

Treasure our Town ([Colne Town Council](#)) today cleared Boundary St/Blascomy Sq. 🤢

In one hour we managed to pick up all the litter (several sacks) and also tackle some of the offs. I did a tiny amount of Patten St also.

I also reported three loads of fly tipping, eight blocked drains and one street sign in need of a repaint. I have also asked for a quote for the bollards to be repainted.

The true horror of this morning were the literally thousands of cigarette butts. 🤢

I have genuinely never seen anything like it! The chemicals they contain are horrific. When they get into our water courses they do real damage, harming aquatic animals.

Apparently 11% of smokers do not consider cigarette butts to be litter. I now know where these people live! I might return next week to see if it as bad as before.

The people dropping all this litter - what are they thinking? I wonder if just one or two of these residents would be prepared turn this small area around? [See less](#)





