

Brent / Veolia

Contract Managers Meeting held at Brent House

Thursday 25th February 2010

No	Item	No.
1.	<p><u>Persons Present</u></p> <p>Chris Whyte (CW) Head of Environmental Management, Brent Council Thomas Paris (TP) Contract Manager, Veolia John Rymer (JR) Team Leader, Brent Council</p>	
2.	<p><u>Apologies for Absence</u></p> <p>Ian Stewart (IS) Waste Services Manager, Brent Council</p>	
3.	<p><u>Minutes of Previous Meeting</u></p> <p>Agreed as an accurate record.</p>	
4.	<p><u>Matters Arising</u></p> <p>4(a) Wembley Events</p> <p>Next event Sunday 28th Feb – carling Cup Final. JR to be Brent duty officer. Veolia to deploy 2 dedicated teams + redirected resource.</p> <p>4(b) NI 195</p> <p>CW provided TPO with all 3 tranche data. CW informed TP that performance had slipped slightly from 2008/09 although only by a small margin. TP asked for locations detail. JR to provide.</p> <p>4(c) StreetCare Restructure</p> <p>CW informed TP of the proposals to restructure StreetCare’s Waste Services management arrangements.</p> <p>4(d) Cleansing savings</p> <p>CW asked TP to finalise his proposals re cleansing savings.</p> <p>4(e) Bin Stocks</p> <p>CW asked TP to provide an update on bin requests and stock so that a decision can be made about ordering at next week’s meeting.</p> <p>4(f) Recycling data</p>	<p>TP/CW</p> <p>JR</p> <p>TP</p> <p>TP</p>

	4(g)	<p>TP to provide latest recycling data.</p> <p>Vehicle Information</p> <p>TP to provide Brent with purchase documents relating to Brent-owned vehicles. TP to bring to next meeting.</p>	<p>TP</p> <p>TP</p>
5.		<p><u>Problems</u></p> <p>No New Problems</p>	
6.		<p><u>Corrective Action Plans</u></p> <p>New C.A.P. No new CAPs</p>	
7.		<p><u>Special Projects</u></p> <p>Gritting, Leafing, Bins and Weeds</p> <p>Gritting CW asked Veolia to retain grit until end of March when residual can be returned to Harrow depot.</p> <p>CW confirmed with TP that invoiced transport costs for grit taken from salt Union did not include the cost of grit. TP confirmed.</p> <p>Leafing Leafing season finished.</p> <p>Weeds TP advised that the law has changed regarding weed spraying. New requirement to spot spray established growth. No longer able to blanket spray footpaths. Will lead to problems of perception in growth period, particular issue at Election time. JF to call meeting to advise Brent of consequences and remedial measures.</p> <p>Bins and Boxes See 4(e) above</p> <p>Missed Collections No new information this week.</p> <p>Domestic Refuse No new information this week.</p>	<p>CW/TP</p> <p>TP</p>

		<p>Green Box No new information this week.</p> <p>Organic No new information this week.</p> <p>Estates The next estates report is due in January.</p> <p>Rectification Points No new information this week.</p> <p>Rectification Points No new information this week.</p> <p>IT Up-Dates No new information.</p>	
8		<u>Any Other Matters</u>	
9.		<p><u>Next Meeting</u></p> <p>The next meeting of this group will be held on at 10am on Thursday 4th March 2010 at 09.00 at Brent House.</p>	



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