



Tuakau Bollard Road Resource Recovery Centre



Overview

Introductions – Jacob Quinn

Project Overview - Jacob Quinn

Strategic Context – Rowan Latham

Design Approach – Rowan Latham

Progress to date – Bryan Duncan

Design Options – Rowan Latham

Questions

Stakeholder Engagement – Jacob Quinn

Next steps – Bryan Duncan

Key Dates

Dates

12 April 2023

19 April 2023

4 May 2023 (AM)

4 May 2023 (PM)

16 June 2023

Milestone

10% Concept Designs (Draft Options Report)

Council Workshop

Mana whenua Design hui

Stakeholder Workshop

Finalised design/reporting and Rough order Physical works estimate

Design Context

- Transfer Station and Resource Recovery Centre
- 128 Bollard road, Tuakau
- 4.3 hectare site
- Rapidly growing population
- Need for safe and accessible facilities
- Increasing drivers for diversion from landfill
- Focus on Circular Economy, including local opportunities
- Funding for capital infrastructure
- Future Ready



Strategic Context

Drivers	
WDC Waste Management and Minimisation Plan (2018)	10% reduction in Waste per capita (i.e. <675kg/person/annum)
Waste Minimisation (information requirements) Regulations (2021)	Requires reporting of all tonnages including diverted materials
NZ Emissions Reduction Plan (2022)	Support the development of a Circular Economy Achieve a 40% reduction in Biogenic methane by 2035
NZ Waste Strategy (March 2023)	Minimum targets for diversion from landfill Standardised collection of recycling including Glass and Food Waste by 2027
WDC Audit of Kerbside Rubbish in Waikato District (March 2023)	58.8% of Tuakau's Kerbside waste (refuse) potentially recoverable
Waikato and Bay of Plenty Region Waste and Recycling Stocktake (2021)	38.6% of General Waste (refuse) dropped off at landfill potentially recoverable

Key objectives

Best Practice:

1. Maximise diversion from landfill and the value of recovered materials.
2. Meets community expectations and is easy to use.
3. Maintain continuous drive-in/drive-out approach with recycling drop-off before landfill.
4. Ensure recoverable materials have end markets (support circular economy).
5. Comply with local, state and federal regulations, legislation, guidelines and infrastructure plans.
6. Optimize traffic flow to separate drop-off vehicles from collection vehicles.
7. Environmentally and operationally safe.
8. Economically sustainable (energy and water efficient).
9. Utilise technology, equipment and advanced systems to improve operational efficiency of the site.
10. Future ready – capacity to grow over time and adapt to changes in industry

Best Practice Design

Resource Recovery Centres



A Front End **Free** drop off

- Drive through drop off
- Safe and dry storage of materials
- Resale shop connected to Front End

B **Weighbridge**

- Dual lane weighbridge
- Number plate recognition
- By pass lane

C C&D / Green Waste **Paid** drop off

- Stockpile pens for concrete, soil, rubble,
- Garden waste storage and shredding

D Residual Waste – **Paid** drop off

- Flat floor push pit
- Commercial collection separate form domestic drop off

Site Constraints

Site access

Location of electrical transformer has informed the proposed site entrance location. Note that option 3 includes an access design which relies on shifting this transformer. The costs of moving the transformer will be considered in the recommendations section.

Gas line

The site is crossed by an underground gas line, with an easement and building restrictions associated with this critical infrastructure. The design brief allows for the construction of a road(s) across the gas line, however, all site structures have been set-back from the defined exclusion zone.

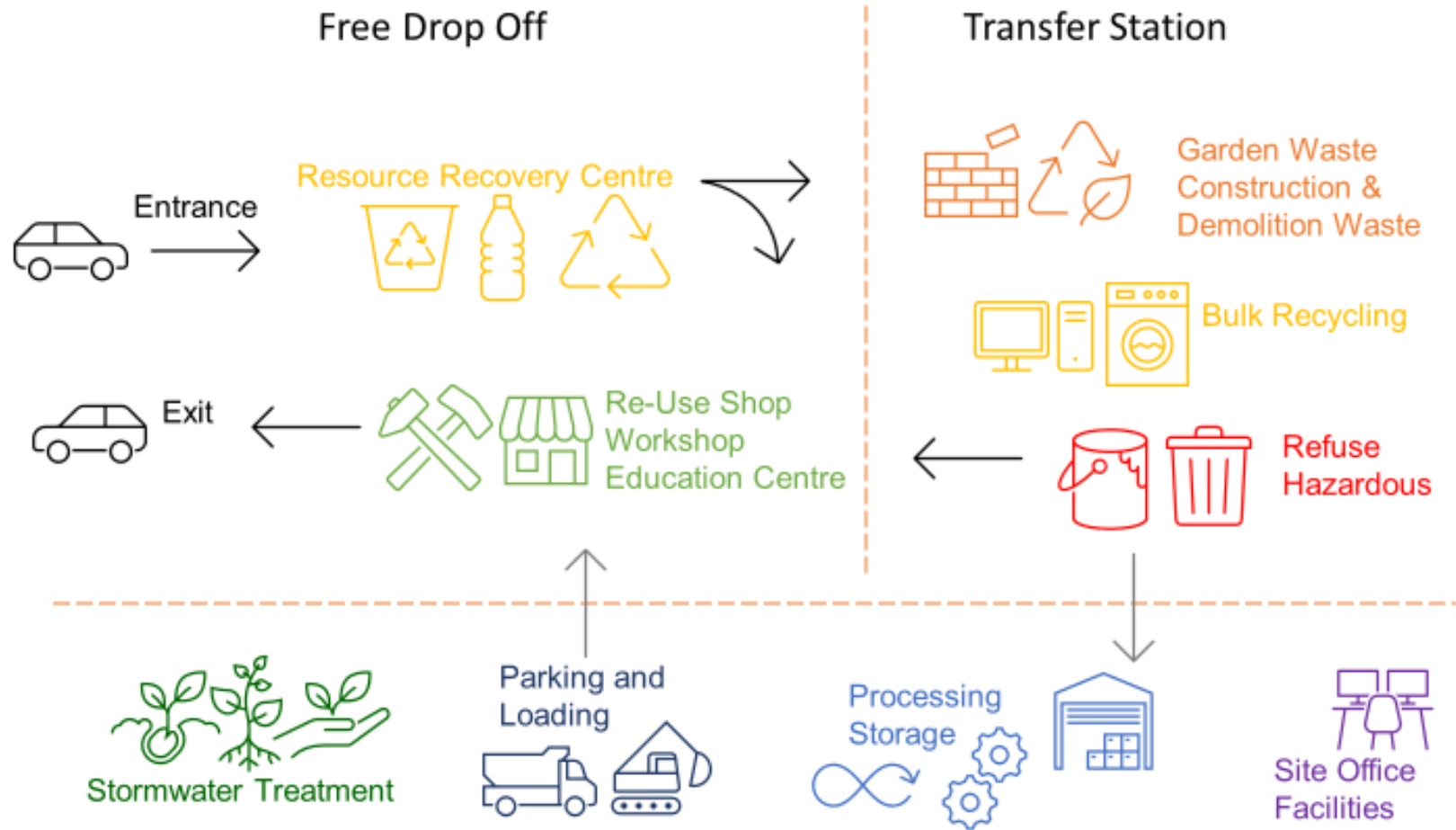
Animal Shelter

A separate project to develop an animal management area and shelter have been included at the rear of the site. In Option 3 an alternative location for the facility has been included.

Hazardous activities setbacks

Consideration of neighbouring facilities and any setbacks required.

Design Overview



Design Elements

Resource Recovery Centre (Front End, **Free** drop off)

- Free drop-off area to be established prior to paid drop-off (post weighbridge).
- Hardstand for recycling containers.
- Covered unloading area (optional).
- Covered drop-off for reusable materials.
- Vehicle movement and staff loading operations area.
- Operational access including loadout.
- Provision of suitable parking and public drop-off facilities, including allowance for new materials as required.

Transfer Station (Post Weighbridge, **paid** drop off)

- Public weighbridge and kiosk.
- Separate operational access and weighbridge (optional).
- Recoverable materials drop-off (garden organics, C&D).
- Bulky recycling and Hazardous substance management.
- Refuse Transfer Station building.
- Staff and truck parking.
- Operational storage and processing spaces.
- Stormwater management area.

Design Elements (cont.)


Resource Recovery Hub

- Reuse shop.
- Education Centre.
- Makers space (salvage workshop).
- Dedicated car park for the Resource Recovery Hub/Education Centre.
- Landscaping including a possible garden demonstration site (vegetable garden, fruit trees, worm farms etc.).
- Fenced operational area (linked to operational area).
- Allows for future development as required (future proofing the site).

Traffic Circulation

- One way separated traffic circulation for public drop-off facilities.
- Separation of public and commercial/operational flows to minimise risk to users.
- Public drop-off areas throughout site to meet all user vehicle types (car, car and trailer, vans, light commercial vehicles).
- Commercial and operational drop-off areas to accommodate commercial waste collection vehicles (Skip and Gantry trucks, Hook lift trucks, Front load trucks, Kerbside collection vehicles, flat deck and light commercial vehicles).
- Early exit/change of mind points, and bypass lanes to be considered at appropriate locations throughout the facility.
- Potential to include separate weighbridge for Operations access.

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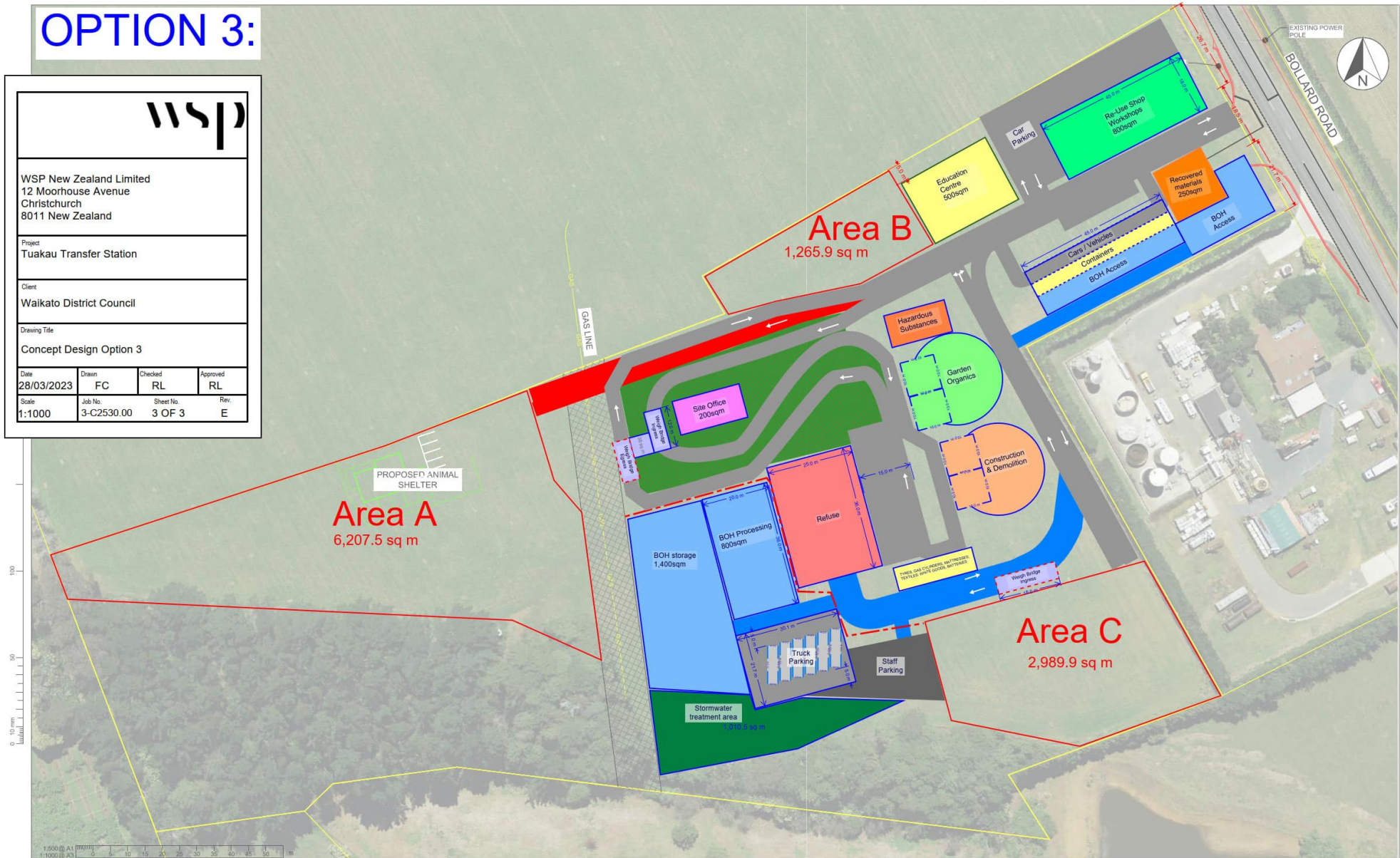
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Facility Examples

Resource Recovery Centre

Drive through facilities:

- One way traffic flow
- Highly visible signage and pedestrian areas
- Dedicated drop-off for free recyclables
- Parking bays for cars with trailers
- Covered parking and unloading areas



Facility Examples

Transfer Stations

Flat Floor facilities

- Separate Commercial/Operational and Public Traffic
- Improved Health and Safety outcomes
- Increased opportunities to recover materials



Split Level facilities

- Separate Commercial/Operational and Public Traffic
- Utilise site topography
- Operational/handling efficiencies



Facility Examples

Resource Recovery



Re-use Shop



Repair Cafe



Micro industries



Employment and Training



Tool Library



Speciality Recycling

Any Questions?

Stakeholder Engagement

Design Hui with mana whenua	Stakeholder workshop
4 May - morning	4 May - afternoon
<p>Stakeholder inputs are determined to be of high value to the project outcomes.</p> <p>Engagement (during this phase of the project) includes today's Council discussion, followed by two external workshops; a Design Hui with Mana whenua and an External Stakeholder Workshop, both held in Tuakau, where site configuration options will be presented, discussed and feedback recorded.</p>	

Any Questions?



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