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1. To improve the health and well-being of the population and reduce inequalities in health	+	Meeting waste capacity requirements will have a positive impact on health and well being	+	Provision of sufficient waste management capacity plays an important part in maintaining health and well-being	+	Sustainable design is likely to improve health and well being across the MKC area	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Waste management sites should be protected to ensure the health and well being of the population	+	Controlling waste management activities will have a beneficial impact on human health	+	Provisions of policy will have an indirect benefit on human health and well being	+	The control of vehicle movements will have a beneficial impact on human health	+	Effective restoration schemes are important to health and well being
2. To reduce crime and the fear of crime	+	Meeting waste management targets should help to minimise incidents of fly tipping	+	Provision of sufficient waste management capacity should help to reduce incidents of fly tipping	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Ensuring sufficient supply of waste management sites will potentially prevent fly tipping and other illegal activities	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
3. To reduce social exclusions and improve equality of opportunity amongst social groups	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Sustainable design could potentially reduce social exclusion by making waste facilities more accessible	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Waste Needs Statement could potentially include information on access to waste management facilities	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	?	It is unclear how the policy will effect social exclusion	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
4. To improve accessibility and transport links from residential areas to key services and employment areas	+	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Policy gives priority to waste management facilities in employment areas	+	Sustainable design should encourage accessibility to waste management facilities	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Policy states that proposals should be close to waste arisings. This should improve accessibility to facilities	+	Improved transportation will improve access to waste management facilities	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
5. To reduce air pollution and ensure air quality continues to improve	++	The reduction in landfill is likely to have a beneficial effect on air quality	++	Reduction in landfill and encouragement of composting as a means of waste disposal is likely to improve air quality	+	Sustainable design could reduce air pollution	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Effective control over waste management development is likely to benefit air quality	+	Energy efficient designs should help to improve air quality	+	Clear and consistent transport policies to control numbers of vehicles will have a beneficial impact on air quality	+	Effective restoration schemes are likely to have a beneficial effect on air quality
6. To reduce noise pollution	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Policy states that priority will be given to sites that are away from residential areas	+	Sustainable design could reduce noise pollution	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Development control criteria are unlikely to reduce noise pollution	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	The control of transportation movements associated with waste management is likely to reduce noise pollution	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
7. To reduce road traffic and congestion through a modal shift to more sustainable transport modes	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	?	Unclear how policy will relate to objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006)	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	?	Unclear if this policy would have a significant impact on sustainable transport	+	Proximity to waste arisings should contribute to a reduction in road traffic congestion	++	This policy will significantly reduce the amount of road traffic associated with waste management	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
8. To improve efficiency in land use through the re-use of previously developed land and existing buildings	+	Reduced reliance on landfill will improve efficiency of land use	++	Provision of a single site for waste management is likely to significantly improve overall efficiency of land use	+	Sustainable design could help to reduce noise pollution	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Policy will prevent inappropriate development on proposed waste management sites	+	Development control policies could improve efficiency of land use	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
9. To reduce waste arisings and increase reuse, recovery and recycling	++	Increased recycling targets will significantly reduce waste arisings	+	The policy is written against a background of reducing waste arisings and increasing reuse, recovery and recycling	+	Sustainable design could help to minimise waste arisings	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Safeguarding sites will prevent loss of waste management sites and allow waste minimisation activities to take place	+	Effective development control criteria are likely to reduce waste arisings	+	Energy efficient designs could help to reduce waste arisings	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
10. To protect local water resources and improve the quality of surface and groundwater	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	?	Unclear how the policy will affect local water resources	+	Sustainable design could help to protect water resources	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Policy is likely to minimise impact of waste management on ground water	+	Policy refers to the need to ensure that water efficient designs are used	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	++	Effective restoration schemes will have a directly beneficial effect on ground water resources
11. To reduce the risk of flooding	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	?	Unclear how policy will affect risk of flooding	+	Sustainable design could help to reduce potential risk of flooding	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised However, the site assessment criteria and methodology was assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Policy does not make specific reference to flooding	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	?	Policy does not make direct reference to flooding	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective

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12. To address the causes of climate change through reducing emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG)	++	Reduced reliance on landfill will have a beneficial impact on climate change by recudcing greenhouse gas emissions	+	Increase in reuse, recovery and recycling should have a positive impact on climate change	+	Sustainable design could promote energy efficient buildings and minimise the impact of development on climate change	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Energy efficient designs will help to minimise impacts on climate change	+	Control of waste related transport is likely to have a beneficial effect on climate change by minimising greenhouse gas emissions	?	Unclear of relationship between policy and objective
13. To increase energy efficiency and use of renewable energy sources	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	?	Unclear how policy will relate to objective	+	Sustainable design could promote energy efficient buildings and minimise the impact of development on climate change	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	?	Unclear if development control criteria will result in increased energy efficiency	++	The main purpose of the policy is to increase energy efficiency of buildings	+	A co-ordinated approach to transport is likely to result in improved energy efficiency	?	Unclear of relationship between policy and objective
14. To protect and enhance biodiversity and important wildlife habits	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Focus of waste management facilities will be on employment areas	~	Sustainable design is unlikely to have a significant impact on biodiversity	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Policy contains specific reference to biodiversity	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Effective restoration schemes can have a beneficial effect on ecology and wildlife
15. To protect, enhance and make accessible heritage assets and their settings	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Focus of waste management facilities will be on employment areas	~	Sustainable design is unlikely to have a significant beneficial impact on cultural heritage	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Development control criteria are likely to protect cultural heritage resources	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
16. To protect, manage and restore soil resources	+	Reduced reliance on landfill will have a beneficial impact on soil resources	+	Focus of waste management facilities will be on employment areas	+	Sustainable design should help to protect soil resources from waste management activities by encouraging, for example, on site re-use of soil material	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Development control criteria are likely to protect soil and other resources	+	The policy should have an indirect beneficial effect on soil resources	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Effective restoration will protect soil resources from contamination
17. To promote the protection and enhancement of the countryside and landscape character	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Focus of waste management facilities will be on employment areas	~	Sustainable design is unlikely to have a significant impact on landscape character	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Safeguarding will prevent inappropriate sites from being developed for waste management use	+	Policy makes specific reference to the protection of the historic environment	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Effective restoration schemes should protect landscape from degradation
18. To improve the vitality of towns and local centres and encourage urban renaissance	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	~	No direct relationship between objective and policy	+	Sustainable construction could help to improve visual appearance and the vitality and viability of towns	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Development control criteria will minimise the impact of waste management activities	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	+	Policy requires sites to be located in relation to rhe strategic road network. This should minimise the impact of waste management on town centres	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
19. To maintain a strong local economy	+	Effective waste management policies play an important part in maintaining the local economy	+	Effective waste management policies play an important part in maintaining local economy	?	Unclear to what extent sustainable construction will improve the local economy	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Safeguarding appropriate sites for waste management use will help to maintain a strong local economy	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective
20. To maintain high and stable levels of employment	+	Increased recycling could have a beneficial impact on local employment levels	+	Increased recycling could have a beneficial impact on local employment levels	?	Unclear to what extent sustainable construction will maintain high and stable levels of employment	N/A	Specific site allocation policies were not appraised. However, the site assessment criteria and methodology were assessed previously in the Sustainability Report (July 2006).	+	Safeguarding appropriate sites for waste management use will help to maintain a strong local economy	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective	~	No direct relationship between policy and objective