

# PORTFOLIO HOLDER DECISION POST ENGAGEMENT FINAL DECISION



Report subject	<b>Christchurch Recycling Centre opening hours</b>
Decision maker	<b>Councillor Mark Anderson – Portfolio Holder for Environment and Place</b>
Proposed decision	<p><b>The current opening hours at Christchurch Recycling Centre (CRC) are 9.00am - 18.00pm from 1st April to 30th September and 10.00am -16.00pm 1st October - 31st March.</b></p> <p><b>These opening times were in place when BCP Council took over the site in April 2020 from Dorset Council.</b></p> <p><b>The site is operated by W+S Waste Management Ltd, a contractor operating all the Household Waste Recycling Centre for Dorset Council.</b></p> <p><b>The 2 other sites in BCP Council open from 9:00am – 16:00pm in winter and 9:00am -17:00pm in summer. All 3 sites are open 7 days a week.</b></p> <p><b>Dorset Council have recently (1<sup>st</sup> October 2021) changed their opening hours to match those of our other 2 sites.</b></p> <p><b>All the Dorset sites and our site at Christchurch are operated by W+S Waste Management Ltd. W+S have now made a proposal to BCP Council officers to change the hours at CRC to bring them into line with their other sites.</b></p> <p><b>It is proposed BCP Council agree to the change in hours at the CRC.</b></p>
Proposed decision publication date	16 November 2021
Engagement period	Following the publication of the proposed decision, interested parties were invited to comment on the proposal for a period of five-clear days from 16 November 2021 to 23 November 2021 inclusive.
Comments received	No comments or representations were received during the engagement period.
Decision taken	<b>The Portfolio Holder for Environment and Place has considered any representations received and determined to confirm the decision outlined above without modification.</b>
Date of final decision	26 November 2021

Call-in and urgency:	Subject to any urgency provisions which shall be identified, this decision will not come into force, and may not be implemented, until the expiry of 5 clear working days after the decision was made, recorded and published.
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