

## **Merseyside Recycling and Waste Authority**

### **Briefing note – provision of a Temporary Bring Bank Site in partnership with Liverpool City Council**

#### **Background**

The Liverpool Recycling & Waste Management Working Group (R&WMWG) has asked MRWA, in partnership with Liverpool City Council (LCC), to consider the implementation of a Temporary Bring Bank Site in the Liverpool area to allow local residents to recycle certain household recyclable materials.

#### **Location**

The service will be located at:

The Fruit and Vegetable Market accessed off Prescot Road, Liverpool 13.

The site is owned by LCC who has granted permission (on a lease area basis) to MRWA to operate on a specified area in the site.

Liverpool City Council has written to residents in neighbouring residential properties and will undertake any consultation with neighbouring residential properties.

Liverpool City Council's Highways team have been consulted on any potential traffic management issues in the local area and have produced a traffic management study. Based on the temporary nature of the site and its location this study has not identified any issues with traffic accessing or exiting the site, or the capacity for the site should queuing be necessary at any busy times.

#### **Acceptance of waste and recycling**

The service will be provided by Veolia, acting as MRWA's contractor under the MRWA's Waste Management and Recycling Contract.

In accordance with the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2010 Veolia have registered the operation with the Environment Agency. The EA has confirmed that the proposed operation is exempt under the above Regulations. The operation is permitted to commence under the strict requirements of a Waste exemption: S1 storing waste in secure containers.

The following waste types may be accepted at the site:

- Paper
- Cardboard
- Cans

- Glass bottles and jars
- Textiles and clothes
- Plastic bottles
- Rigid plastics
- (Mixed waste cannot be accepted at the site under the S1 Exemption).

Appropriate temporary signage will be provided on the site.

The waste will be accepted in to secure 1100L Euro Bins (requiring 24 bins in total with approximately 12 bins being present on site). Euro bins will be removed at the end of the day via flat back vehicle.

The service will allow residents to deliver their own household waste by using cars and pedestrian access will be permitted. Commercial vehicles including vans and large trailers of all types will not be allowed to access the service; directions will be provided to other Household Waste Recycling Centres.

Collected recyclable materials will be delivered to MRWA's Gillmoss Facility.

The operation will require provision of two Recycling Assistants who will control waste inputs, manage traffic flows and assist members of the public to recycle. A mess facility including toilet and washing facilities will be provided.

**Service commencement, duration and opening hours**

The new service will commence on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> January and will be provided until Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2015 (in accordance with lease terms provided by LCC).

The service will be open:

Thursdays 10am til 2pm

Fridays 10am til 2pm

Saturdays 10am til 2pm

The service will be provided and kept under review during the above period. Further consideration will be provided by LCC to allow the service to continue, with MRWA agreement, during the period.

**Required Resources**

<b>Required Resource</b>	<b>Estimated cost</b>	<b>Provider</b>	<b>Comment</b>
2 Recycling Assistants	£4,270 per month (LCC may appoint operative from own staff to reduce this cost)	MRWA via existing approved budgets 2014/15 and	Estimated costs are based on paying 2 operatives full day rate.
Personal Protective Equipment	MRWA/Veolia to provide.	MRWA	
Training	Veolia to provide	MRWA via Veolia	
Flat back vehicle	£550 month	MRWA via Veolia	
Signage	£250	MRWA via Veolia	
24 Euro Bins	From stock.	MRWA via Veolia	
Recycling cost	No additional cost as materials will be accepted at Gillmoss MRF.	MRWA	
Mess Facility	LCC to provide	LCC	
Management of Service and reporting	MRWA to provide via existing establishment	MRWA/Veolia	
Communications	£tbc low value	MRWA/LCC	

MRWA will meet its own costs from approved 2014/15 waste management budgets and therefore no additional budget provision is required to provide the service.

**Key Risks**

- Neighbouring houses (LCC to consult)
- Traffic queues (there is significant on site queuing capacity)
- Attempted delivery of non-acceptable waste including mixed waste and non household waste (leaflets advising of HWRC locations and Trade Waste Recycling will be provided)
- Fly-tipping (LCC responsibility)
- Abuse by commercial traders (see above)

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