



Recycling Report for Purton Liaison Committee 13.09.07

Wiltshire overall performance

In the five months to end August 2007, the total municipal waste arisings were 117,777 tonnes (0.4% higher than last year). Of this, 53,265 tonnes were diverted from landfill, a recycled / recovered rate of 45.22%, (up from 42.3% in 2006).

Household Recycling Centres

The 10 HRC sites received 37,985 tonnes of material and recycled / recovered 29,373 tonnes, a rate of 77%.

Kerbside Recycling Scheme

In the first 5 months of 2007/8 the multi-material scheme has collected 9,500 tonnes of material. Further expansion of the scheme into the rural parts of Salisbury District is planned for November and December this year. This will result in almost 100% of properties in the County receiving a fortnightly collection for 5 materials.

Bring Sites

3,313 tonnes of material has been collected in the year to date. This is an improved figure on last year, however is still being affected by the kerbside service. The trial of collecting card and plastics instead of paper, glass and cans in West Wiltshire continues and results are positive. It is possible that this service will be extended into other parts of the County in the future.

Purton HRC

In the 5 months to end August 2007 Purton HRC has received 4,605 tonnes of waste, of which 3,749 tonnes were diverted from landfill, a recycling rate of 81.41%. Below is a list of materials handled:

Batteries	Tonnes	Metals	Tonnes
Cardboard	166	Cans	5
Carpet	16	Mixed Plastic	34.5
F'cent Tubes	16	Paper	110
Fridges/Freezers	48.5	Rubble/Soil	867
Garden Waste	976	Textiles	33.5
Glass	57	TV/Monitors	38.5
WEEE	57	Tyres	8.5
Wood	680	Yellow Pages	7.5



North Wiltshire Overall

33,103 tonnes of municipal waste have been generated in North Wiltshire between 1.4.07 and 31.8.07. This figure is 0.5% higher than last year.

Of the 33,103 tonnes, 13,361 were recycled / recovered, a rate of 40.4%.

In terms of the District Council's collection activities, 20,457 tonnes of household waste were collected, of which 4,595 were recycled, a rate of 22.5%. This figure is higher than last year's figure of 20.4% and is largely a result of increased green waste collections.

Other Activities

The Lakeside Contract has now been signed and deliveries to the new EfW plant are expected to commence in July 2008. A planning application has been submitted for the MBT plant / HRC / Depot at Westbury.