

Progress of Recommendations – Waste Management

| Number | Recommendation | Responsibility | Anticipated Completion Date/ Completion Date | Evidence of Progress 01/06/09 | Assessment of progress (Categories 1-4) 01/06/09 | Evidence of Progress 05/10/09 | Assessment of progress (Categories 1-4) 05/10/09 |
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| 6 | A 'bin amnesty' to be applied to households using two 240-litre wheeled bins. Bins should be recalled through a series of promotions via the local media, Stockton News and the website, with a Freefone number and e-mail address provided. Refuse collection teams should also be asked to report where more than one bin is being presented for collection by a household. | J Mcann | To coincide with any service changes after Summer 2007 | The bin amnesty is progressing well following the introduction of the first two phases for plastic and cardboard collections, which coincide with the 'no side waste' policy. Active marketing of the amnesty is being undertaken by the waste awareness team, waste support officers and the Customer Services team in order to make residents aware that we can collect second bins. | 2 - On Track | Again, levels of bins being returned to the Council continues to increase with many residents no longer having a use for multiple bins following the introduction of the no side waste policy. Reclaimed bins are being cleaned out and reissued wherever possible to residents who have had their bins stolen. The waste support officers (temp posts as part of waste review) and the waste awareness team continue to canvass communities in order to reiterate the new policy and how this impacts upon households. | 1 –Fully Achieved |