
Report To: Full Council

Date: 24 November 2025

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Subject: Services Report

1. November 2025

1.1 General Services Update

Through November the team have delivered their usual services including

- Bin emptying and flytipping collection continued as normal
- Continued with late extra grass cutting and ongoing annual maintenance of shrubs and hedges
- Community pantry collections and drop offs
- Creation of Little libraries and Love where you learn boards
- General flytipping and volunteer litter picking including flytipping has had an impact on volume of collections

1.2 Projects Update

- Installation of works for Movember and Remembrance
- Prepared Link Centre to Shaw Ridge subway for the new mural
- Installed the third Rivermead street art board
- Installed the bike tool repair station at Rivermead
- Removed tons of tarmac at Corton Crescent
- Removed bench from Hay Lane for installation at Camden Close play area
- Commencement of works at Shaw Ridge play area

1.3 Other Activities :

- *Liaison with Swindon Borough Council tree team on long running tree issues*
- *Liaison with Swindon Borough Council highways team and Property Services to secure approval to connect to lampposts electricity for village centre decorations*
- *Liaison with Foundations Archeology for monitoring works at Shaw Ridge Linear Park*

1.3 Next month:

- Work to continue at Corton Crescent tranquility garden with installation of sleepers and benches
- Supporting Christmas events
- Village centre installation completes for Christmas decorations
- Shrub and hedgecutting continues (Ramlease, Shaw, Eastlease)