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Waste Management in New Development

Major development proposals will be required to implement Site Waste Management Plans to reduce waste on site and manage remaining waste sustainably.

New development will be required to include adequate space to support recycling and efficient waste collection.

Integrated waste management in new development will be supported where appropriate.

Although re-use and recycling rates construction, excavation and demolition waste in London are high, the London Plan sets a target of 95% to be recycled by 2020. London Plan policy 5.18 states that boroughs should require developers to produce site waste management plans to arrange for the efficient handling of construction, excavation and demolition waste.

Site Waste Management Plans

7.0.14 In order to encourage better recycling habits and enable efficient waste collection, allowing adequate space for the sorting and storage of waste in new developments is essential. Guidance is available to architects and developers and applicants will be expected to liaise with the Council's waste services team where there are any difficulties with layouts of schemes.