

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR FULL COUNCIL

UNDER PARAGRAPH 11.1 OF THE COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULES

The following Motion to be submitted to Full Council on the date indicated below:-

This Council recognises that:

- improving waste-management services can support cleaner neighbourhoods, reduce illegal fly-tipping and promote civic pride.

This Council Notes:

- the ongoing concerns raised by residents regarding street cleanliness, fly-tipping and access to affordable waste-disposal options across Rossendale.
- fairer and less expensive bulky item collection schemes and incentives offered in surrounding districts.

This Council resolves to bring forward the following changes:

1) Restructure bulky-waste collection charges

Introduce a revised charging model for bulky-waste collections to make disposal more accessible and reduce the incentive for fly-tipping including:

- A simplified charging structure of £25 for 1-2 items and an additional £12 for 3-4 items,
- One free bulky-waste collection per household per year for pensioners and residents eligible for Council Tax Support.

2) Provide regular community skips in town centres

Establish a programme of regularly scheduled community skips in town-centre locations across the borough, enabling residents to dispose of household items safely and reducing the build-up of waste in public areas.

3) Introduce an annual bulky-waste amnesty weekend

Create a yearly waste-amnesty weekend, offering a limited number of free bulky-waste collection slots on a first-come, first-served basis, to support responsible disposal and reduce pressure on local environments.

Date of Council Meeting:-

6th May 2026

Notice submitted from

Councillor Julie Adshead

Date: 22nd April 2026

Councillor John Payne

Date: 22nd April 2026

Notice received and validated by S151 Officer: Kimberly Haworth	
Comments: The proposals would have an impact on the revenue budget for 2026/27 approved by Full Council. The extent of the impact to be calculated if approved.	Date: 23rd April 2026
Notice received and validated by the Monitoring Officer: Clare Birtwistle	
Comments: No legal comments.	Date: 23 rd April 2026
Notice received on behalf of the Head of the Paid Service and entered in the book open to Public Inspection	
Received by: Rob Huntington	Date: 22 nd April 2026