NWRWMG Joint Committee 24th September 2014

# Item 2 – Minutes of the Meeting of the 24<sup>th</sup> September 2014

North West Region Waste Management Group Joint Committee Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2014@ 2.00 PM Moyle District Council Offices

Present:

Ballymoney Borough Council
Councillor Evelyne Robinson (Chair)
Alderman Cecil Cousley
John Dempsey
Nigel McKeown

Coleraine Borough Council Councillor William King Aidan Mullan

Derry City Council
Councillor Sean Carr
Councillor Bridget Meehan
Edward Nutter

Limavady Borough Council Alderman Michael Coyle Noel Crawford

Moyle District Council
Aidan McPeake

Magherafelt District Council
Andrew Cassells

Strabane District Council
Malcolm Scott

NWRWMG
Eamon Molloy
Keith Swerdlick
Philip Kingston (DCC,
Solicitor to the NWRWMG)

RPS
Donal Doyle



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#### Item 1 - Apologies

The following apologies were recorded:

Councillor George Duddy
Councillor Martin Kearney
Councillor Jay McCauley
Councillor Kieran McGuire
Councillor Sean McPeake
Alderman Jack Rankin
Richard Lewis
Sharon O'Connor
John McLaughlin
Danny McSorley
John Michael
Conor Canning
Kieran Doherty
Barry O'Hagan

# Item 2 - Minutes of the meeting of the 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2014

The Chair reviewed the previous minutes with the Committee.

The minutes were PROPOSED by Alderman Cousley and SECONDED by Councillor Carr

#### Item 3 - Matters Arising

There being no matters arising the Chair moved to the next item of business.

# Item 4 - Presentation on the Review of the North West Region Waste Management Group Waste Management Plan

The Development Officer updated members on the review of the Waste Management Plan. Donal Doyle from RPS Consulting gave a presentation to members outlining the substantive changes to the review based on the abandonment of the NW Infrastructure Project, (presentation attached as Appendix 1).

On the conclusion of the presentation the Chair invited comments from the members present.

Councillor Coyle commented on the need to alert the new Councils of the ambitious targets and actions set within the plan.



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Cllr Meehan proposed that some wording reflecting a Zero Waste approach should be included in the plan. A discussion ensued on the matter and the Chair asked if the motion had a Seconder. There being no Seconder the motion fell.

The adoption of the Review of the Waste Management Plan 2006-2020 was PROPOSED by Councillor King and SECONDED by Alderman Coyle.

The Development Officer explained the plan would now be present to all seven member Councils for adoption and would also need to be reported to the new Shadow Councils. If adopted the plan will be sent to the Department of the Environment for determination and this will then be sent to the European Commission.

## Item 5 -HWRC Tender Update

The Development Officer referred to the matter and informed members that there was only one tender submission for the service. The potential provider had failed the completeness check and therefore the procurement exercise will have to be retendered in the near future.

The Development Officer will write to those potential providers who had requested the Invitation for Tendering documents to determine the reason for the poor response to the tender.

#### Item 6 - A.O.B

It was agreed by members that the next Joint Committee meeting will take place on Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> October at 1:30 PM in the Strabane District Council offices.

The meeting terminated at 3:15 pm

Signed:

Cllr Evelyné Robinson

Chair

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