6. TRADE WASTE CHARGING POLICY

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The purpose of this report is to ask the Council to confirm the Trade Wastes Charging Policy that was accepted as a draft in May and to withdraw the existing policy that was approved in 1992.

In May the Council was shown a draft of a new Trade Wastes Bylaw, a Schedule of Fees and Charges for trade wastes, and a Trade Wastes Charging Policy. The Council approved the bylaw and the schedule of fees and charges as drafts, and these were formally approved in June after going through the Special Order procedures required by the Local Government Act.

The Council also approved the charging policy as a draft to be endorsed later, subject to clarifying the meaning of clause 2. The amended policy statement is <u>attached</u>. This policy statement will complete the suite of three documents required to administer the City's trade wastes (ie Bylaw, Charges, Policy).

The Council should also withdraw the old policy on Trade Wastes Charges, approved in September 1992, as it has been superseded by the new suite of documents.

Recommendation: That the Council approve the attached Trade Wastes Charging Policy and withdraw the Trade Waste Charges Policy of 1992. (Note the Bylaw and Charges documents have been previously approved in June 2000.)

Chairman'sRecommendation:That the above recommendation be adopted.