

Agenda

Waste, Recycling and Street Cleansing National Advisory Group

Wednesday 1 March 2023 10:30 to 12:30

Welcome by the Chair

1. Requirements for dealing with waste domestic seating containing Persistent Organic Pollutants (POP's)

Representatives from Defra will be outlining the new requirements on dealing with waste containing persistent organic pollutants (POP's) in particular waste upholstered domestic seating.

Speakers: Max Folkett MCIWM POPs, and Chemicals in Waste Team, Environmental Quality Directorate, DEFRA & Bob McIntyre Senior Advisor – Chemicals, Chemicals Regulatory Development Team, Environment Agency

2. Charging for Food Waste Collections – A Discussion.

Nottingham City Council are currently considering introducing a chargeable garden waste collection service and will be considering how this may impact on other waste services, recycling levels and fly-tipping incidents. It is hoped other members experiences will be forthcoming in assisting such considerations.

Speaker: Alvin Henry, Head of Waste, Nottingham City Council.

3. APSE Performance Network's Best Performing Council for Refuse Collection, 2022.

West Lindsey Council will outline the changes and improvements made to their service delivery and efficiency to earn them this award.

Speaker: Robert Gilliot, Manager Waste and Recycling, West Lindsey Council.

4. The difficulties facing local authorities in relation to recruitment and retention in an uncertain employment environment.

APSE Training will look at the issue of recruitment and retention across waste and street scene services and some of the ideas and training available to help address these problems **Speaker: APSE Training.**

5. Hot Topics for 2023 – Open Discussion