

12. CLOSED LANDFILLS UPDATE

The Committee considered a report from Zefanja Potgieter, Waste Planner, on the work done on closed landfill sites in the city. The report had also been submitted to the Parks and Recreation Committee for its information.

Members agreed that results of leachate monitoring should be reported on a yearly basis and the Chairman indicated he would like details of at what point landfills needed to be before they could be handed over for parks and reserves and how many former landfills were still awaiting further work before being utilised as public recreation parks.

The Committee **decided**:

1. That the Committee visit the most important of the 20 sites which may be suitable to recommend to the Strategy and Resources Committee as parks or reserves.
2. That suitable sites be considered for enhancement using the “Lorna Green approach”.