

Councillor Question Time – answers to questions taken on notice*

What is being done in the winter months with regards to enforcement relating to noise pollution from motorbikes before the problem worsened again over summer?

(Cr Marcus Pearl)

Response

The Police have the authority to stop motor bike riders to check noise levels. The Police can issue a noisy motor bike with a Defect Notice for noisy exhaust systems. The EPA are responsible for checking compliance with the Defect Notice.

A fine cannot be issued by Police unless the motorcyclist does not comply with the Defect Notice.

**Note: answers to any questions in Councillor Question Time which were answered at the meeting are included in the minutes of that meeting.*