

Subject Cyngor Sir Powys County Council: New waste collection day arrangements to be delayed

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Plans to revise collection rounds for recycling and waste have been put on temporary hold, Powys County Council has announced.

The council was planning to implement new collection arrangements towards the end of April which would have seen all recycling and waste revised with all collections undertaken between Tuesdays and Fridays with no collections taking place on Mondays.

However, the council is now delaying the new collection day arrangements for further work to be carried out as part of its route optimisation project.

Nigel Brinn, the council's Head of Highways, Transport and Recycling, said: "We have been working on the route optimisation project for our recycling and waste rounds for some time.

"As part of this work, we have recorded collection points for 67,000 domestic properties spread across the largest county in Wales. We are looking to make the collection rounds more efficient and reduce the number of vehicle movements.

"We have made good progress especially as this work has been particularly challenging. However, there are a number of issues that we need to consider before we can implement any new collection arrangements

"The changes will affect the majority of households so it extremely important that we get it right. That is why we have decided to delay introducing the new collection arrangements until we are confident that the route optimisation work will provide efficient collection rounds and help meet our saving targets.

"We remain committed to making our recycling and waste collection service as efficient as possible."

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I'w Ryddhau

Trefniadau newydd ar gasglu gwastraff i'w gohirio

Cyhoeddodd Cyngor Sir Powys fod cynlluniau i ailfeddwl y rowndiau ailgylchu a chasglu sbwriel wedi'u gohirio am y tro.

Roedd y cyngor yn bwriadu cyflwyno trefniadau casglu newydd tua diwedd Ebrill a fyddai wedi arwain at gasglu'r holl wastraff rhwng dydd Mawrth a dydd Gwener, heb unrhyw gasgliadau ar ddydd Llun.

Ond, mae'r cyngor yn gohirio'r trefniadau newydd er mwyn gwneud gwaith pellach fel rhan o brosiect i wneud yn fawr o'i lwybrau casglu.

Yn ôl Nigel Brinn, Pennaeth Priffyrdd, Trafnidiaeth ac Ailgylchu Cyngor Sir Powys: "Ry'n ni wedi bod yn gweithio ar brosiect i wneud yn fawr o'n llwybrau ailgylchu a sbwriel ers cryn amser.

"Fel rhan o'r gwaith hwn, rydym wedi cofnodi manau casglu ar gyfer 67,000 o eiddo domestig ar hyd a lled sir fwyaf Cymru. Rydym am wneud y rowndiau casglu'n fwy effeithlon a thorri lawr ar faint o weithiau mae'r cerbydau'n gorfod symud.

"Mae'r gwaith yn mynd yn ei flaen yn dda, yn arbennig gan ei fod yn dasg heriol iawn. Ond mae angen i ni drin a thrafod nifer o faterion cyn y gallwn roi unrhyw drefniadau casglu ar waith.

"Bydd y newidiadau hyn yn effeithio ar ran fwyaf o gartrefi, felly mae'n bwysig cael pethau'n iawn. Dyna pam i ni ohirio cyflwyno'r trefniadau casglu newydd tan ein bod ni'n hyderus y bydd y gwaith yn arwain at rowndiau casglu mwy effeithlon ac yn ein helpu ni gwrrd â'n targedau arbedion.

"Ein prif nod yw gwneud ein gwasanaeth ailgylchu a chasglu sbwriel mor effeithlon â phosibl."

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