

RUGBY BOROUGH COUNCIL
QUESTION PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 10
COUNCIL – 13 MARCH 2024
QUESTION A

Councillor Mrs McKenzie to ask the Leader of the Council and Regulation and Safety Portfolio Holder, Councillor Poole:

“There is considerable fly tipping of food packaging such as drink bottles where the trucks queue to get into the Veolia Ling Hall Quarry tip on Coalpit Lane, Lawford Heath and it is also too dangerous for the Rugby Litter Busters group to clear it up (nor should they have to). Could the Leader of the Council please write to the manager of the tip reminding him of his responsibilities to ensure customers and his drivers accessing the site do not litter or fly tip and furthermore, to remind him to ensure that all loads entering are secure and are not depositing waste on the verges on their journey to the tip. Could he also investigate installing monitoring at this location to fine those found littering and fly tipping?”

Councillor Poole, Leader of the Council and Regulation and Safety Portfolio Holder, to respond as follows:

“I would like to thank Cllr McKenzie for her question as it gives me an opportunity to give Council an update. I am aware of these littering issues as I am a member of the site community liaison committee, along with Cllr Heather Timms, and we have been working with officers from the council (Community Safety and Environmental Health; and Works Services) and other organisations to resolve this issue. I have noted your comments and I will continue to work them to find the right solution.”