

## Appendix 1

### Introduction of a Trade Waste Permitting System at Council Recycling Centres

#### Calculation of Potential Avoided Charges

A survey was conducted to quantify the number of suspected traders which use Friarton Recycling Centre. The survey found that approximately 10 vehicles using the site were suspected traders depositing controlled waste. This translates to 2.2% of the total number of vehicles using the Recycling Centre per day.

If the 2.2% is applied to the traffic count data across all 9 Recycling Centres this equates to 39 suspected traders depositing controlled waste per day.

Based on a published study into Trade Waste it is estimated that on average the weight brought to CA sites by a trader was 0.2 tonnes.

Even if only 0.1 tonnes is applied to the number of suspected traders potentially avoiding legitimate disposal charges based on 2016/17 panel van prices the total unpaid charges would be as follows:

0.1 tonnes X 39 traders per day X 361 days per year X £54.00 disposal charge

= £76,026