

Environment and Sustainability Committee

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 3 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Wednesday, 25 June 2014**

Meeting time: **09.30 – 11.48**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Alun Ffred Jones AM (Chair)
Russell George AM
Llyr Gruffydd AM
Julie James AM
Julie Morgan AM
William Powell AM
Joyce Watson AM

Witnesses:

Jane Holownia, Wales Audit Office
Andy Phillips, Performance Specialist, Wales Audit Office
Mark S. Williams, Caerphilly County Borough Council
Andrew Wilkinson, Conwy County Borough Council
Alan L. Roberts, Denbighshire County Council
Richard Brown, Pembrokeshire County Council
Isobel Moore, Natural Resources Wales
Nadia De Longhi, Natural Resources Wales

Committee Staff:

Alun Davidson (Clerk)
Adam Vaughan (Deputy Clerk)
Nia Seaton (Researcher)
Chloe Corbyn (Researcher)

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1 Introductions, apologies and substitutions

1.1 Apologies were received from Mick Antoniw, Gwyn Price, and Antoinette Sandbach. There were no substitutions.

2 Inquiry into recycling in Wales: Evidence from Wales Audit Office

2.1 Witnesses responded to questions from Members of the Committee.

3 Inquiry into recycling in Wales: Evidence from Local Authorities

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4 Inquiry into recycling in Wales: Evidence from Natural Resources Wales

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5 Papers to note

5.1 Biodiversity – Further information from Natural Resources Wales following 21 May meeting

The Committee noted the paper

5.2 Correspondence between the Chair and Natural Resources Wales following 7 May meeting

The Committee noted the letter

5.3 Inquiry into the Welsh Government's proposals for the M4 around Newport :
Response from the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport to the letter from the Chair on 5 June

The Committee agreed to write a follow up letter to the Minister

6 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the meeting for item 7

7 Forward Work Programme – Update