

## Guidance for Clubs/community organisations re Scrap Metal Fundraisers

This Guideline is aimed at Community Clubs and Charities who wish to raise funds from the collection of waste metals and other **non-hazardous waste materials**. It should assist you in complying with your legal obligations under the waste legislation. The attached form identifies three options open to you

- (1) Waste collector directly on a “house to house” basis – the “groundwork” having been done by the organisers.
- (2) Asking people to drop off waste at an existing managed authorised waste facility
- (3) Organising your own temporary location in the form of skips/containers provided and collected by an authorised waste collector from this location If you intend to have your members bring waste to such skips it will be important to set out clearly how you will manage the event on the day. It can be problematic when well meaning individuals bring waste materials which are not acceptable. It is therefore important to consider how you will reject or quarantine such materials.

### Examples of the type of acceptable materials

Clean metals, paper, cardboard, Cloths

### Materials which LCC would not like collected by Charities or Community groups

Hazardous materials including Oils, Batteries, Waste electrical goods (anything with a plug or batteries ), tyres and scrap cars.

The Council operates three recycling facilities at Kilmallock, Newcastle West and Mungret which can be made available to the groups. There are also some private facilities which a Group could approach.

If you could therefore complete the attached form and send it to the Environment Section of the County Council, County Buildings, Dooradoyle, Limerick a minimum of two weeks prior to any event then we will endeavour to assist you to ensure the event is successful.

For a list of Authorised Waste Collectors please use the following web site, [www.managewaste.ie](http://www.managewaste.ie). Click on waste collection permits, then click on waste collection permits register, search by waste type, eg “Metals”. A list of authorised waste collectors and their contact details will appear.

**Form for Clubs/Community organisations re Scrap Fundraisers**

Name of Participating Club/Organisation. \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Details – Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

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Purpose of Fundraising – \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Arrangements \_\_\_\_\_

(Please see options 1-3 below ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Proposed Authorised Waste**

Collector(s) \_\_\_\_\_

(include WCP number) \_\_\_\_\_

**Authorised Waste facilities –**

\_\_\_\_\_

(include WP/WFP/COR number & make arrangements IN ADVANCE)

**NB - List of materials being collected. – please attach advertising flyer/newspaper advert**

Date of event \_\_\_\_\_ Location of event \_\_\_\_\_

**Options available (subject to the agreement of the Local Authority)**

- (1) Community to bring waste items directly to an Authorised Waste Facility e.g. our recycling centres or a private operator
- (2) Local Authority to authorise club to arrange collection of waste materials by waste collector and take directly to an authorised facility.
- (3) Local Authority to authorise Club to collect non hazardous material and take to skips provided by Authorised Waste Collector at controlled and managed location.

**Signature of Applicant –Secretary on behalf of the organisation.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_