.

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