

## **Notice of Motion**

### **Motion to be moved by Councillor C. Randall:**

Council notes Prostate Cancer UK's campaign of "boys need bins" which highlights the growing numbers of those who suffer with incontinence issues as a result of prostate treatment. Prostate Cancer UK cites that 1 in 8 men will get prostate cancer and that 1 in 3 men over 65 are estimated to have a urinary incontinence problem.

Council believes that it is important to make life more comfortable and dignified for those who suffer such problems. Council supports the provision of sanitary bins in all toilets so that waste products can be disposed of in a discreet and hygienic manner.

Council requests that the Chief Executive works with Officers of the Council to roll out a programme to provide sanitary bins, in line with current Council guidance, in Council owned or managed male toilets by the end of 2023. Council calls upon Cabinet make the funding available to achieve this.

Council further requests that the Leader writes to the City's three MPs to ask them to publicly back the campaign, as found on the Prostate Cancer UK website.

#### Sources:

<https://prostatecanceruk.org/get-involved/campaigning/incontinence>

<https://tackleprostate.org/boys-need-bins-campaign/>

<https://www.winchester.gov.uk/news/2023/may/boys-need-bins-winchester-first-council-to-back-the-campaign#:~:text=Winchester%20City%20Council%20has%20become,%2C%20safely%2C%20and%20with%20dignity.>