

# REUSE AND RECYCLING CENTRE COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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## Chigwell Road Reuse and Recycling Centre

The civic amenity site at Chigwell Road, Woodford, is currently owned and operated by Redbridge Council. From Summer 2002, it will be operated by Shanks under an agreement with the Council – to provide a recovery and recycling facility for local residents. This agreement is part of a new approach to waste management for the East London Waste Authority area, which covers Barking & Dagenham, Havering, Newham and Redbridge.

Shanks is planning a number of improvements to the facility and has submitted a planning application to Redbridge Council.

To promote participation in recycling the facility will be renamed a 'Reuse and Recycling Centre'.

In the future, residents will be able to bring the following materials to the Centre for recycling:

- Paper & cardboard
- Rubble
- Timber



- Glass
- Plastics
- Scrap metal
- Textiles
- Batteries
- Oil
- Fridges / white goods.

The improvements proposed will be undertaken in phases and every effort will be made to keep the Centre open during redevelopment. All work will be completed by Spring 2003.

The Chigwell Road site is in the Green Belt and the new facility has been designed to reduce the impact of the Centre on surrounding areas.

# What is proposed?

- Improved traffic management at the Centre, with more parking and unloading areas – to reduce queues on and off the site
- Better layout to speed up progress through the Centre
- A new weighbridge to improve the movement of traffic through the Centre
- Separate public and operations areas – to keep HGVs away from the public
- New, covered handling areas for waste – designed to minimise impact on surrounding areas
- New recycling bins to increase the separation of materials for recycling
- Collection of green waste for composting and the resale of compost
- New tipping areas for mixed waste to cope with demand at the busiest times
- More helpers at the Centre to assist local residents with sorting and unloading.

The improvements proposed will allow around 22,000 tonnes of rubbish to be collected each year – Shanks aims to recycle 50% of this - 10 times more than at present.

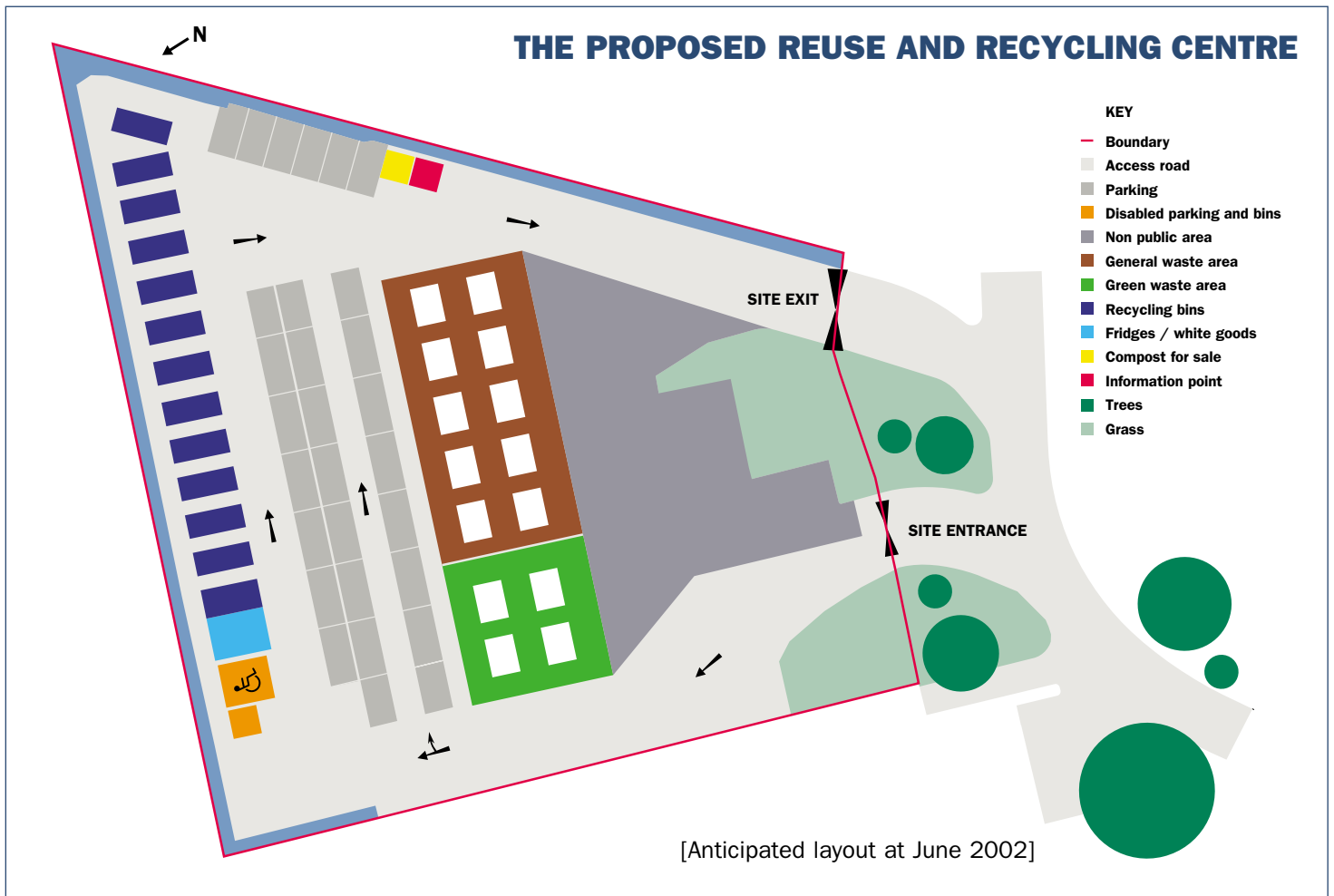
There are no plans to change the opening hours, which are:  
07.30 – 16.30 Monday to Friday  
08.00 – 16.00 Saturday  
08.00 – 16.00 Sunday (April – September)  
08.00 – 12.00 Sunday (October – March).

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# What effect will it have on the local area?

The site is already used for waste management and is in need of considerable investment. The improvements proposed by Shanks will allow the Centre to operate more efficiently and to promote more recycling. No change of use on the site is proposed.

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## How will it work?

### THROUGH ROUTE

All public visitors will follow a one way route through the Centre, with additional parking bays and queuing areas provided to reduce queuing on public roads. Roads through the Centre will be clearly marked to separate through routes from parking and unloading areas.

### NEW RECYCLING FACILITIES

A new, wider range of recycling bins will allow more materials to be separated for recycling. All will be clearly marked to ensure rubbish is correctly separated. New tipping areas under

one roof will help reduce noise and smells and stop litter from blowing off the site. A general tipping area for mixed rubbish will be provided to cope with demand at the busiest times.

### HELPERS AND SECURITY

The Centre will be fully staffed during opening hours. Employees, who will be available to help the public, will wear uniforms with name badges. CCTV cameras, fencing and improved lighting will be installed at the Centre to increase security.

# Key benefits

- Ability to increase recycling to 50% at the Centre
- £500,000 investment in an improved facility
- New jobs created at the Centre
- Reduced traffic queuing
- Covered tipping and handling areas
- New low level bins for mobility impaired and older residents
- More bins to increase recycling and a separate mixed rubbish tipping area for use at the busiest times and for unsorted rubbish
- More help for local people using the Centre.

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9.00am - 5.00pm



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