

Minutes of the Meeting Special Committee on Waste Regulations held on 13th April 2016.

1. Minutes of Meeting held on 24th March 2016

Action: Agreed

2. Review of Actions arising from previous meeting:

Actions

- (i) Helen McNamara's / Martina Campbell's contact details to be forwarded to the group.
Status: Completed. Cllr MacVeigh advised that these contact details had been circulated and to expect a number of applications for designation.
- (ii) Draft Statement to raise public awareness to be developed for the next meeting.
Status: Completed. Draft circulated and discussed at meeting. Text agreed without changes.
Further action: Statement to be uploaded to DCC website, circulated to committee members and to Area Offices as soon as possible.
- (iii) Invite Greyhound to meet group.
Status: Completed. H. McNamara advised that Greyhound had been invited but was unable to attend due to prior commitments. GRR confirmed that it would attend next meeting on receipt of suitable notice.
Further action: DCC to notify GRR of date of next meeting and issue an invitation to attend.
- (iv) Results of street survey to be forwarded to group when finalised.
Status: Completed. Draft lists circulated at meeting for review and discussion.
Further action: DCC to circulate 3 no. summary sheets to Group leaders for review with a cover letter to be prepared by DCC. Comments are to be sent to Committee members.
- (v) Sample Waste Collection Permit to be available at the next meeting.
Status: Completed. Sample WCP circulated and discussed at meeting. The Committee requested that an amendment to condition 6.6.1 be drafted and submitted to the National Waste Collection Permit Office, which would instruct a Permit Holder to provide a bag collection service to householders in areas designated as being only suitable for the collection of household kerbside waste in non-reusable receptacles such as bags or for areas suitable for mixed collections.
Further action: DCC to draft amendment to WCP for submission to NWCPO

3. Issues Raised at meeting:

Cllr. Flynn requested that the minutes of the meeting of this committee be forwarded to the Chair of the Environment SPC.

Order: Agreed.

(i) Landlords and Multi-let Units

There was a general discussion on the issue of landlords failing to take responsibility for waste management in multi-let properties and the problems associated with this. A number of avenues were explored including the new regulations for the Housing Rental Sector to issue from the DOECLG. It was agreed that this issue would continue to be monitored through this committee and check if guidelines issue on the matter.

(ii) Email from Cllr. Dermot Lacey circulated and discussed. Issue relating to Cambridge Avenue resolved as it is proposed to continue as a bag area. Other issues noted.

In attendance

Councillors

Councillor Tina McVeigh (Chairperson)

Councillor Claire Byrne

Councillor Gaye Fagan

Councillor Mannix Flynn

Councillor Mary Freehill

Councillor Éilis Ryan

Councillor Ray McAdam

Officials

Declan Wallace, Director of Traffic

Helen McNamara, Senior Executive officer

Apologies:

Lord Mayor Criona Ni Dhalaigh

Next meeting Wednesday 27th April 2.00 pm

Meeting Closed.