Alcohol Consumption PSPO Extension consultation

Crawley Borough Council is proposing to extend the Alcohol Consumption Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) for a further three years under Section 60(2) Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 when it expires in October this year.

The Alcohol Consumption PSPO is a tool available to the police and council to reduce the impact that alcohol related anti-social behaviour has on the community of Crawley.

This PSPO prohibits the consumption of alcohol in a public place where it is associated with nuisance and anti-social behaviour or it is believed it will lead to nuisance and anti-social behaviour. The Order gives the police and authorised council officers the power to request an individual to stop drinking and hand over any open or sealed container(s) believed to contain alcohol. It is an offence for anyone to engage in the activity prohibited by the PSPO when asked to stop. Both the police and council officers are able to enforce the order and issue fixed penalty notices.

If you wish to support/object to the proposal to extend the current PSPO for a further three years from 23 October 2023, please complete our short questionnaire.

Q1. Which best describes you?
- Member of public
- Community group representative
- Business owner or representative
- Other (please specify)

Q2.How much of a problem do you think alcohol related anti-social behaviour is in Crawley?
- A significant problem
- Somewhat of a problem
- Not a problem at all

Q3. What impact do you think having a PSPO has had on:

	Positive impact	Negative impact	No impact
People living in Crawley			
People working in Crawley			
People visiting Crawley			

Q4. Do you support the extension of the Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) for alcohol related anti-social behaviour?
- Strongly support
- Somewhat support
- Do not support

Q5. If you are not in support, please state your reason(s) below

Q6. If you have any further comments regarding the PSPO, please use the space below