

AGENDA ITEM 160

USING EMPTY COUNCIL BUILDINGS FOR ROUGH SLEEPERS

GREEN GROUP AMENDMENT

That recommendation 2.1 be amended by removing the words shown in ~~strike through~~ and adding those shown in ***bold italics***, an additional recommendation be added at 2.2 as shown in ***bold italics***.

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Proposed by: Cllr: Mac Cafferty

Seconded by: Cllr: Sykes

Recommendations if carried to read:

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