

Rugby Borough Council

Withdrawal of Recycling “Bring Sites”

Rugby Borough Council has decided to remove the recycling bring sites throughout the Borough. This includes the one located at the Bulls Head Wolvey which will be removed during September 2013.

This will mean that certain items such as large items, small electrical items and clothing will need to be taken to a suitable collection site , such as the household recycling centre at Hunters Lane, Rugby,CV21 1EA

This decision was made for various reasons, including the implementation of the kerbside collections (3 bins system) in 2009. All residents now have the opportunity to recycle a wide range of materials conveniently from the kerbside. As a result, the tonnage of materials collected from the recycling bring sites has reduced to the point that it is no longer viable to continue to provide this service.

There has also been a marked increase in the amount of fly tipping and an increase of commercial uses associated with the bring sites. This has led to higher contamination levels at the sorting facility where the material is sent.

The resource (crew & vehicle) currently used to make collections from the recycling centres is to be diverted to assist kerbside collection crews which are at full capacity.