Dear Resident,

Waste Clearance at Waste4Fuel Site

We have spent a number of weeks preparing and are now writing to let you know that from **Monday 31st October 2016** we will begin to start the process to remove waste from the former Waste4Fuel site at Cornwall Drive.

As you are aware, Bromley Council has appointed Veolia to remove the waste and the Council and Veolia will be working closely together to ensure this major operation runs smoothly.

We expect the removal operation of the estimated 18,000 tonnes of waste on site to take **approximately 20 weeks**. Working hours for the project are proposed to be 7.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday, and 7.00am to 12.00pm on Saturdays. We anticipate that the first truck will actually leave the site on Tuesday afternoon and if you wanted to watch this, please let us know.

We will be doing what we can to minimise possible disruption resulting from the works, mindful of both local residents and local traffic conditions. During this time the traffic around the site may be busier than usual with an increase in heavy vehicles on the roads in the local area. Please do park as close to the side of the road as you can and do not park close to the junction, bearing in mind that large vehicles will be using Cornwall Drive, especially on 1 November, when very wide vehicles will be accessing Cornwall Drive.

To reduce risk of the waste from catching fire and other nuisance factors such as dust, litter and smells, the waste will be sprayed with a light dusting of water. A water-based deodorant will be sprayed to reduce emitting smells. Low noise generators will be used too and Veolia is already working closely with the London Fire Brigade, with this continuing as appropriate. We will update you on progress regularly, including by posting information on a noticeboard at the entrance to the site for ease and by letter locally. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the operation, please visit [www.bromley.gov.uk/waste4fuel](http://www.bromley.gov.uk/waste4fuel) or call 020 8313 4575.

We are hopeful that a significant proportion of the waste will be recyclable but all waste will be properly treated and disposed of. In addition, the Environment Agency will be closely monitoring the waste removal operation and will be regularly on site to make sure that this is done in accordance with the appropriate regulations. If you have concerns, call them on 0800 80 70 60.

Your co-operation and support will be very much appreciated and we will keep in contact in the coming weeks.

Yours faithfully,

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