



Community Liaison Group

Wednesday 2 March



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1. Introductions



2. Safety moment

James Sachon

Staying safe and protecting your home during storms

Before a storm:



- Secure loose object outside – ladders, furniture, bikes etc
- Secure windows and doors
- Charge mobile phones in case of power loss
- Get batteries for torches

During a storm:



- Stay indoors as much as possible
- If you are outside, don't shelter close to trees
- Beware of flying debris
- Avoid travelling - high winds and heavy rain/flooding can put you at risk



3. Actions from previous CLG meeting

James Sachon



Actions from previous CLG meeting



Apprenticeship, training and employment

Action	Responsibility	Completion Date	Current Status
Consider recruitment initiatives for graduates, including engagement with local universities	NLWA	9 December 2021	Complete - Our operators, LondonEnergy Ltd, run a graduate scheme and are currently revising their university engagement programme.
Confirm the number of NLHPP apprentices from Waltham Forest	NLWA	9 December 2021	Complete – included in update email issued to all CLG members on 9 December 2021 confirming that two apprentices and 19 trainees are from Waltham Forest.
Advertise apprenticeship opportunities in Upper Edmonton (including signage) in train station	NLWA	September 2021	Complete - During our latest recruitment campaign, in Upper Edmonton, and more widely in Enfield, we displayed posters in the Fore Street Library and job centre as well as on buses and in Edmonton Green Station.
Contact Senior Tottenham Safety Manager at Haringey Council to discuss apprenticeship opportunities on the NLHPP	NLWA	12 October 2021	Complete – minutes from the meeting were shared in the update email issued to all CLG members on 9 December 2021.
Provide more information about trainee destinations following their completion of the NLHPP programme	NLWA	9 December 2021	Complete – included in update email issued to all CLG members on 9 December 2021.

Actions from previous CLG meeting

Community Engagement

Action	Responsibility	Completion Date	Current Status
Include a non-technical Q&A section in the next newsletter, which responds to questions and concerns about the NLHPP	NLWA	December 2021	Complete – this will be a feature in all future newsletters.
Consider language translation for NLHPP newsletters, with captions for main community languages in newsletter heading	NLWA	9 December 2021	We have engaged with Enfield Council and are following their approach to translating documents for residents which is to produce documents in Plain English using simplified, non-technical language.
Consider Fore Street and Silver Street as locations for future roadshow events	NLWA	October 2021	Complete - we visited the Fore Street Library in October and will look to visit a venue along Silver Street when we resume the roadshow programme in 2022.
Consider engagement with primary schools in Waltham Forest as part of its schools' programme	NLWA	Ongoing	We are currently looking into extending our schools' programme to include more boroughs, including Waltham Forest.

Actions from previous CLG meeting

Equality, Diversion and Inclusion

Action	Responsibility	Completion Date	Current Status
The Equality, Diversity and Inclusion lead for the NLHPP to attend and present at the next CLG meeting	NLWA	2 March 2022	Our presentation today will cover how we incorporate Equality, Diversion and Inclusion into our activities engaging with the local community.

Other

Action	Responsibility	Completion Date	Current Status
Consider trialling a crisp packet recycling scheme in Waltham Forest	NLWA	9 December 2021	Complete – included in update email issued to all CLG members on 9 December 2021.
Advertise in Upper Edmonton during next waste prevention / recycling campaign	NLWA	Ongoing	NLWA carry out regular waste prevention and recycling campaigns throughout north London. The campaigns are aimed at places with great footfall, and we are aiming to hold one of our upcoming ones in the Edmonton Green Shopping Centre in Enfield. You suggested holding an event in Upper Edmonton and we would be grateful if you could suggest any venues in Upper Edmonton that would be suitable.



4. Project overview and delivery update

David Cullen

NLHPP overview

- The EcoPark has diverted 21 million tonnes of rubbish from landfill since 1971, but now it needs updating to make sure we can keep treating north London's rubbish for another 50 years.
- We are transforming Edmonton EcoPark into the **UK's greenest ERF** to stop rubbish being sent to landfill, and instead use it to **generate heating, hot water and electricity** for thousands of local homes.
- We want people to **recycle more**, so we have designed the facility to be flexible to make sure our **ERF doesn't need to be full to operate successfully**.
- Alternative options have been considered, but they are **worse for the environment** and would **cost north London council tax payers** a lot more.
- Construction work began in January 2019 and is progressing well.



NLHPP project timeline





Being a good neighbour



- **Considerate Constructors Scheme**
- Recently awarded a **Non-Road Mobile Machinery (NRMM) Compliance Certificate**
- **Traffic Management Plans** in place at additional entry points to the EcoPark
- We have listened and acted:
 - Previously received a noise complaint from a business located next to the EcoPark in relation to piling works.
 - We investigated the complaint and carried out environmental site inspections which confirmed that project environmental aspects are being effectively managed.
 - Working practices were in accordance with project requirements and future noise and vibration monitoring is planned.



Project delivery update - Energy Recovery Facility



NLWA and ACCIONA representatives at the Edmonton EcoPark



Project delivery update - EcoPark House



Construction activity at EcoPark House

Project delivery update - Recycling Facilities



Construction of the recycling facilities at the EcoPark

Project delivery update - Temporary Bulky Waste Recycling Facility



Construction of the Temporary Bulky Waste Recycling Facility



5. Local benefits

Ursula Taylor

Social Value Objectives



**Attract new talent into
the construction industry
and upskill the current
workforce**



**Create opportunities for
local people**



**Stimulate interest in STEM
subjects and construction
/ waste infrastructure
related careers**



**Ensure best practice in
employment relations**

Key Areas of Focus

Priorities informed by Local Assessment:

LOCAL AREA CHARACTERISTICS

- Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) groups represent a large proportion of local community
- Youthful population
- High unemployment (especially among young people)
- Educational Achievement

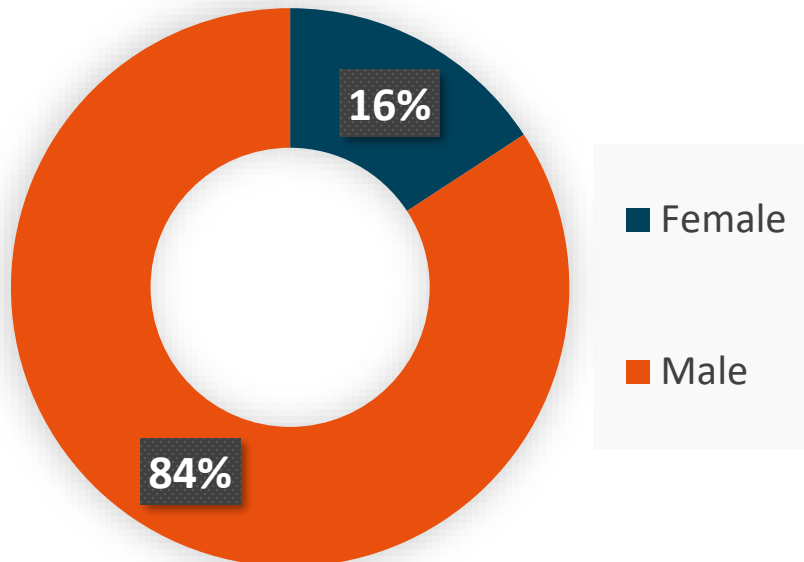
CONSTRUCTION & WASTE MANAGEMENT SECTOR

- Low representation of women
- Low representation of BAME groups
- Disproportional representation for early careers vs senior leadership roles
 - Untapped talent
- Ongoing skills shortages

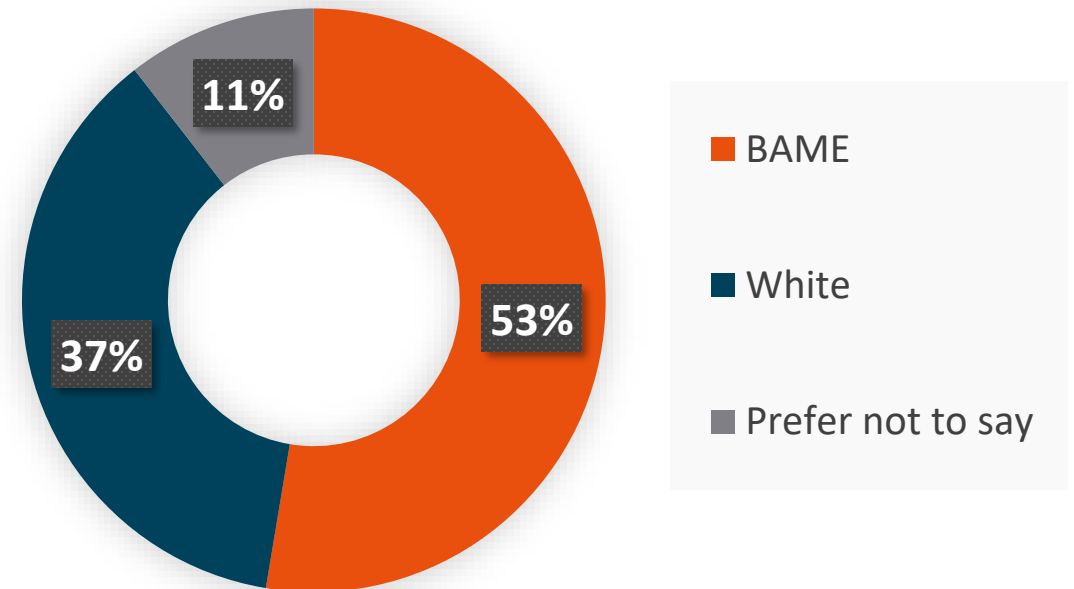
**Specific focus on
women, Black, Asian
and the Minority
Ethnic population
(BAME)**

- Ensuring diversity and inclusion in apprenticeship provision is a key priority for NLHPP
- **19 apprentices appointed to date**, including 10 from Enfield, 2 from Haringey & 2 from Waltham Forest

Apprentices - Gender



Apprentices - Ethnicity





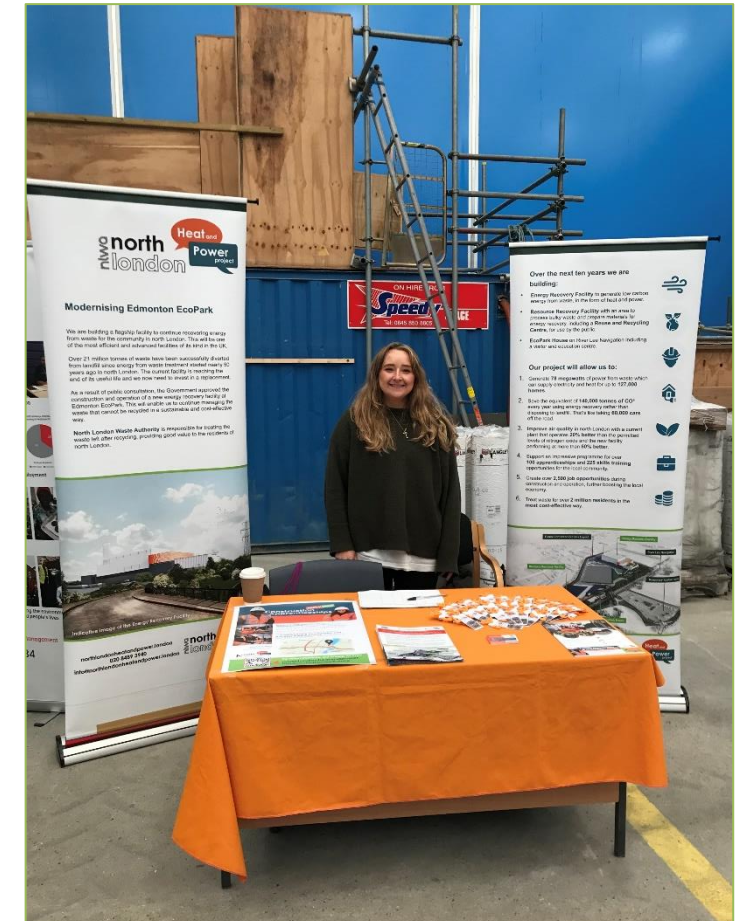
Apprenticeships



We advertise and promote opportunities in the local area, and work with local partners in Enfield, Haringey and Waltham Forest.



Apprenticeship advertising at Edmonton Green Overground Station



Apprenticeship promotion at Waltham Forest Careers Fair

Progress to date

- **108** on-site skills training placements completed out of a total target of 225
- Training placements are offered to unemployed residents & education leavers

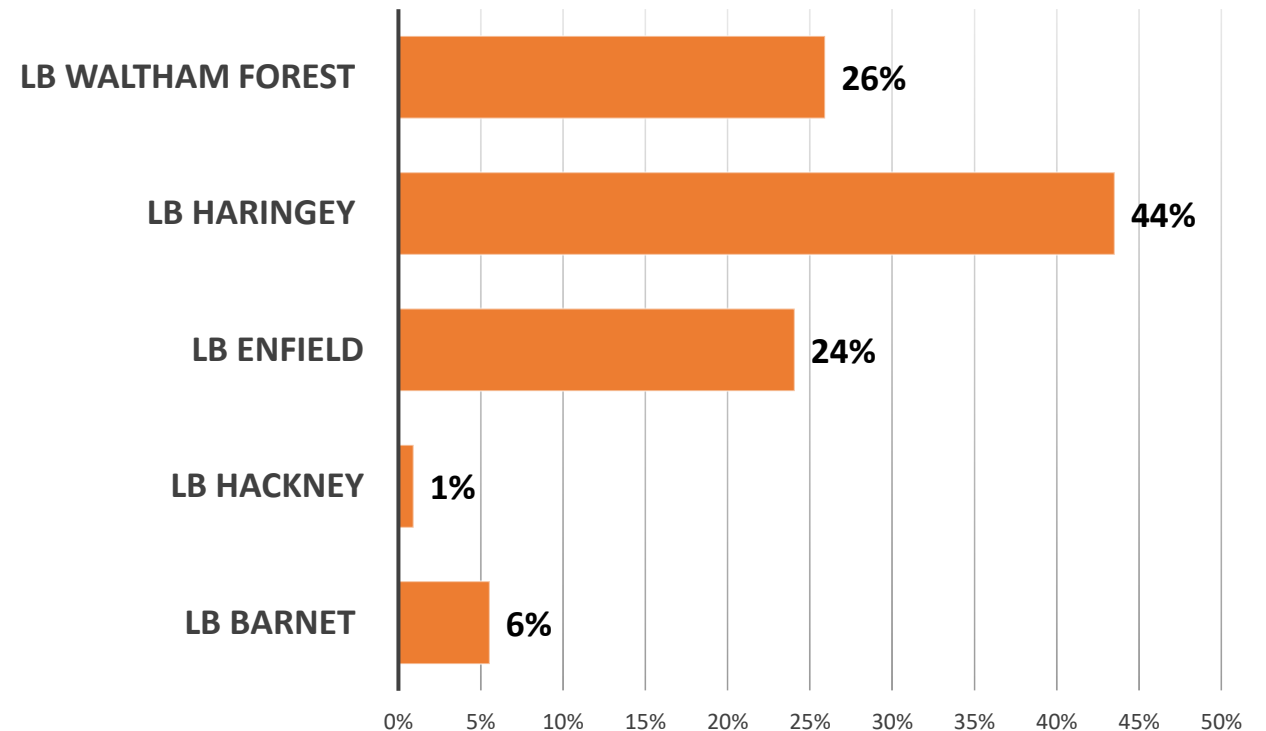


Trainees on site at EcoPark South

Diversity & Inclusion

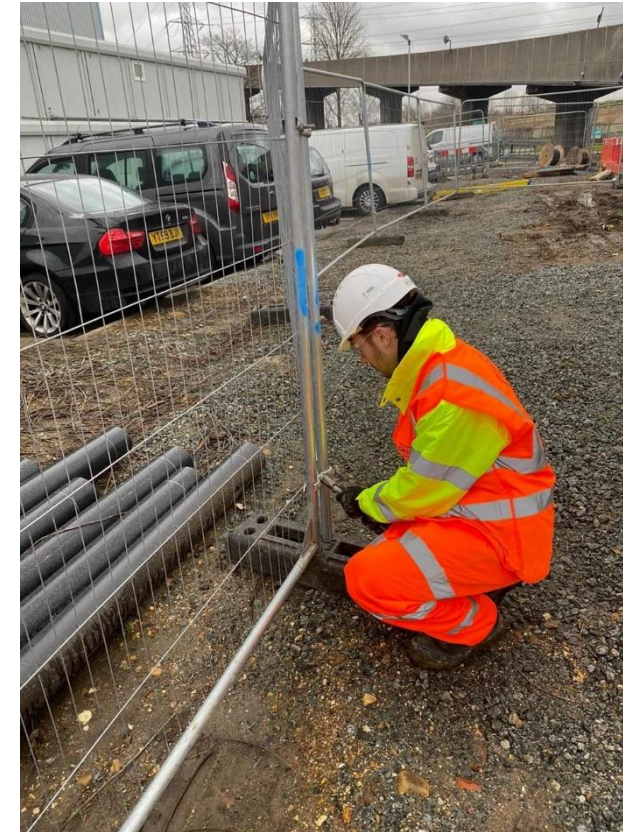
- **94%** of trainees are from Enfield, Haringey, and Waltham Forest
- **67%** of trainees are from BAME groups
- **10%** of trainees are female

Home Borough of Trainees



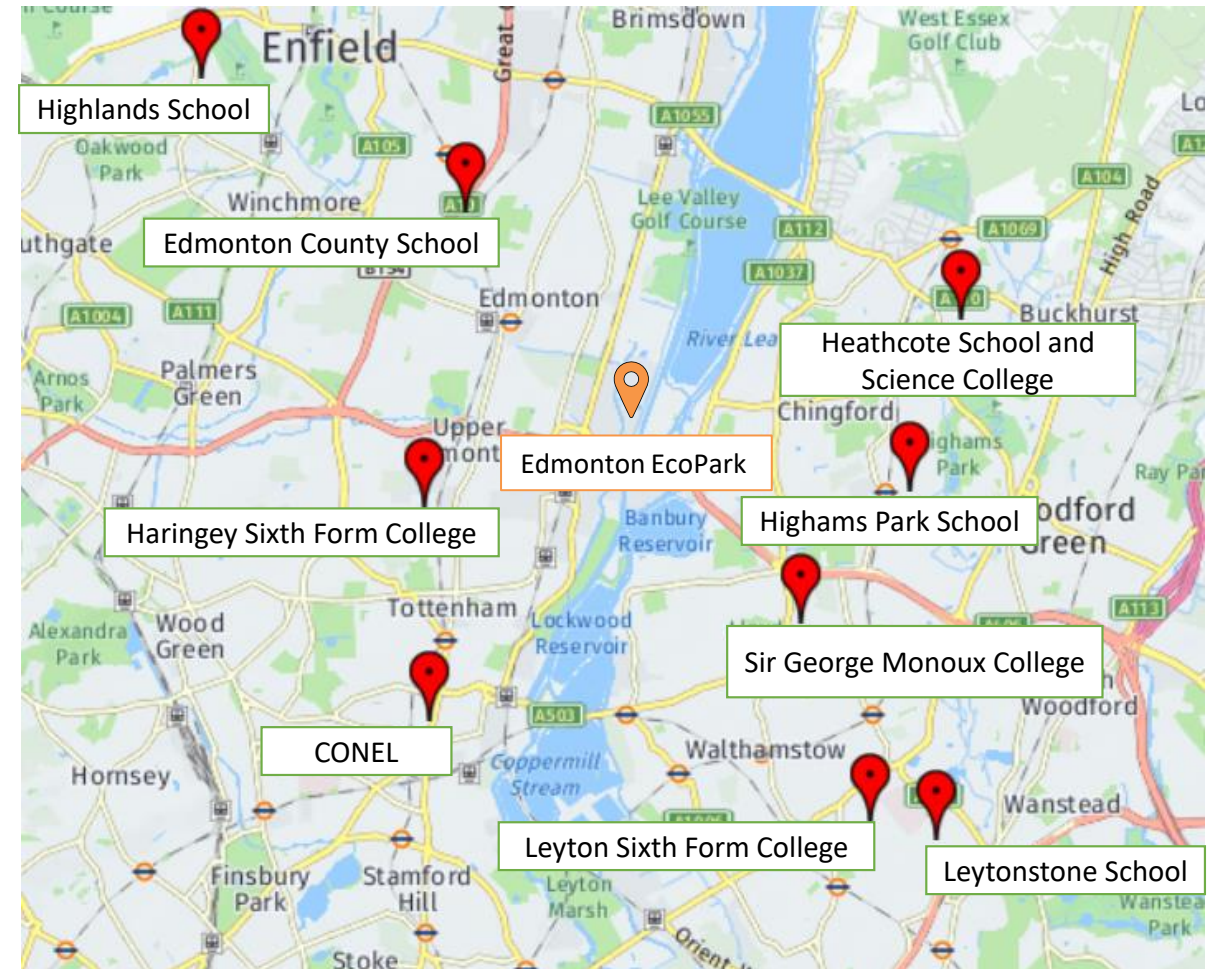
Trainee outcomes

- Supporting positive outcomes for trainees is a key priority for NLHPP
- **41%** of trainees secured employment since completing placements
- Trainees actively interviewed for new roles on the project, including current apprenticeship vacancies with Taylor Woodrow & sub-contractors



NLHPP trainees

- Over **430 students** engaged so far in delivery of **Schools Programme**.
- This includes **Careers talks** to local schools and colleges to showcase the range of careers in construction sector and promote apprenticeship & training placement opportunities.
- Sessions delivered by a range of professionals across NLHPP advisors & contractors **showcasing range of careers** and **presenting industry role models**.



Schools & colleges engaged in NLHPP Schools Programme to date



6. Taylor Woodrow's work in the community

Bukky Olose



Taylor Woodrow update – school engagement



- **Haringey Sixth Form College** - work experience week via Microsoft Teams:
 - 2 to 5 March 2021
- **Edmonton County School** - careers fair:
 - 6 July 2021
- **Heathcote School & Science College, Chingford** - visit to the EcoPark:
 - 24 November 2021
- **Industrial Gold Cadet, Edmonton County School** - 10 hours of mentoring and site visit:
 - November 2021 to April 2022
- **Haringey Sixth Form College** – National Apprenticeship Week:
 - 8 February 2022
- **Haringey Sixth Form College** – work experience:
 - 28 to 29 March 2022
- **Walthamstow School For Girls**, year 10 - work experience week:
 - 4 to 8 July 2022



Edmonton County School careers fair



Heathcote School & Science College site visit

Taylor Woodrow update - community engagement

Throughout 2021, Taylor Woodrow raised £10,000 for charity. It was split between local charities including:

- **my AFK**, the project's chosen charity which helps disabled children and young people live independent and fulfilling lives
- **North Enfield Foodbank**
- **All People, All Places**, which provides accommodation and support to people facing homelessness in the Haringey and Enfield area



Taylor Woodrow apprentices receiving the baton at Alexandra Palace in a 119k relay



Taylor Woodrow team donating over 100 presents to the Salvation Army's Christmas appeal

Taylor Woodrow update- apprenticeships

Our Apprentices are here to introduce themselves
and walk us around the site so-far



Taylor Woodrow update- apprenticeships



*Cameron Flanagan NCE Apprentice of
the Year 2021*



Cohort 10 – Learners from Enfield and Haringey



Taylor Woodrow update – local business spend



- Local spend with:
 - Large Medium Enterprises
 - Small Medium Enterprises
 - Voluntary, Community, Social Enterprises
- Meet the Buyer event

Meet the Buyer Event Question from Suppliers

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Request control

Build on trust

EcoPark South Project

The overall NLHPP Programme is to replace the existing Energy from Waste facility at Edmonton EcoPark, which is expected to cease operations around 2025, with a new and more efficient Energy Recovery Facility (ERF) which would produce energy from residual waste.

- Demolition of existing buildings and structures, and site preparation works.
- Construction of Recycling & Fuel Preparation Facility, the Re-use & Recycling Centre, and a two-storey building (EcoPark House).
- External works including roads, access points, landscaping, and utilities.



Participants

Invite someone or dial a number

Share invite

josie (Guest)

Leete, Glenn

Pate, Steve

Peter Woodward
External

Ramana, Parveer
Organiser

Sara Calvo
External

Scott Grainger
External

Youth Coach Liz Sorton (Guest)

Ramana, Parveer

Leete, Glenn

Brenner, Gary

Ramana, Parveer



7. Community engagement update

Trudi Axtens

- **9 roadshows held in 2021** across Enfield, Hackney, Haringey and Waltham Forest
- Key topics discussed:
 - Apprenticeships and training opportunities
 - Community engagement
 - Construction progress and timeline
 - School engagement
 - ERF technology
 - Environmental credentials



NLHPP apprentice Hakeem Badmus at a roadshow in Edmonton Green Shopping Centre

- Our last newsletter was issued in December 2021
- We updated the newsletter in line with your feedback at the last meeting
 - Did you receive it?
 - Did you find the information relevant?
- Is there anything specific you would like to see in the next newsletter in March 2022?

Redeveloping Edmonton EcoPark

December 2021

north london **Heat and Power project**

Indicative image of Edmonton EcoPark

A green solution for north London's rubbish

- Lower carbon emissions
- Electricity
- Heat and hot water
- Cleaner air
- More recycling
- Jobs and apprenticeships

Welcome to our December 2021 community newsletter with the latest updates about the redevelopment at Edmonton EcoPark.

North London Waste Authority manages about a quarter of all the rubbish and recycling in London. The best thing we can all do for the environment is produce less rubbish and recycle more, but even after north London achieves higher recycling rates, there will always be rubbish left over that can't be recycled.

There are lots of ways to deal with un-recyclable rubbish. The most environmentally damaging option is sending it to landfill. However, the best option for the environment is to use it to generate heat and electricity. For the last 50 years at the EcoPark, we've been using this rubbish to generate electricity.

We're now redeveloping Edmonton EcoPark with the UK's greenest Energy Recovery Facility to stop rubbish being sent to landfill, and instead use it to generate heating, hot water and electricity for thousands of local homes.

In 2019, we started building brand new recycling facilities and we're making great progress. This includes:

- **A Resource Recovery Facility**, where recycling will be sent to be sorted and prepared for either reuse or further treatment in the Energy Recovery Facility;
- **A public Reuse and Recycling Centre**, where north London residents can bring their household recycling, and;
- **EcoPark House**, a visitor and education centre for the local community.

Construction progress of the Resource Recovery Facility

Find out about the latest project news and updates on our website northlondonheatandpower.london/project and social media:

[@NLHPP](#)

[North London Heat and Power Project](#)

Redeveloping Edmonton EcoPark

December 2021

Apprenticeships and training

We're creating **apprenticeships** in construction, engineering, quantity surveying, maintenance and business administration as well as **on-site training placements** for trainees to learn essential skills on a live construction project.

Find out more about our apprenticeships or training placements, including how to apply: northlondonheatandpower.london/buildyourfuture

Your questions answered

We have summarised some of the most common questions we receive about the project here. Find a full list at northlondonheatandpower.london/faqs

- Will the EcoPark impact air quality and public health?**
 - Protecting public health is a key priority as we redevelop the EcoPark. The new Energy Recovery Facility will use the best available technology to capture and control emissions making our facility one of the safest and cleanest in the world.
 - By capturing and cleaning the emissions, it will be mainly water vapour that is released from the chimney stack which will have an extremely small contribution to local emissions.
- Will the new EcoPark support increased recycling?**
 - It absolutely will. We're building brand new recycling facilities to support the Mayor of London's target to reach 50% household recycling by 2030.
 - Even after London achieves higher recycling rates, there will always be rubbish left over that can't be recycled and we're building the greenest solution for managing the left over waste.
- Have any alternatives been considered?**
 - Yes, but the new Energy Recovery Facility is the only proven and reliable solution for managing rubbish on the scale needed in north London.
 - If we do not replace the current facility, up to 700,000 tonnes of un-recyclable rubbish could be buried in the ground every year.
- How will the new EcoPark help tackle the Climate Emergency?**
 - The new EcoPark will stop rubbish being sent to landfill. Landfill is the worst option for the environment as it creates methane and carbon dioxide which are the strongest greenhouse gases. We'll be saving as much carbon as taking 110,000 cars off the road each year.
 - The new facility will use rubbish that can't be recycled to generate heating for local homes which means no gas boilers for residents served by the EcoPark.

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BARNET **Camden** **ENFIELD** **Hackney** **Haringey** **ISLINGTON** **Waltham Forest**

- The purpose of the CLG is to:
 - **Maintain communication** between NLWA and representatives of the community and key stakeholders.
 - **Discuss upcoming activities**, including any significant changes in the proposed future activities or operations.
 - **Identify any related concerns or questions** that the community have and provide a channel to address them.
- Are there any other groups local to the site that you think should be represented?
- In the coming months we will be contacting local groups to present the project and answer questions they may have. Are there any groups that you are aware of that you think we should consider meeting? Are there any community events we should attend?



8. Community feedback from CLG members

James Sachon

- Following your feedback, we advertised apprenticeship opportunities in local train stations, libraries and in bus shelters.
- Are there any other locations you would suggest to reach the local community?



Apprenticeship poster displayed on buses in north London



Apprenticeship poster in Edmonton Green Train Station

Your feedback

- You've heard today about the social value activities we carry out in the local community. Do you have any other suggestions on how we can engage with the local community?
- The ERF contractor is committed to providing over 9,000 volunteering hours in the local community. Are you aware of any community projects they can support?



9. Questions