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Actions	Responsibility	Update	
Operate the Customer Relations Management Systems (Members Reps, Fix Your Street (FYS) ,	Enforcement & Licensing	Total number of Customer contacts	1751
Customer Contact System, Environmental Complaints System) to optimise tracking of		Number of FYS	454
complaints/reports from initial contact to resolution		Number of Members Reps	248
		Number of ECS	1049
		Number of litter cases closed	
		Number of litter cases closed	1325
Maintain high profile county wide targeted warden service with foot and drive by patrols	Enforcement & Licensing	Increased Litter Warden Patrols	
as appropriate		Dumping removed by Public Realm Crews	
Issue Fixed Penalty Notices for breaches of environmental legislation, regulation and	Enforcement & Licencing	Total number of FPNs issued	126
byelaws, including littering, illegal dumping,		Illegal dumping/litter	97
dog fouling and unauthorised signage, where adequate evidence is available		Failing to keep a public place litter free	5
		Unauthorised Signs	24

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		Dog Fouling	0
Initiate legal proceedings for non-payment of	Enforcement & Licencing	Number of proceedings referred	71
Fixed Penalty Notices, where appropriate		Number of cases heard	6
		Number successful	4
Use overt and covert CCTV cameras and other	Enforcement & Licensing	Countywide surveillance to identify illegal dumpers:	
technologies including drones and audio devices to monitor areas prone to illegal		Number of Overt CCTV locations	8
dumping and to support enforcement action		Number of Covert CCTV Locations	8
		Number of proceeding s referred from covert CCTV	6
		Number of covert CCTV incidents being investigated	59
		Number of temporary Overt CCTV Locations	0
Engage on a regional basis to develop solutions to tackle dumping in the Dublin region (Smart Dublin)	Enforcement & Licensing	Ongoing	
Promote and support the Protecting Uplands and Rural Environments (PURE) Initiative	Enforcement & Licensing	ongoing	

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Participate in National Litter Pollution Monitoring System	Enforcement & Licencing	Surveys commenced in May and will continue to the end	of October.
		Update at 12 th August:	
		62 Litter Pollution Surveys completed (target 200)	
		18 Litter Quantification Surveys completed (target 36)	
		On schedule to be completed by end of October	
Participate in initiatives by WERLA (Waste Enforcement Regional Lead Authorities) and	Waste Enforcement	Use of QR Codes for Bring Banks & Litter Bins	
the RWMO (Regional Waste Management		Pilot Bring Bank upgrade project	
Offices)		Household Waste Compliance Data Base	
		Mattress Amnesty Community Employment Partnership	
Enforcement of Household & Commercial	Waste Enforcement	Number of cases	116
Waste Bye Laws, Backyard Burning and Hoarding of Waste		Number of inspections	315
Enforcement of Producer Responsibility	Waste Enforcement	Number of Inspections	23
Legislation (Tyres, Packaging, WEEE, Batteries)		Number of Enforcement Actions	0

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Combat Illegal Household Waste/Junk Collections	Waste Enforcement	Number of operations	12
		Number of Warning Letters Issued	177
		Number of Enforcement Actions (Including Directions)	5
Operation of village cleaning programme including weekend service	Public Realm	Tonnes collected:	
		Street Bins: 239	
(This will include road sweeping figures)		Litter /illegal dumping: 3,139	
		Road sweeping / gullies: 4,428	
Planned and scheduled clean-ups of identified litter blackspots in the county	Public Realm	ongoing	
Servicing and maintenance of Bring Banks to	Public Realm	74 Bring Banks	
ensure that they are litter free		Increased collections from Bottle banks due to increase	ed demand
Continually review litter bin provision in the Public Realm having regard to Litter Bin Placement Protocol	Public Realm	ongoing	

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Report on Solar Bin Pilot and undertake review of litter bin provision including emptying frequency and technology solutions	Public Realm	A report on the solar, smart street litter bin trial was presented to the Environment, Water and Climate Change SPC meeting on May 27th. A further report is due to be presented to the SPC on 23 September dealing the Public Realm Section's proposal for using this bin type, and this report will be available to all members following presentation to the SPC
Monitor and review litter bin provision countywide and identify suitable bin types to be used.	Public Realm	ongoing
Work with Sporting Clubs to ensure litter control measures are in place in accordance with the Allocation of Pitch / Sporting Facilities – Policy and Conditions document (e.g. GAA Green Clubs)	Public Realm	ongoing
Track and manage the removal graffiti from public property in a timely manner	Public Realm	ongoing
Management of reports of Graffiti and Littering at structures under the control of Utility companies in accordance with Memoranda of Understanding	Public Realm	ongoing

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Targeted programme to remove bonfire material from public places in advance of Halloween	Public Realm	Q4
Mapping of Halloween bonfires to identify trends and inform planned interventions	Public Realm	Q4
Clean up and removal of Halloween bonfire material in timely manner	Public Realm	Q4
Operate Laneway Maintenance programme at identified locations across the county and continue to seek solutions to issue	Public Realm	ongoing
Promote Anti-Litter & Anti-graffiti promotional/media awareness schedule (dog fouling, anti-litter, illegal dumping, anti-graffiti radio and cinema advertisement campaigns)	Communication & Awareness	The year began with radio & cinema campaigns ongoing to promote a range of litter awareness initiatives. Cinema Ads were halted in March due to Covid-19. Awaiting Anti-Litter Grant income to commence new advertising campaigns.
Provision of South Dublin Canvas project	Communication & Awareness	Callout for submissions commenced 25 th May, deadline for submissions was 12 th June and selection process ran from 15 th – 26 th June.

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Administer Anti-Litter and Anti-Graffiti Awareness Grant	Communication & Awareness	No Update for Anti-Litter Anti Awareness Grant in first half of 2020.
Promote environmental school poster and slogan competition	Communication & Awareness	Poster Competition postponed in 2020 due to Covid-19.
Promote the Green Dog Walkers initiative and responsible dog ownership	Communication & Awareness	Green Dog Walkers promoted on social media. Stand available to for any groups to promote.
Promote National Gum Litter Task Force	Communication & Awareness	2020 campaign cancelled due to Covid-19.
Promote and support National Spring Clean	Communication & Awareness	National Spring Clean did not take place in April due to Covid-19 restrictions. The campaign launched 8 th June with initial restrictions being lifted. 61 clean ups were registered in June 2020.
Promote and support Tidy Towns Initiative	Communication & Awareness	Tidy Towns are supported through several initiatives including Green Dog Walkers and the Social Credits Scheme. Covid-19 greatly impacted contact with Tidy Towns group.
Promote and provide support to Social Credit Scheme	Communication & Awareness	The Social Credit Scheme rewards groups who take ownership of their local area. In the first half of 2020:
		13 groups signed up to the Minor Landscaping Programme.9 received paint & supplies under the paint scheme.

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		Clean-ups:
		Jan – 187
		Feb – 180
		March – 233
		April & May – clean-ups suspended
		June – 185
Provide support and administer the Green	Communication &	Ongoing support to schools. 22 schools awarded Green Flags in May
Schools Programme	Awareness	2020.
Promote Seasonal Regional and National	Communication &	January:
Campaigns	Awareness	Green Schools Assessments
		Ongoing anti-Litter advertisements in local cinemas and on radio
		February:
		Green Schools Assessments
		Ongoing anti-Litter advertisements in local cinemas and on radio
		March:
		Activities ceased due to Covid-19 Lockdown
		April: All activities ceased due to Covid-19 Lockdown e.g. Eco-Week,

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		May: Activities ceased due to Covid-19 Lockdown Dublin Canvas callout commences Green Schools: 22 schools were virtually awarded Green Flags.
		June: National Spring Clean launched 8 th June 2020 Dublin Canvas deadline for submissions and selection process.