

Recommendation for Cabinet that will resolve in an action being taken:

Recycling and Waste Partnership Board on 7 November 2018

Minute 25 Container charging for new developments

RECOMMENDED by the Recycling and Waste Partnership Board:

that the following recommendations be made in the Service Lead – StreetScene’s report to Cabinet on charging developers for the provision of recycling and waste containers and for the provision of replacement waste containers to residents:

1. that from 1 April 2019 the Council no longer supply waste containers free of charge to new build properties.
2. that a recycling and waste container charging policy based on the criteria in appendix 1 to the report be introduced.
3. that developers are charged for the supply of newly constructed property recycling and waste containers at a rate of £80 (per property for one residual bin, one green box, one green sack, one food caddy, one kitchen caddy) and £300 per communal bin supplied.
4. that if the developer does not make the contribution for the new property’s recycling and waste containers, to levy this charge to the resident. Communal bin charges would be levied to landlords/managing agents.
5. that a charge of £30 be made per wheeled bin or residual waste container where a replacement is required. Residents will not be charged where containers are damaged during collection.
6. that charges are reviewed annually as part of the annual portfolio holder charges review process.