

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Environment and Transport
Date:	14 November 2017
Title:	Progress report on Household Waste Recycling Centre Cross Border Charging
Report From:	Director of Economy, Transport and Environment

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1. The decision:

- 1.1 That the Executive Member for Environment and Transport gives approval for further engagement with all neighbouring authorities to deliver a permanent solution to the issue of cross border use of Household Waste Recycling facilities within 12 months.
- 1.2 That in order to enable time for the above discussions, the existing transitional permits for affected Hampshire residents are extended on the same terms as the current arrangement, by a period of up to a maximum of 12 months.
- 1.3 That authority is delegated to the Director of Economy, Transport and Environment to agree the details of the revisions to the transitional arrangements including any expenditure within existing Departmental resources, in consultation with the Executive Member for Environment and Transport.

2. Reason for the decision:

- 2.1 Discussions are underway with neighbouring local authorities with regards to a long term arrangement for cross border usage of Household Waste Recycling Centre (HWRCs). However, it has not yet been possible to reach an agreement. In order to allow time for an agreement to be reached it is necessary to seek interim arrangements where possible for HWRC service provision for residents in North West Hampshire to maintain access to the nearest (albeit out of county) HWRC facility.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1 The option not to continue with the transitional arrangements has been considered and rejected. As no permanent solution to service provision in this area has been agreed with neighbouring authorities it would leave service users without access to a site within ten miles.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker:

4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted:

5 Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6 Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7 Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

14 November 2017

**Executive Member for Environment and Transport
Councillor Rob Humby**