



Ward Officer: Julie McDonald

TYPE OF ISSUE OR REQUEST	NUMBER OF ACTIONS
Waste & Refuse Investigations	18
Waste and Refuse Inspections	72
Waste Warning Letters	51
Fly tipping – Public Highways	8
Fly tipping – Private Property	10
Domestic Refuse – Inspector to contact	4
Highway Issues	22
Nuisance Vehicle actions	70
Temporary Structure investigations	17
Skip Permits Applications	121
Skip permit investigations	70
Street Trading issues	8
Overhanging Vegetation actions	23
Non Waste Warning Letters	18
Litter Related FPN	1
Non Litter Related FPN	1
Out of Hours Graffiti & Flyposting removal	1

Ealing Council's Envirocrime Enforcement Officer for the Northfield ward is Julie McDonald. Julie also covers three other nearby wards (Elthorne, Ealing Broadway & Walpole) in partnership with her colleague Ashley Barker.

All enforcement action taken by the Envirocrime Prevention Service is undertaken in accordance with the relevant statutory provisions, which include:

Environmental Protection Act 1990
Control of Pollution (Amendment) Act 1989
London Local Authorities Acts 1990, 1994, 2004 and 2007
Controlled Waste Regulations 1992
Clean Neighborhood's and Environment Act 2005
Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984
Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996
Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000
Highways Act 1980

Some more detailed work that officers have been working on includes the following:

**Rubbish on Private Land:
Carlyle Road W5.**

Envirocrime received a report of rubbish accumulating in the front garden of a property in Carlyle Road W5.

The officer carried out an inspection and found that the front garden was full of black sacks and other items, the officer took down the contact details from the estate agents board which was located at the property at the time of the inspection,

Upon return to the office the Envirocrime officer investigated this matter further by contacting the estate agents in question with regards to the items located in the front garden, also to establish ownership of the land in question,



Before



After

The Estate agents were very helpful and agreed to have all of the items removed within a specified time scale, on expiry of the time scale agreed the officer carried out a further inspection of the front garden in question and found that the items had been cleared all except for one white sack, therefore no further enforcement action was required.

**Skip- Highway Obstruction:
Radbourne Avenue W5.**

Envirocrime received a report from a resident with regards to a skip located on the highway which was causing an obstruction to a resident's driveway,

The Envirocrime Prevention officer carried out an urgent inspection and found the skip had been sited so as to obstruct the residents driveway, having carried out further investigations regarding this skip the officer found that the skip in question did have a valid skip licence,

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The officer contacted the skip company in question and requested for the skip to be relocated so as not to obstruct the residents driveway,

On further inspection the skip company had complied with the officer's request,



Before



After

The skip had been relocated and was no longer causing any obstruction to the resident's driveway, also at the time of inspection the area had been made safe for members of the public by the builders working on the nearby property whilst the work was being carried out, no further enforcement action was required.

Nuisance Vehicle: Carlyle Road W5.

A Vespa Scooter was reported to Envirocrime as being that of a nuisance vehicle, this vehicle was inspected by the Envirocrime officer within the first 24 hours of being reported, on inspection this vehicle was displaying foreign plates, the officer was unable to establish any keepers details as D.V.L.A have no records of keepers details with regards to foreign plated vehicles, for this reason the officer proceeded to issue this vehicle with a Sec 99 15 day notice and accompanying letter informing any interested parties with regards to the ownership of this vehicle, Ealing Council's intentions to remove and destroy this vehicle upon the expiry of the Sec 99 notice issued,



Before



After

The Vespa Scooter was removed from the public highway prior to the expiry date on the Sec 99 Notice issued, by person or persons unknown to Ealing Council.

Private Land Flytip:

Private Service Road Rear of Ealing Park Mansions, South Ealing Rd W5.

Envirocrime received several reports with regards to a major flytip blocking access in the private rear service road rear of Ealing Park Mansions, South Ealing Road W5,



Before

Photo taken from Airedale Road entrance



Before

Photo taken from Temple Road Entrance

On receipt of these reports the Envirocrime Officer carried out an urgent site visit, the officer did find the service road to be totally blocked off for both vehicles and also pedestrian traffic,

The flytip was investigated at that time by the officer with a view to finding evidence to carry out further enforcement work with regards to the culprits of this offence, unfortunately on this occasion no conclusive evidence was found amongst the items which were blocking the service road,

As the service road is private and due to the potential danger that this flytip posed to local residents and members of the public, immediate steps were taken by the officer to establish ownership of the private service road,

Having carried out further investigations the officer obtained a contact number for the managing agents of the flats above the shops, the person spoken to by the officer was informed of the urgent removal required of the flytip in question,



After

On further inspection the flytip had been removed and no further action was required.

If you wish to report waste offences, highway obstruction, nuisance vehicles, illegal street trading etc. please call Ealing Council on 020 8825 6000 or use the appropriate e-form on the Council's website at www.ealing.gov.uk/reportit

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