

Programme

9:00 Registration and exhibition opens

10:00 *Session One*

The future of funding waste and resources and the Emissions Trading Scheme: Symposium Session

The new government promises to be 'Mission Led' including stabilising the public finances, and leading on growth and a greener economy. At the same time the Emissions Trading Scheme is set to create further disruption and cost to council finances and serious questions on the disposal of waste and use of incineration. This symposium session will hear from Mo Baines, APSE Chief Executive and expert associate David Robertson, to discuss council finances, the upcoming October budget and the implications for waste and resources from the Emissions Trading Scheme.

Lancaster City Council: Simpler Recycling uncertainty, how local are authorities preparing.

- Dealing with challenges and opportunities.
- Encouraging residents' behaviour to change to reduce waste.
- Support provision to deliver reforms and provide more efficient and effective waste services.

Mark Davies, Chief Executive, Lancaster City Council

Audience question and answer session

11:30 Coffee break and exhibition viewing

12:00 *Session Two*

How to roll out a food waste service: The good the bad and the ugly!

- Why did we introduce the food waste recycling service?
- Taking residents along in the journey.
- What went well and not so well, lessons learned.

Cllr Chris Watts, Cabinet Member for Environment and Transport, Swindon Borough Council

Evolving and expanding recycling services for a greener London Borough of Hounslow

- Supporting the council's decarbonisation journey by delivering high-quality, cost-effective and efficient recycling and waste collection services.
- Introducing innovative approaches to communal food waste collection, increasing food waste collection by nearly 80%.
- Increasing recycling rates and reducing waste-related emissions through diversification.

Dan Smyth, Director of Lampton Services Recycle

I work in garden waste, send help!

- Implementing a digital system for co-mingled waste and food

Sally Rose, Contracts Manager Waste & Environment, Cheshire East Council

Audience question and answer session

13:10 Lunch and exhibition viewing

14:10 *Session Three*

Newcastle City Council: Revolutionizing Waste Management with Cutting-Edge Technology and Data Insights.

Paul Harding, Head Of Local Authority – ESG and Sustainability Lead, REEN

Finding efficiencies and impact through collections

- What positive actions can deliver you the savings you need to generate?
- Possible savings through more efficient management of resources.
- What changing collection methodologies and reviewing and rationalising approaches to HWRC provision can play a key part in this.

Gwen Frost, Director, Resource Futures

15:00 Refreshment Break and exhibition viewing

15:30 *Session Four*

Raising Health and Safety Standards in the Waste Management Industry

- Identifying HSE's priorities for the sector
- Engaging the sector on delivering improvement in H&S performance

Tim Small, HM Principal Inspector of Health and Safety, Health and Safety Executive

The future of waste collection.

- Underground and semi underground refuse systems, the way forward?
- Upfront investment for longer term gain.
- Helping towards Net zero targets

Robin Buller, Regional Manager, Villiger

Audience question and answer session

16:30 **Seminar Close**

Seminar Objectives

About the Seminar

The world of waste management has been in a constant state of flux in recent years with delayed changes to waste legislation and continued uncertainty with changes agreed and set to commence. Despite these challenges local authorities strive to provide a high-quality waste management service with limited budgets.

This seminar will look at the future of waste collections and challenges of new waste legislation including the simpler recycling collections, extended producer responsibility and mandatory food waste collections. We will also hear case studies and shared best practice from local authorities striving to meet targets within the scope of the new waste legislation.

The event will also shine a spotlight on safety in collections, reducing environmental impacts through decarbonisation, a better use of resources and providing services more sustainably. Innovation and best practice across local authorities and their partners remain key themes in this APSE Seminar.

A fabulous opportunity for elected members, officers, and other key stakeholders to share thoughts and views on how they are meeting the growing environmental agenda, operational and financial challenges to create a better, safer and more sustainable environment - for present and future generations.

Who should attend:

- Chief executives
- Elected members
- Service directors
- Waste Management and recycling professionals
- Street scene enforcement officers
- Climate change officer
- Policy officers
- Trade union representatives
- Waste management and recycling consultants
- Academic researchers
- Contractors and suppliers

Venue

Nottingham Racecourse
Colwick Park
Nottingham
NG2 4BE



Booking Information

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What's included?

The delegate fee covers attendance, delegates' documentation, lunches and light refreshments.

APSE member delegate fee: **£188 + VAT**

Non member delegates fee: **£284 + VAT**

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