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Update 15.06.2020 Council Accepting Additional Waste Materials at HRCs

Following recent guidance from the Northern Ireland Executive, we reopened 8 of our 10 Household Recycling Centres from Monday, 18 May on a restricted basis. From Monday 15 June we are now in a position to accept additional waste materials at selected HRC sites.

Please see below the list of centres open and their restricted opening hours:

- 1. Newry HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm
- 2. Camlough HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm
- 3. Warrenpoint HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm
- 4. Kilkeel HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm
- 5. Crossmaglen HRC Tuesday -Thursday 10am 4pm
- 6. Ballynahinch HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm
- 7. Downpatrick HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm
- 8. Castlewellan HRC Monday Thursday 10am 4pm

The HRCs listed above will not be operational at the weekend. Newtownhamilton HRC and Hilltown HRCs will remain closed until further notice.

Additional waste materials can now be received at sites including, electrical goods and mattresses, except at Warrenpoint HRC which has no facility to receive mattresses.

A full list of the various waste materials now accepted at HRCs is as follows:

- Wood / Metal waste (maximum of 6 black waste bags/equivalent in volume)
- Essential General Household (black bag) waste maximum limit of 6 bags per household includes Garden Waste and Essential Mixed Dry Recyclable waste (paper, cardboard, cans and bottles only)

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- Empty paint tins
- 2 x 5 litre tins of domestic waste paint (multiple partially filled tins will not be accepted)
- 2 x 5 litre containers of waste oil
- Small Electrical items i.e. microwaves, kettles, toasters etc
- Large Electrical items i.e. fridge, cooker (maximum of two items**)
- Waste for Reuse* (i.e. bicycles)
- Home furnishings (wood) provided they are broken down for disposal to wood waste container
- Mattresses* (maximum of two per week per property**)
 - * Warrenpoint HRC does not facilitate mattress or Reuse disposal
 - ** Householders bringing larger items for disposal, must be accompanied by another person in the same vehicle to assist in off-loading such items. Due to social distancing measures, HRC staff are not permitted to assist in off-loading waste.

No commercial waste will be accepted at this time and users will also be required to pre-sort waste before entry is permitted.

Restrictions will also be placed on site access. Height barriers will be in operation with no access for large vans and large loads will also not be permitted. Site users may also be requested to provide proof of residency in the district and will not be permitted to return more than once on any given day.

Thank you for your co-operation.

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