


CONSENT TO URGENT DECISION		PART 1 (to be completed by the person seeking consent)	
Proposed Decision Maker <i>(please name person or body proposing to take decision, if an officer also state title)</i>			Date for Decision
Cllr Heather Timms			02/07/2021
Title: Response to DEFRA resources and waste strategy consultation: Consistency in collections			
Summary of matter The Warwickshire Waste Partnership considered information about and commented upon the consultation on 16 June 2021. Subsequently, the senior officers' group have produced a response to the consultation through collaborative discussion. The policy plans potentially have favourable outcomes for waste management, the environment, and climate change, across Warwickshire. The proposals outline plans to extend the type of waste collected at the kerbside for recycling and this could include weekly collections of food waste. There are also questions about the collection of green garden waste and residual waste. The plans will cover waste from businesses as well as households.			
Proposed Decision The portfolio holder agrees to the submission to DEFRA of the consultation response attached in Appendix A on behalf of the County Council and the Warwickshire Waste Partnership.			
Reasons for urgency The deadline for response to the consultations is 4 th July. It was decided at the Warwickshire Waste Partnership meeting on 16 th June that the partnership would submit a response signed off by the chair. Cllr Timms is aware of the need for the decision.			
Would the recommended decision be contrary to the Budget and Policy Framework? <i>[please identify relevant plan/budget provision]</i>			
No			
PART 2 (to be completed by the person giving consent)			
Name	Councillor Jeff Clarke		
Office Held	Chair of the Communities Overview & Scrutiny Committee		
			
Date consent is given	25 June 2021		