

Motion 6 – Labour group amendment

BETTER PROVISION FOR STRAY, ABANDONED AND NEGLECTED DOGS

Proposed by Councillor Julie McManus

Seconded by Councillor Brian Kenny

After 'rehomed' delete and replace with:

Paragraph 1: Insert '**wishes to**' after 'Council'

Delete paragraph 2 and 3 and insert new paragraph 2:

Council welcomes the decision of the administration at that time to shelve a previous proposal to relocate the kennels to Halewood ensuring that the current premises on Corporation Road remained open. Those premises are no longer fit for purpose not only due to the acceleration of work at adjacent Wirral Waters, but do not provide the best conditions for the animals welfare.

Motion 6 - substantive motion with Labour group amendment

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Proposed by Councillor Lesley Rennie

Seconded by Councillor Ian Lewis

Council congratulates the Friends of Birkenhead Kennels for their work, since 2010, to ensure that more stray, abandoned and neglected dogs are now cared for and rehomed. Council **wishes to** thank those residents and businesses who support this important local facility.

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Council therefore requests Cabinet to instruct officers to undertake work, in consultation with the Friends of Birkenhead Kennels, to achieve this.