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DRAFT NATIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR A CIRCULAR ECONOMY



REGIONAL
WASTE
MANAGEMENT
PLANNING OFFICES



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A Waste Action Plan for a Circular Economy

Ireland's National Waste
Management Plan
2020-2025

- Working with the Regional Waste Management Planning Offices and the City and County Management Association we will replace the existing Regional Waste Management Plans with a National Waste Management Plan for a Circular Economy containing targets for:
 - Reuse
 - Repair
 - Resource consumption
 - Reducing contamination levels



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Major Changes



**DRAFT NATIONAL WASTE
MANAGEMENT PLAN**
FOR A CIRCULAR ECONOMY



- **Single National Plan**

- **Circularity**

- **Collaboration**

Oversight



Cumann Lucht Bainistíochta Contae agus Cathrach
County and City Management Association

National Oversight Group

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PLAN AMBITION



**TOTAL WASTE
GROWTH PER
PERSON**

By:

Maintaining

Waste management and behavioural advances

Accelerating

The transition to a circular economy

Influencing

Sustainable consumption

Improving

The capture of all resources

Optimising

Circularity

Enabling

Compliance with policy and legislation



TARGETS

1%
Reduction/
person/year

Target 1A
Residual Municipal Waste

Waste destined for landfill or recovery by thermal treatment

2%
Reduction/year

Target 1B
Construction Materials

Construction and Demolition Waste generated

90%
90% of material in
compliance

Target 2
Contamination of Materials

Contamination of recycling and food waste with other materials

10kg
Per person/year

Target 3A
Reuse of Materials

Reuse of materials like clothes or furniture to prevent waste

10
Sites for
Reuse (min)

Target 3B
Reuse Facilities

Provide for reuse at 10 Civic Amenity Sites, minimum

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Collection
Schemes

Target 4
Repair of Materials

(Develop a roadmap for a Repair Target and Provide 1 collection scheme for repairable materials in each region and align with repair practitioners).
This target will also consider a roadmap for remanufacturing



CORE POLICIES

1 Protection of the Environment

2 Climate Action

3 Policy and Legislation

4 Collaboration

5 Changing Behaviours

6 Organisational Structures

7 Innovation

8 Monitoring

9 National Development Plan

10 Green Public Procurement

11 Data Quality

12 Nationally Important Infrastructure

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FOCUS AREA GROUPS

OPERATIONAL

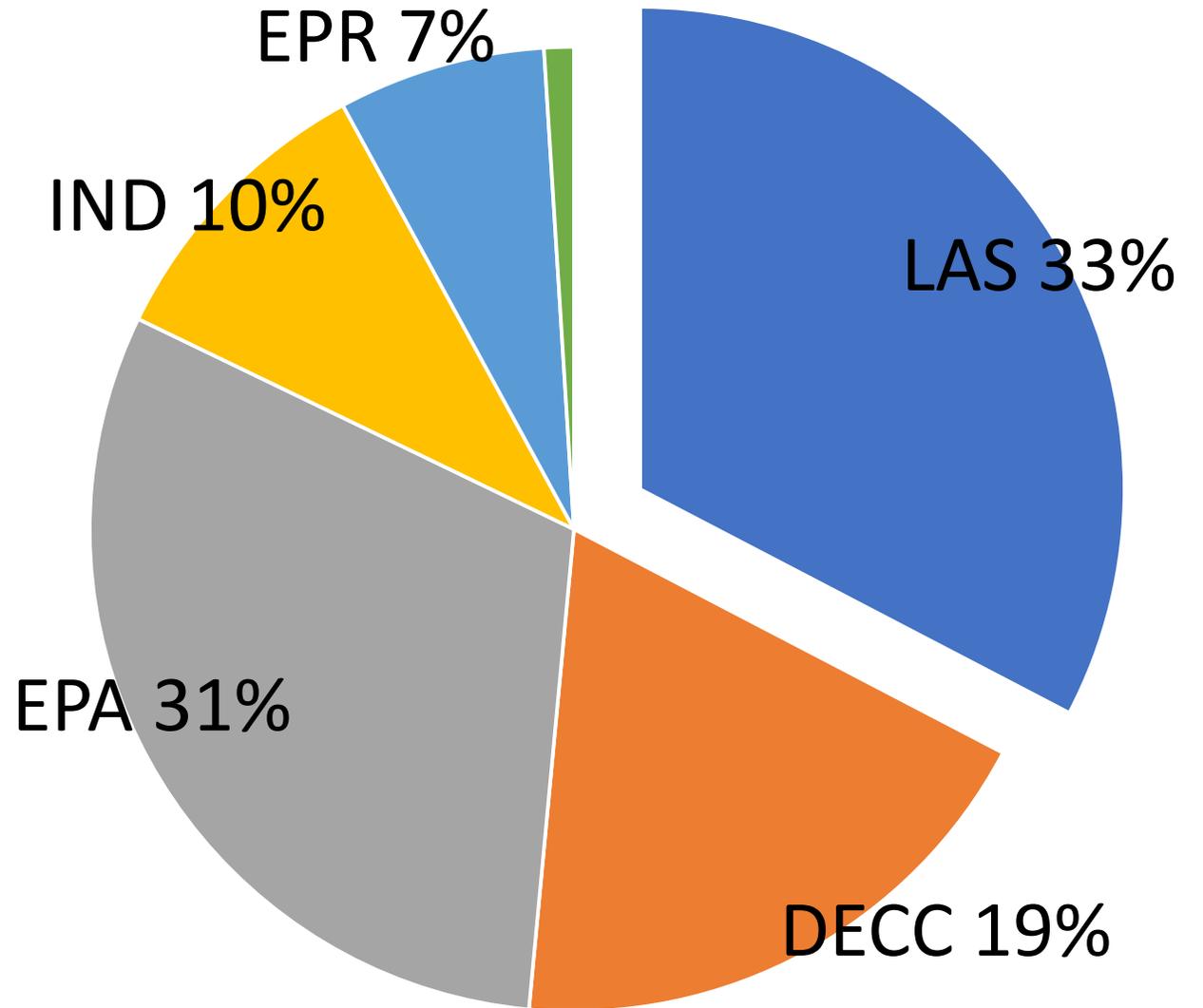
**MATERIAL
STREAMS**

INFRASTRUCTURE

Focus Area Fact Sheets

FOCUS AREA 1	MUNICIPAL COMMERCIAL WASTE
Purpose	What is it?
Promote prevention and better segregation of commercial waste.	Municipal commercial waste is mixed waste which is similar in nature and composition to waste from households and includes food waste.
Targeted Policies	Priority Actions (Responsibility)
TP1.1	PA1.1 (LAS)
Identify and promote new means, methods and key drivers of sustainable consumption practices to reduce waste generation.	Develop and deliver targeted awareness campaigns and projects to improve behaviours on prevention, reuse and repair in non household settings.
TP1.2	PA1.2 (LAS)
Ensure that all non-household municipal waste settings adopt best practice on waste segregation and are serviced with a segregated waste collection system to maximise the quantity and quality of materials collected.	Enhance the capture of data from waste collectors for non-household settings through the National Waste Collection Permit Office.
TP1.3	PA1.3 (LAS/Ind.)
Strengthen the monitoring and accurate measurement of non-household municipal waste flows.	Investigate the potential for a sustainable waste management assurance scheme for business consistent with the transition to a circular economy.
TP1.4	PA1.4 (LAS)
Implement appropriate engagement and /or enforcement measures in response to non-compliances identified.	Engage with businesses through local authority structures to promote consistent practices with regard to the management of commercial waste using measures including the MyWaste.ie business tools.
TP1.5	PA1.5 (LAS)
Promote the consistent application of an appropriate incentivised charging system for non-household municipal waste, through awareness and enforcement.	Ensure the consistent and targeted application of waste storage and presentation bye-laws to improve participation and segregation practices and incorporate into the RMCEI process.

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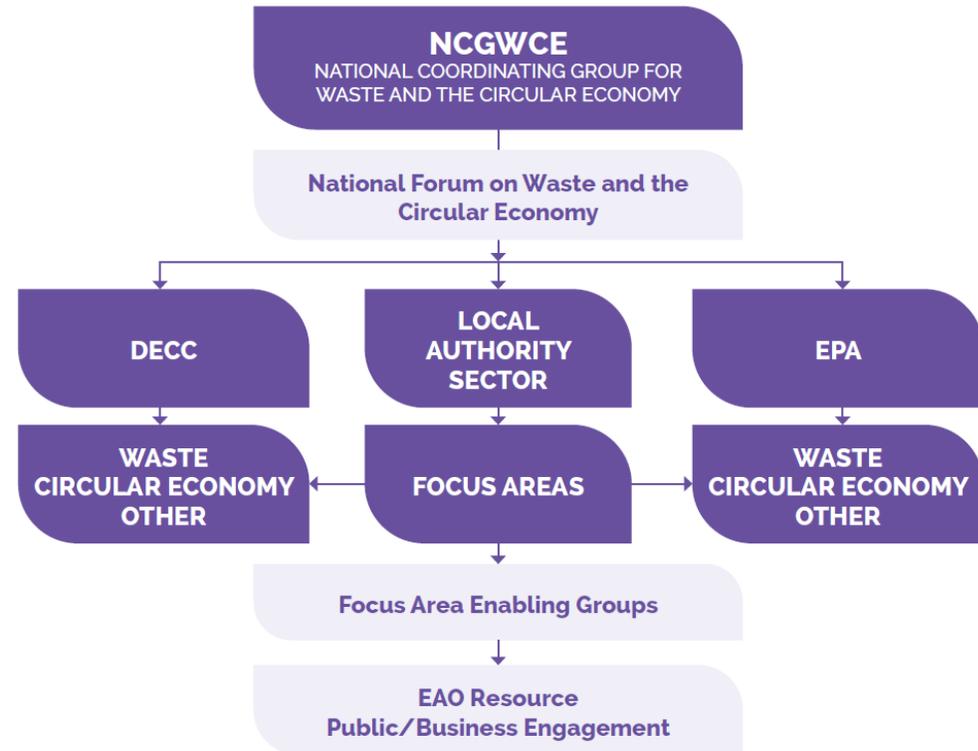
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KEY DELIVERABLE 25

National Coordinating Group for Waste and the Circular Economy

DECC, LAS and EPA will collectively establish the NCGWCE to agree and align work plans, priorities, and supports to maintain the continuity of activities and accelerate the transition to a circular economy.



<p>KEY DELIVERABLE 35 Communications Strategy - Implementation</p> <p>It is anticipated that an additional €1M will be required annually from government to implement the Circular Economy Communications</p>
<p>KEY DELIVERABLE 36 Regional Circularity Resource</p> <p>The LAS will facilitate the provision of a regional circularity resource/s to coordinate the implementation</p>
<p>KEY DELIVERABLE 37 Local Circularity Resources</p> <p>The LAS will facilitate the provision of local circularity resource/s to enhance circularity assessment</p>
<p>KEY DELIVERABLE 38 Regulation</p> <p>Additional Investment in the NWCPO will be required from government to deliver incentivised charging for</p>
<p>KEY DELIVERABLE 39 Public Investment</p> <p>The LAS is committed to facilitating reuse and circularity through the CA site network however significant support will be required from government to achieve this outcome.</p>



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DRAFT PLAN CONSULTATION PROCESS

The Statutory Consultation Phase will run from

Wednesday the 3rd of May 2023 until **4pm on Wednesday the 5th July**.

The consultation phase will be supported by a communications campaign including press release, press advert, radio and social/digital. All information, including how to make a submission will be available on mywaste.ie.