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## **QUESTIONS AT ANY TIME TO CABINET PORTFOLIO HOLDERS**

<b>Question From:</b>	County Councillor Gareth Ratcliffe
<b>Subject:</b>	Waste transfers centres vehicle access
<b>Question To:</b>	County Councillor Heulwen Hulme Portfolio Holder for Environment

### **Question:**

I have been contacted by a couple of residents raising concern and anger that they are unable to go to the waste recycling centre due to only having a small van as a personal vehicle. They were told they are not allowed due to it being a commercial vehicle even though it was just rubbish from their garden and some parts from their hobby that would not go in general waste.

This has been a problem since this scheme started and has been raised, I'm sure before.

As you know Powys has one of the lowest incomes in Wales and having 2 vehicles is a luxury not everyone can afford so it's reasonable to say some residents' only vehicles will be a commercial one. Will PCC look at this policy to help with recycling and not persecute residents who only have this form of transport?