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To: Councillor Michael Williamson <[mwilliamson@pkc.gov.uk](mailto:mwilliamson@pkc.gov.uk)>

Dear Councillor,

For several years now our charity has been campaigning as a zero waste organization, and member of PKC panel of charities in Scotland.

Our local recycle centre in Aberfeldy drastically needs to be reformed, and Aberfeldy Community Council seems to be pointing the finger at PKC Council, regarding funding and management of our recycle site.

Why, is e.g. the Recycle Centre in Pitlochry, open daily, and has enough staff employed to deal with waste, while Aberfeldy is open on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sundays only.

It is also very hard to understand, that paint, and other toxic waste in Aberfeldy is heading to landfill, as we have since years no facility or manpower to handle this, where as in Perth, Pitlochry and Blairgowrie, things are kept under control.

Just recently, I was told that residents in Dunkeld and Birnam are depositing waste in Aberfeldy, which means our local Recycle centre needs to handle more waste.

Is it not time, that our Recycle Centre, opens daily with extra manpower, and a facility is in place for paint and other non-bio degradable waste, which is harmful to our health and environment?

How can Aberfeldy with growing number of residents in the future deal with this issue, and funding is made available, to help us reduce landfill and protect our health and environment at the same time?

Sincerely yours

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