



Recycle for Good
North Lanarkshire Council's
Recycling Initiatives
Airdrie LAP Update
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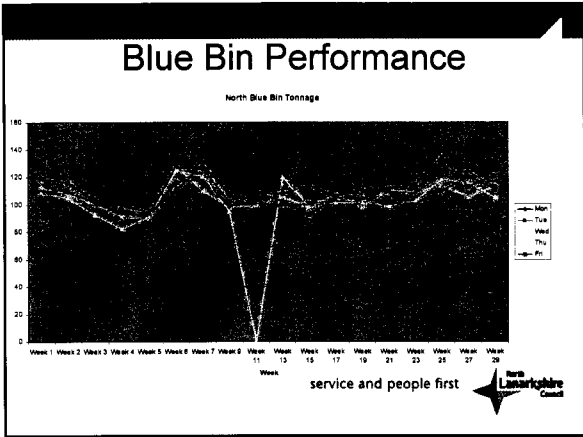
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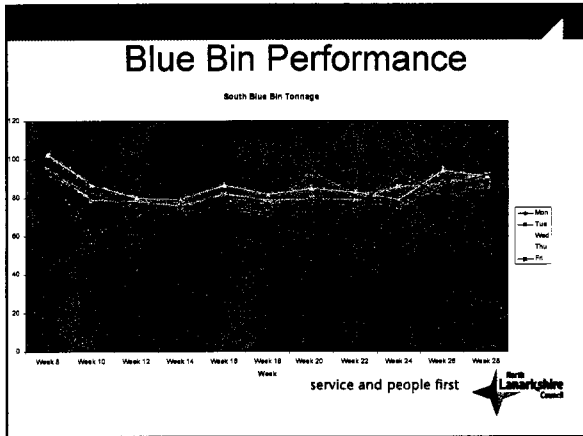
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3.6.1 Introduction of AWC

- Revision of existing monthly paper only kerbside collection (Blue Bin) to expand material collected and alter frequency to alternate weekly collection with residual waste.
 - Scheme introduced in North/Central Area June 2008 (Phase 1)
 - Scheme introduced in South Area Sep 2008 (Phase 2)
 - Scheme currently generates 500 tonnes of recyclable material per week

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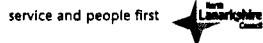
3.6.2 Brown Bin Collection System

- Increase overall number of properties covered by scheme from 119,000 to 124,000.
 - Additional areas of existing housing base and new build identified for inclusion in scheme Spring 2009
 - Scheme currently generate approximately 14,000 tonnes of material for composting per year.

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3.6.3 Kerbside Glass Collection System

- Formally increase provision to add 12,000 houses to current 12,000 properties on scheme. i.e. 24,000 properties in total
 - Service currently generates 110 tonnes of glass diverted for recycling per month.



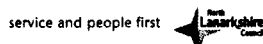
3.6.4 Bring Sites

- Increase overall provision from existing 68 sites to 88
 - Activity combined with 3.6.8 Flatted Property System




3.6.5 Special Uplifts

- Provision of 6 Additional crews to deal with stream specific uplifts.
 - Posts all appointed
 - Revised routing now delivering more responsive back up to missed appointments and call backs
 - Dedicated WEEE collections now operating
 - Recycling rate of approximately 42 % from service (Excluded WEEE & Christmas Trees)




3.6.6 Recycling Centres

- Creation of an additional 4 Recycling centres within North Lanarkshire
 - Potential sites identified
 - Shotts Area (New Site)
 - Airdrie Area (New Site)
 - Bellshill Area (Expansion and refurbishment of existing site)
 - Cumbernauld/Moodiesburn Area (New Site)

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3.6.7 Supporting Activities

- Introduction of 6 Waste Awareness Offices
 - All posts now filled
 - Duties include:
 - Weekly monitoring visits to AWC discharge site
 - Individual household visits
 - Recycling Route monitoring
 - Recycling Site Visits
 - Project Activities (Flatted Property, Food Waste)


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3.6.8 Flatted Properties

- Provision of 40 Customised bring sites at Flatted areas
 - 150 sites identified
 - Mini tender issued and returned for supply and install of "RECYCLING NODES"
 - Delivery and install scheduled for March 2009


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Node Recycling System

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3.6.9 Kitchen Waste Trials

- One Year trial in selected area funded by Scottish Government
 - Trial commenced 22 December 2008
 - Trial covers 12,000 properties in "Northern Corridor" area
 - Scheme currently generating approximately 30 tonnes per week

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3.6.10 Recycle For Good Charitable Donations

- Nominated Charities for 2009
 - Scottish Motor Neurone Association
 - Scott McIvor Heart Foundation For Yorkhill

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