

# Tim Shaw – Independent

## My Community Network

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### Tackling Fly Tipping



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**Focus** – KCC had previously announce the funding to crack down on fly tipping, an anti – social crime often carried out by criminal gangs. KCC charge a fee for the disposal of soil, rubble, hardcore and plasterboard at all 18 Household Waste Recycling Centres. If a fly tip is blocking a road then it is KCC responsibility otherwise it is the Local Council such as TMBC / SDC. KCC launched a campaign for additional enforcement with the money being made available to the Kent Environmental Crime Waste Practitioner’s Group which includes Kent Police, EA and Local Authorities.

Dear friends welcome to the March edition of **My Community Network** for keeping you informed of issues that I am representing you on. I am a local family man, born and bred in Borough Green. Business man, ex - school governor, Parish & T&MB councillor. My mission includes building a network of support in my political work for improving our community and our people’s lives. *This month’s edition focuses on the prospect of KCC / TMBC and SDC tackling fly tipping.*

**Fact** – So often when we are travelling through the Kent countryside, down the lanes of our beautiful constituency, we can encounter rubbish left on the side of the road – commonly caused by ‘Fly Tipping’. Over 90% of fly-tipped waste we see in the county of Kent could have been disposed of free of charge at a Kent ‘Household Waste Recycling Centre HWRC’.



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