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Dear Town and Parish Councillors

## WASTE STRATEGY CONSULTATION

I am writing to you on behalf of the Lincolnshire Waste Partnership (LWP). As you may be aware, the LWP brings together the various bodies responsible for the collection and disposal of Lincolnshire's household waste.

In order to effectively coordinate our various responsibilities, the LWP have a Joint Municipal Waste Management Strategy (JMWMS) which sets out how we will work together. The LWP's previous JMWMS was adopted in 2008, so a new one is now being developed. We have produced a draft Strategy, and would now like to know what others think of it, so a period of public consultation will run from 4<sup>th</sup> April to 2<sup>nd</sup> July. As bodies representing communities across the county, we are particularly keen to hear the views of Town and Parish Councils, hence this letter.

The draft JMWMS includes a shared vision: **"To seek the best environmental option to provide innovative, customer-friendly waste management solutions that give value for money to Lincolnshire"**. In line with this, we are keen to minimise the quantity of paper documents printed and then disposed of as part of this consultation process, so we have set up a dedicated web-page (see <https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/recycle-for-lincolnshire/waste-strategy-for-lincolnshire/>) and would encourage you to read the documents online, and to use the link from there to our electronic response form. However, for those who prefer to print paper copies, you can do this through the web page, and attached is a brief summary of the JMWMS (the full document is around 60 pages long) – This includes other ways in which one can participate in the consultation.

We can also send out paper copies of any of the related documents on request – our contact details are in the summary document – but please help us with our environmental aims by only requesting these where absolutely necessary.

Yours faithfully



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On behalf of the Lincolnshire Waste Partnership

