



**Greater Manchester Waste Plan Examination**

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**Subject: THE GREATER MANCHESTER WASTE PLAN DEVELOPMENT PLAN DOCUMENT:  
EXAMINATION HEARINGS: MATTERS FOR EXAMINATION**

Dear

Further to my letter dated 07<sup>th</sup> of April 2011 setting out the agenda for the Pre-Hearing Meeting due to take place on the Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> of April 2011, please find set out below the Inspector's list of draft Matters for Examination. The Pre-Hearing meeting is about procedures, not merits, however, at the meeting, the Inspector shall clarify what issues he considers the Matters should touch on and will be pleased to have an open discussion about them.

The draft Matters for Examination are as follows:

1. Legal compliance - especially consultation and publicity.
2. The degree to which spatial alternatives have been considered.
3. The relationships with neighbouring waste planning authorities: (imports - exports).
4. The likelihood and consequences of a Scenario which results in even greater recycling.
5. The relationship of Policy 4 (Sites) to Policy 5 (Areas),  
Including the issues of:
  - (a) BL9 Watersmeeting South C Triangle;
  - (b) RD6 Mandale Park, Rochdale;
  - (c) SL2 Clifton Industrial Estate, Salford;
  - (d) Green Lane, Salford.
6. Policy 6: Inert waste.
7. Policy 7: Future needs, including the issues of Whitehead.
8. Policy 10: Unallocated sites

I look forward to seeing you at the Pre-Hearing Meeting. However, in the meantime should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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Programme Officer.