

## Appendix B

### Summary of the Main Differences between the Existing Joint Municipal Waste Strategy and the Refreshed Strategy

| Key Principle              | Existing JMWMS  | Refreshed JMWMS   |
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| Waste Prevention           | Highlighted keys areas of waste minimisation such as home composting and the use of real nappies through education and awareness  | Requires authorities to consider the introduction of reuse schemes for furniture and other waste materials either by direct service provision or by working in partnership with the 3 <sup>rd</sup> sector. |
| Efficiency Savings         | Identified that better value can sometimes be achieved through collaborative working.   | Strengthens the position that costs could be reduced through further improvements in performance and service delivery by collaborative working and sharing of best practice.                                |
| Resource Recovery          | Confirmed the principle of “Zero waste to landfill by 2020”.<br>Set a target of 55% for recycling.<br>Set a target of recovering benefit from 50% Of the remaining waste. | Builds on the principle of “Zero waste to landfill by 2020” by moving towards a resourceful economy.<br>Commits the authority to maintaining high recycling rates but doesn’t set a specific target.        |
| Carbon Reduction           | No specific target for carbon reduction   | Sets a target for reducing carbon emissions for waste collection, processing and disposal activities by 2% year on year.  |
| Infrastructure & Contracts | Paved the way for the commissioning of the W2R project at Four Ashes.   | Commits the partnership to investigate the potential to develop existing facilities and also provide new facilities in order to maximise efficiency and sustainability.                                     |
| Municipal Waste            | No specific provisions.   | Requires the consideration of a County wide trade waste scheme.   |

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