

<b><u>MEETING</u></b> <b>ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE</b>
<b><u>DATE AND TIME</u></b> <b>MONDAY 11TH JANUARY, 2016</b> <b>AT 6.30 PM</b>
<b><u>VENUE</u></b> <b>COMMITTEE ROOMS 1 AND 2, HENDON TOWN HALL, THE BURROUGHS, LONDON NW4 4BQ</b>

Dear Councillors,

Please find enclosed additional papers relating to the following items for the above mentioned meeting which were not available at the time of collation of the agenda.

Item No	Title of Report	Pages
1.	PUBLIC QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS (IF ANY)	1 - 2

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No	Item Number	Questioner	Question Raised	Answer
1	Item 7, (page 28)	Myk Tucker	<p>Reference What happens to Waste Materials after Collection--- It states the following -</p> <p><b>"Mixed recycling</b> Our mixed recycling is sorted into separate materials at a materials recovery facility in Edmonton before the materials are sent on to be made into new products.</p> <p><b>Food waste</b> Our food waste is taken to an anaerobic digestion plant at Dagenham, where the gas captured during processing is used to generate electricity, and the remaining material is use as a fertiliser.</p> <p><b>Garden waste</b> <u>Our garden waste is either taken to an in-vessel composting facility at Edmonton or to an outdoor composting facility, where it is processed into a valuable soil conditioner.</u></p> <p><b>Rubbish</b> The rubbish we collect is either landfilled in Buckinghamshire or sent to the energy from waste facility in Edmonton which generates electricity from the waste.</p> <p><b>Other3</b> Various treatment methods are used depending on the type of materials collected." -----</p> <p><b>So, -- In Regard to Garden Waste, I would like the Council to clarify and explain--</b></p> <p>a) The names of the Companies/Organisations Barnet Council sends it's garden waste for <u>Outdoor Composting</u>.</p> <p>b) The exact locations of these Outdoor Composting facilities</p>	<p>a) The North London Waste Authority (NLWA) is responsible for finding outlets for the garden waste collected in Barnet, as our statutory joint waste disposal authority. NLWA has a Waste Management Contract with LondonWaste Ltd (LWL) that includes the processing of all separately delivered organic waste (food waste, garden waste and, mixed food and garden waste) delivered by boroughs (including London Borough of Barnet). Garden waste collected from households in Barnet is primarily processed in the LondonWaste Ltd In-Vessel Composting facility at Edmonton, however, LWL also have sub contracts in place that deal with any oversupply (amounts delivered above the processing capacity of LWL's own In-Vessel Composting facility). Specifically for garden waste this sub contract is with Tamar Organics at their outdoor Composting Facility at Ashlyns Farm, Epping Road, Ongar, Essex CM16 6RZ.</p> <p>b) Please see above response.</p> <p>c) None of these locations are within the London Borough of Barnet. Reviva Composting Ltd is not currently used as a contractor by LWL, however, LWL intend</p>

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		<p>that Barnet Council sends it's garden waste.</p> <p>c) For absolute clarity can you also confirm whether any of these outdoor composting facilities used by Barnet Council are located in LB Barnet and also whether the Reviva Company are on these lists.</p> <p>d) Will you confirm whether there is a clear paper trail of where the Barnet Council garden waste goes and its final destination at the outdoor composting site.</p> <p>e) Finally can you confirm how much of Barnet Council's Garden Waste which does not go to Edmonton goes to the Outdoor Composting site at Elstree Hill South (Hertsmere) location by the A41 on the Edgware/Stammore borders. (Adjacent LB.Barnet/LB Harrow)</p>	<p>to retender elements of organic waste requirements over the coming year and Reviva would of course be able to participate in any future procurement exercise. Garden waste delivered to the Reuse and Recycling Centre at Summers Lane N12 0RF was taken to Reviva Composting Ltd, Elstree Hill South, Hertfordshire WD6 3BL up until 4 October 2015. From this date the site transferred to NLWA (and is operated by LWL), all garden waste received is transferred to Edmonton and either processed through the In-Vessel Composting facility or transferred to Tamar Organics.</p> <p>d) There is a clear audit trail for the transfer of garden waste to its destination. The NLWA and the council respectively carry out their own audit of collection and delivery records, and LWL verify final destinations transfers via physical paper waste transfer notes and electronic records recording individual transactions in detail. This information is then reported on the statutory WasteDataFlow system.</p> <p>e) Currently none of the council's garden waste from households or the Reuse and Recycling Centre at Summers Lane goes to this location.</p>
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