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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 23/24-057, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

Name of Local Waste Authority:
[East Cambs District Council](#)

What materials does your authority collect for recycling?

[At the kerbside: Plastics \(bottles, tubs and trays\), Cardboard/paper, metal \(foil, tins and cans\), Glass \(bottles and jars\). Other: textiles at bring sites.](#)

If you do not collect one or more of the above materials for recycling, could you please explain why?
[Soft plastics are not part of the current contract with our Materials Recycling Facility](#)

If you do not offer recycling for certain materials would this, be possible in the future at this authority?
[The contract with the MRF is currently being reviewed and options will be considered.](#)

How important is recycling in review to the Authorities Sustainability Development Goals?

[The Council has a Climate Change Action Plan which can be found here:](#)

<https://www.eastcambs.gov.uk/climate-change/what-are-we-going-do>

[The targets and performance of the Waste and Recycling Service can be found on page 15 here:](#)

<https://www.eastcambs.gov.uk/sites/default/files/agendas/3%20-%20Item%207%20ECSS%20Business%20Plan%20App%201.pdf>

What Sustainability Development goals do the Authority have in place?
[Please see above links.](#)

How will the Authority Reach these sustainability Development Goals?
[Each plan outlines the actions it will take to achieve the targets.](#)

Would you consider the cost of recycling facilities to play a big part in the availability?
[Information not held](#)

Would you consider that greater public awareness is needed for Recycling?
[As mentioned in the Business Plan, we have a programme of communication with residents with regards to increasing public awareness.](#)

Response:

Please see responses above in blue.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 23/24-057

If information has been refused please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.