

Commercial Vehicle Permit Scheme

Access Policy

The Scheme requires the incorporation of an Access Policy, which determines the requirements to access the HWRC's in order to deliver only household waste. Access will only be allowed when household waste is delivered by:

- a car with or without a trailer (trailer up to 2m long – external box dimensions)
- a commercial vehicle* (with no more than 4 wheels) **WITH A PERMIT**
- a trailer (up to 3m long – external box dimensions) **WITH A PERMIT**

*For the purpose of the Permit Scheme a 'commercial vehicle' is deemed to be:

- any vehicle without side/rear windows
- any 'flat back' vehicle
- any 'pickup' vehicle
- estate/hatchback cars with rear seats permanently removed
- estate/hatchback cars with blanked out side/rear windows (not tinted)

Vehicles which cannot be driven on a standard UK driving licence shall not be allowed to access the HWRC's for health and safety reasons. This will ensure that the great majority of vehicles categorised above 3.5t gross vehicle weight will be refused access.

No trailers greater than 3m long (external dimensions) will be allowed access to the HWRC's for health and safety reasons.