

**TO: JOINT WASTE DISPOSAL BOARD
12 DECEMBER 2007**

**ARRANGEMENTS FOR CIVIC AMENITY PROVISION AT LONGSHOT LANE,
BRACKNELL DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PHASE
(Project Director)**

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to invite the Joint Waste Disposal Board to confirm the arrangements around the temporary opening of the Civic Amenity site at Longshot Lane in Bracknell during the construction of the new facilities on the site.

2 RECOMMENDATION

2.1 That Members confirm that

- a) **the site be opened from 5 pm to 8 pm on every week day for the reception of civic amenity waste**
- b) **the expenditure of £88,000 be approved to fund the above proposals from the budget which is funded for remedial work to the buildings at Longshot Lane, which are not now required.**

3 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Background

- 3.1 The contract documentation for the Re3 Project included a requirement for the civic amenity site to be available for residents' use at the weekends and on certain Bank holidays. At that time it was anticipated that construction at the site would not allow for the use of the civic amenity site during the working week. However, negotiations between the operators have resulted in the possibility that the site could be opened on each normal working day (Monday to Friday) for public use of the civic amenity arrangements between the hours of 5 pm and 8 pm.
- 3.2 This would result in additional work for the contractor which has been identified at a cost calculated at £88,000 for the 15 month period of construction. The contract arrangement included for the payment of £100,000 to the contractor for remedial works to the existing facilities at Longshot Lane in order that they could be operated safely for the initial period of the contract. It has not been necessary to expend this budget and it is therefore suggested that the sum of £88,000 is approved to fund the proposed opening of the civic amenity site from this budget.

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