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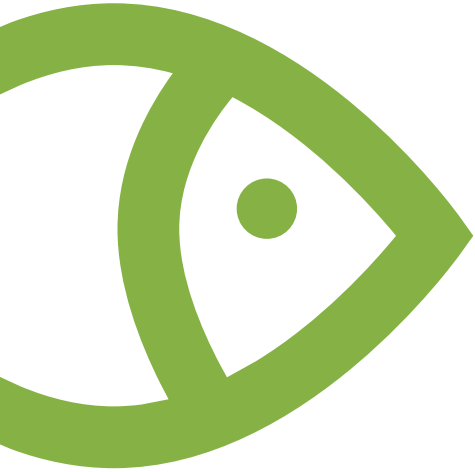
Together, we stand for a world beyond waste

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Looking Back to Look Forward

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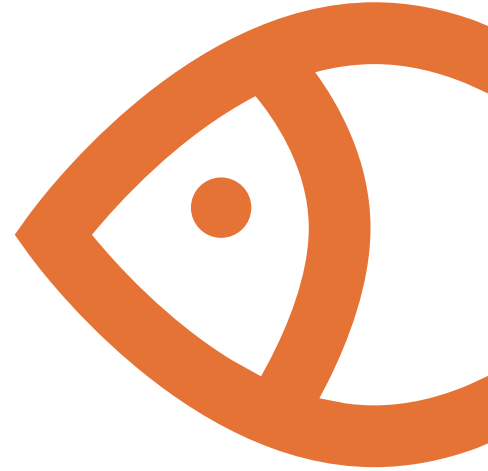
Overview



- Where we have come from
- Current Situation
- What we need
- Where we hope to get to

Lee Marshall – A Rubbish Journey

- Degree in Env Technology – dilute and disperse landfills
- Environmental Protection Act 1990
- Recycling Officer – 5% recycling rate, target 25%
- Bring banks, kerbside
- Recycling Plans – funds – Recycling Credits – Landfill Tax – PR (no E)
- AUSTERITY
- Wales – 35% recycling rate, target 70%
- Kerbside sort, Food waste, fortnightly residual (3 weekly)
- Collections blueprint, fines, funding, CCP
- Landfill – EfW, AD – Carbon emissions lowered
- Climate emergency – circular economy



Current Situation

- 2018 – Resources and Waste Strategy
- 2019 – Consultations, Consistency, DRS, pEPR, Plastics Tax
- 2021 – Consultations round 2
- 2021 – Environment Act
- 2022 – pEPR Responses

WAITING – BUFFERING – STILL WAITING

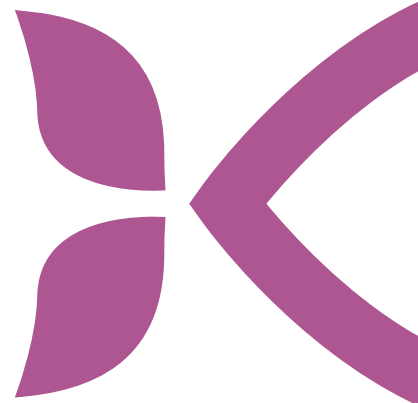
- Consistency, DRS
- WEEE Regulations
- tEPR
- End of waste
- Statutory guidance on collections



What we need

“An ounce of action is worth a tonne of theory” - Ralph Waldo Emerson

- Need movement on Resources and Waste Strategy
- Need better data – No not talking about WDF!
- Funds
- Engagement with whole of Government
- Hold firm on producer responsibility
- New skills – new people
- Rethink how we define waste



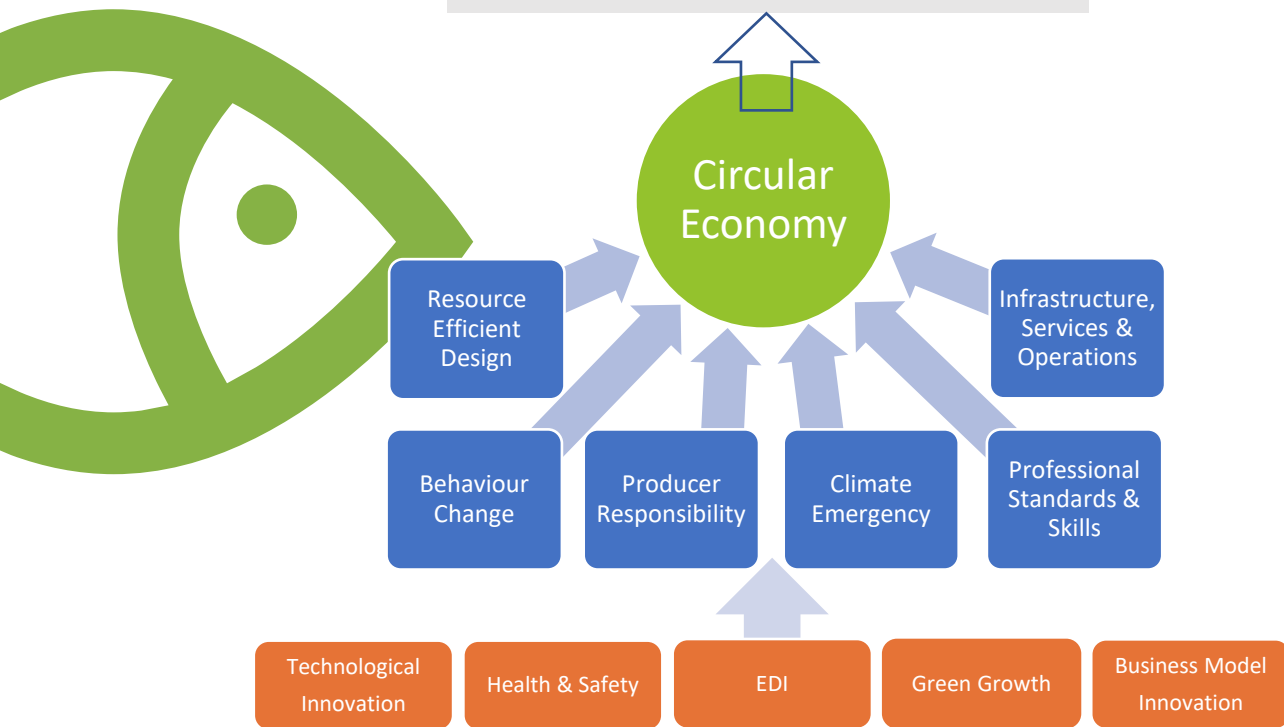
Rubbish Wars – Episode IV – A New Hope



- Current situation is the reason for change, not an excuse
- Sector recognized for what we do
- Circular economy thinking happening
- Repair, reuse ahead of recycling
- Continued evolution
- Place ourselves at the heart of the circular economy

CIWM Key Policy Themes

A World Beyond Waste



CIWM Mission – the place we are trying to get to.

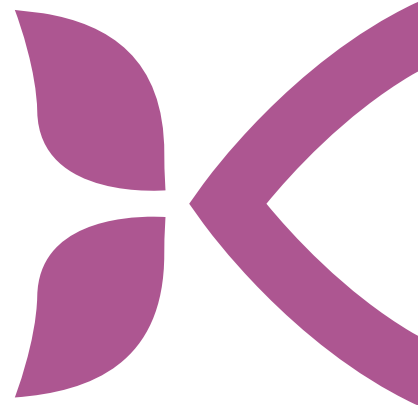
The circular economy is where our sector operates – we are key to it working and at the heart of it

The key policy areas that influence and impact the circular economy – the areas CIWM will focus its energies and efforts

Principles and themes that CIWM will look to promote and embed in all policy areas and the work that it does

Round Off

- Last 30 years seen a lot of change
- Next 30 years will see a lot of change
- What we do today won't be what we do tomorrow
- Keep evolving
- We need to reposition ourselves for the climate debate





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