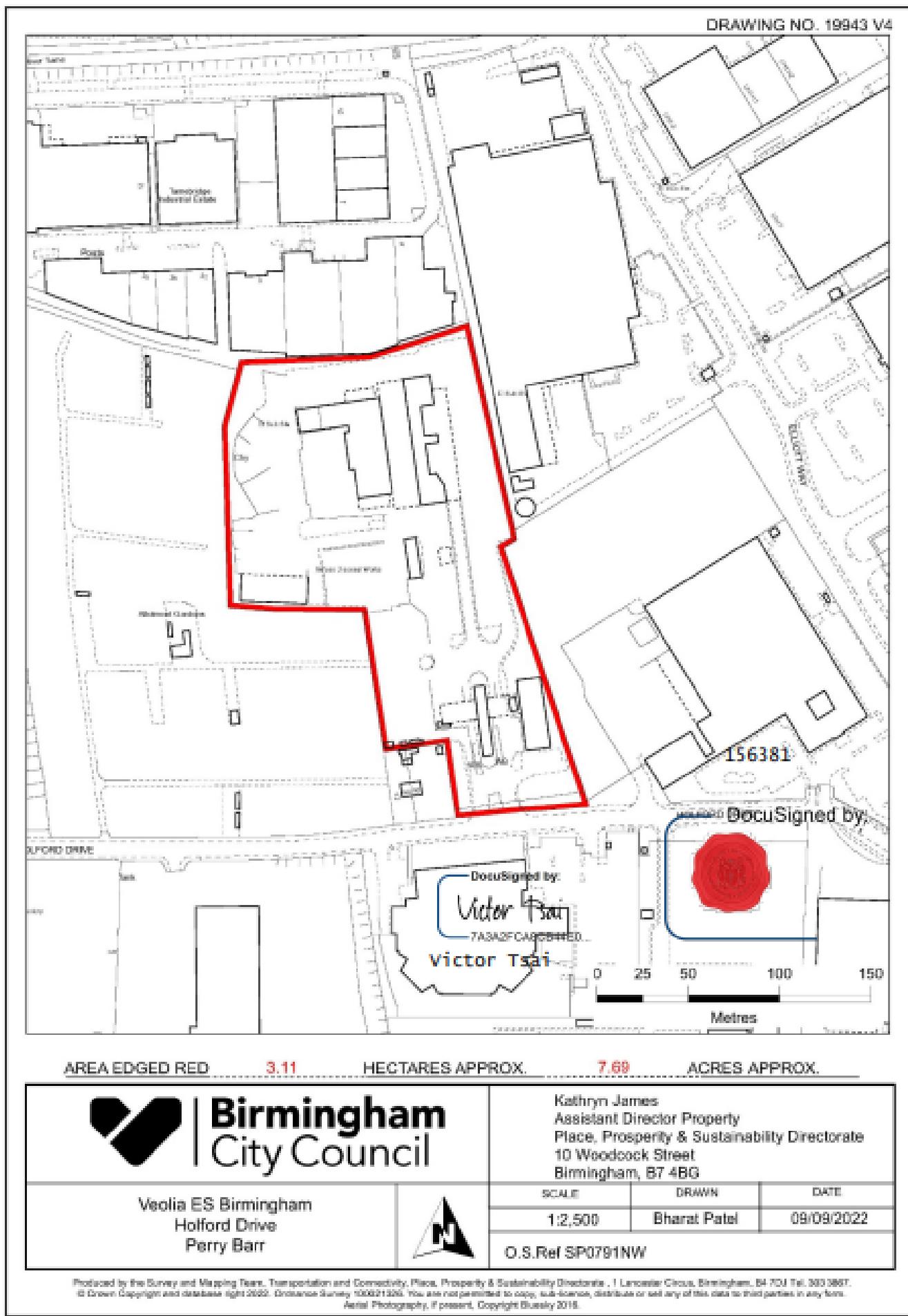


Perry Barr Depot



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
KING'S BENCH DIVISION**

Claim No. KB-2025-001839

BEFORE MRS JUSTICE DIAS

DATED 23 MAY 2025



IN AN INTENDED ACTION BETWEEN

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

Intended Claimant

And

UNITE THE UNION

Intended Defendant

INJUNCTION ORDER

PENAL NOTICE

IMPORTANT:-

NOTICE TO THE INTENDED DEFENDANT ("the Defendant")

(1) This Order prohibits you from doing the acts set out in this Order. You should read it all carefully. You are advised to consult a solicitor as soon as possible. You have a right to ask the Court to vary or discharge this Order.

(2) If you disobey this Order you may be found guilty of Contempt of Court and may be sent to prison or fined or your assets may be seized.

An Application was made on 23 May 2025 by Counsel for Birmingham City Council (who is to be the Claimant in a Claim against Unite the Union) to the Judge who heard the Application supported by the Witness Statements / affidavits listed in schedule 1 to this order, and accepted the undertakings in Schedule 2 at the end of this Order. The application was attended by Counsel for the Defendant

IT IS ORDERED that up to and until Thursday 29 May 2025 at 2.00 pm “the Return Date”

(1) the Defendant whether by itself or by its employees, officers, agents or otherwise howsoever, will, take all reasonable steps to ensure that its members or relevant officials:

a. will refrain from picketing activities in connection with its current campaign of industrial action other than at the site entrances to the :

(i) Atlas Depot, (70172 Kings Road, Tyseley, Birmingham, B11 2AS),

(ii) Lifford Lane Depot, (Ebury Road, Kings Norton, Birmingham, West Midlands, B30 3JJ); and

(iii) Perry Barr Depot (Holford Drive Perry Barr, Birmingham, West Midlands, B42 2TU).

(together “**the Depots**”)

And will do so solely for the purpose of peacefully persuading any person to work or abstain from working; and only at the pickets' own place of work (or in the case of a trade union official at or near the place of work of a member of his trade union whom he is accompanying and whom he represents) in accordance with the provisions of section 220 Trade Union & Labour Relations Act 1992

- b. Will, at any one time, have no more than 6 pickets at the entrance to the respective work place(s) of such person or persons picketing ("the Designated Pickets") each of whom will wear High-Vis vests or other clothing enabling their identification as one of the Designated Pickets. The Designated Pickets:
 - i. will refrain from seeking to prevent any vehicle from passing through the site entrance to each of the Depots, including by forming a blockade, sitting in the road or slow walking in front of the entrances to or the road leading to each of the Depots;
 - ii. will limit their activities to explaining their case to those entering and leaving the Depots and peacefully seeking to persuade or asking them not to do so in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Practice on Picketing dated March 2024.
- c. refrain from carrying out any protesting activities outside of the designated Assembly Areas ("the Assembly Areas") identified at Schedule 3 to this order.

(2) In order to comply with the provisions of paragraph (1) of this Order, the Defendant will take steps including but not limited to:

- a. as soon as is reasonably practicable take such steps as are reasonably necessary to ensure that its members are aware of the terms of this order and are informed that they should comply with its terms;
- b. taking reasonable steps to inform its members present at the Depots of the requirement to remain within the Assembly Areas.

VARIATION OR DISCHARGE OF THIS ORDER

The Defendant may apply to the Court at any time to vary or discharge this Order but if he wishes to do so he must first inform the Claimant's solicitors in writing.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT'S SOLICITORS

The Claimant's solicitors are: DLA Piper UK LLP, 160 Aldersgate Street, London EC1A 4HT, 020 7349 0296.

INTERPRETATION OF THIS ORDER

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- (2) Where there are two or more Defendants then (unless the contrary appears):
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THE EFFECT OF THIS ORDER

- (1) A Defendant who is an individual who is ordered not to do something must not do it himself or in any other way. He must not do it through others acting on his behalf or on his instructions or with his encouragement.
- (2) A Defendant that is a corporation and is ordered not to do something must not do it itself or by its directors, officers, employees, agents or in any other way.

SERVICE OF THIS ORDER

This Order shall be served by the Claimant on 24th May 2025.

Dated this 23rd day of May 2025.

Mrs Justice Dias DBE

SCHEDULE 1

Witness statements

The Claimant relied on the following Witness Statements:

1. Witness Statement of Richard Brooks
2. Witness Statement of Carol Culley
3. Witness Statement of Christopher Smiles
4. Witness Statement of Dean Smith
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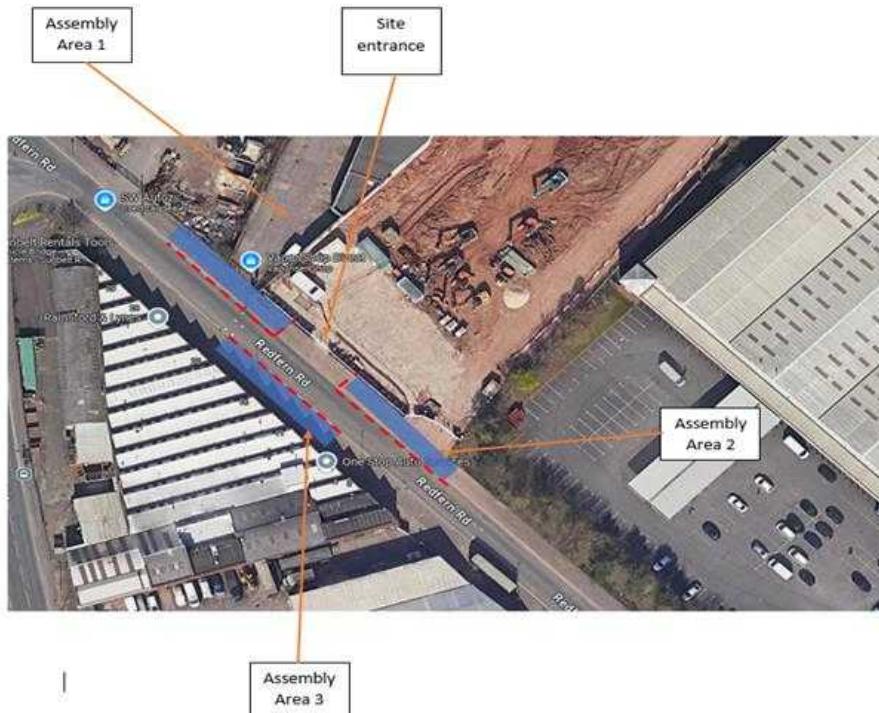
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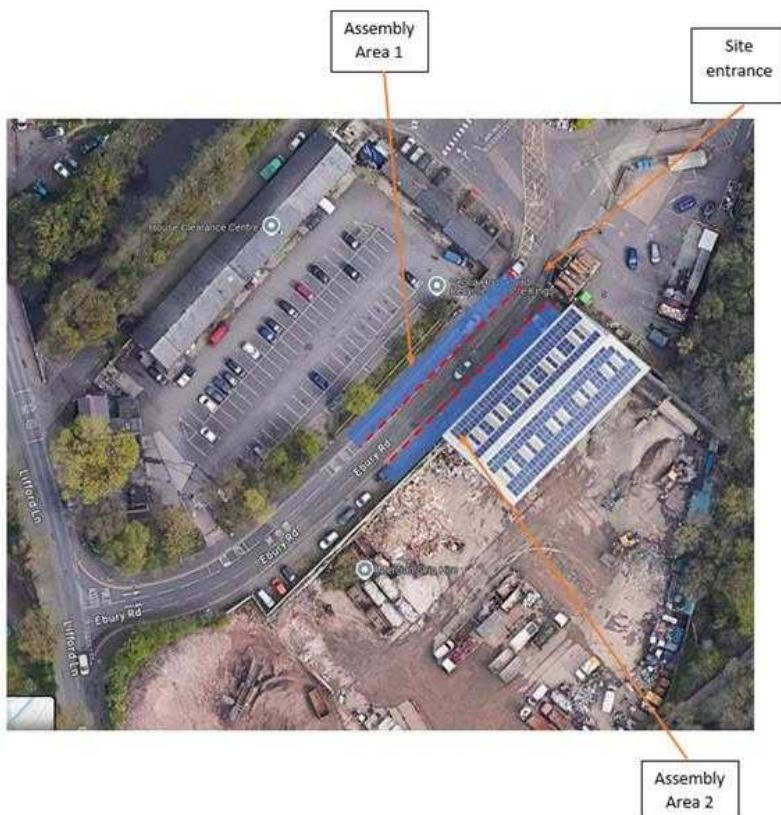
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2. To issue a Claim Form and pay the appropriate fee on this or the next working day and to serve the Claim Form on the Defendant as soon as practicable.
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Schedule 3

Atlas Depot, 70-172 Kings Road, Tyseley, Birmingham, B11 2AS



Lifford Lane Depot, Ebury Road, Kings Norton, , Birmingham, West Midlands, B30 3JJ



Perry Barr Depot, Holford Drive, Perry Barr, Birmingham, West Midlands, B42 2TU



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
KING'S BENCH DIVISION
BEFORE MRS JUSTICE DIAS**

Claim No. KB-2025-001839

DATED 29 May 2025



KB-2025-001839

BETWEEN:

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

Claimant

And

UNITE THE UNION

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ORDER FOR AN INJUNCTION

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UPON the Claimant's application of 23 May 2025 for an interim injunction heard before Mrs Justice Dias on 23 May 2025 at a hearing attended by Leading Counsel for the Claimant and Leading Counsel for the Defendant.

AND UPON an order for an interim injunction being made by Mrs Justice Dias with a return date of 29 May 2025

BY CONSENT IT IS ORDERED that until trial or further order:

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COSTS

Costs reserved.

VARIATION OR DISCHARGE OF THIS ORDER

Either party may apply to the Court at any time to vary or discharge this Order but if he wishes to do so he must first inform the other party's solicitors with 48 hours notice.

INTERPRETATION OF THIS ORDER

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WE AGREE TO AN ORDER BEING MADE IN THE ABOVE TERMS

Signed: *Mrs Justice Dias DBE*

Dated: 29 May 2025

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The Defendant relied on the following Witness Statement:

1. Witness Statement of Onay Kasab

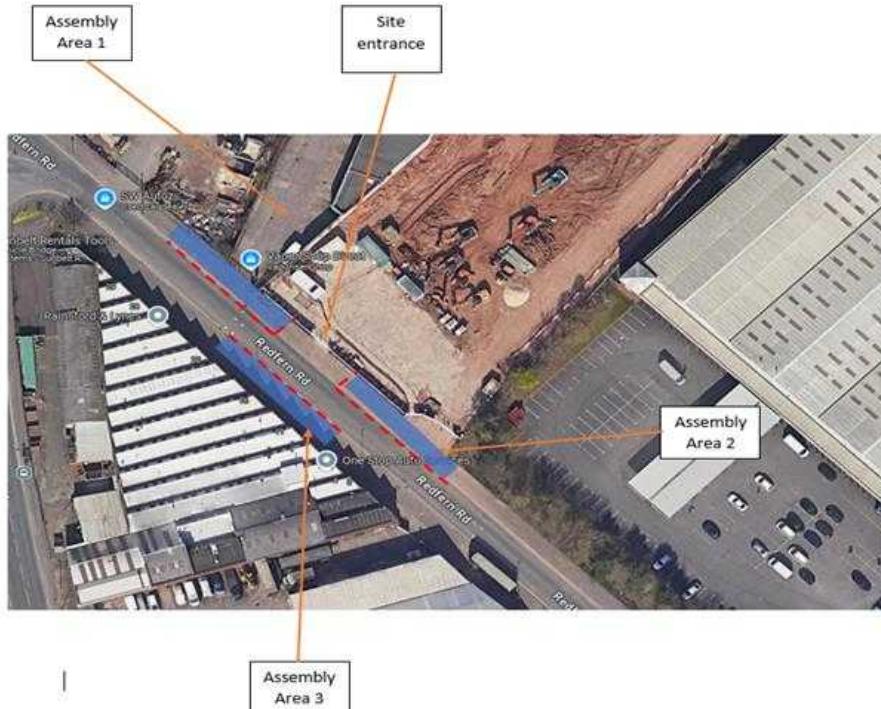
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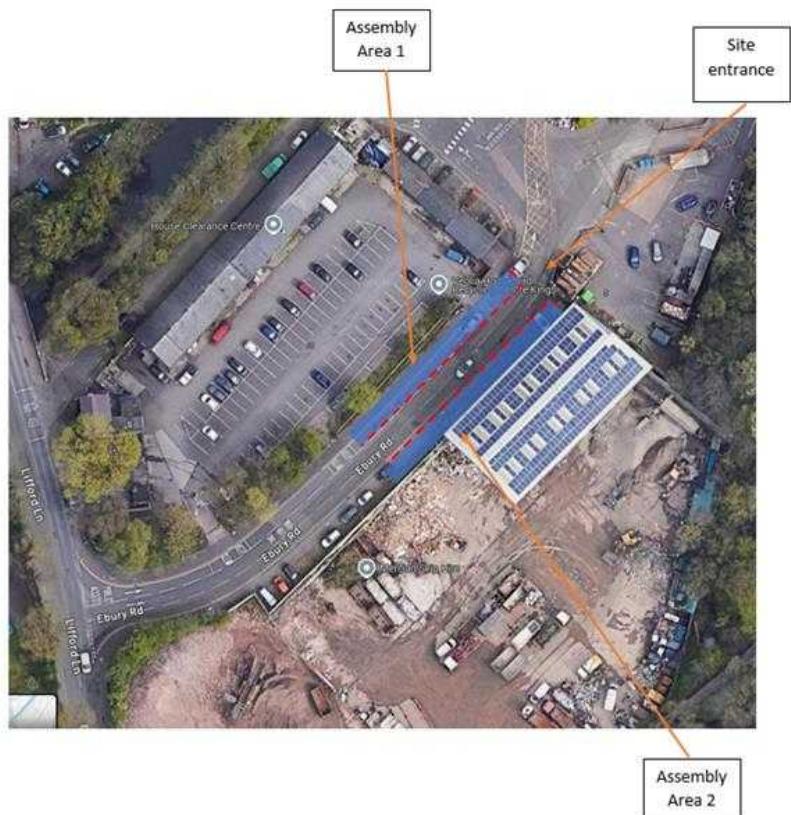
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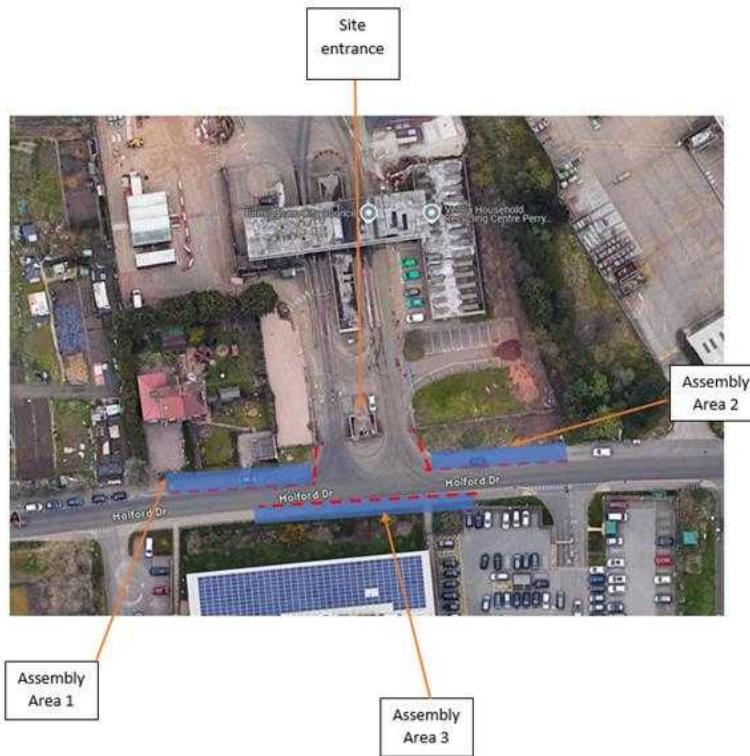
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KB-2025-001839

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

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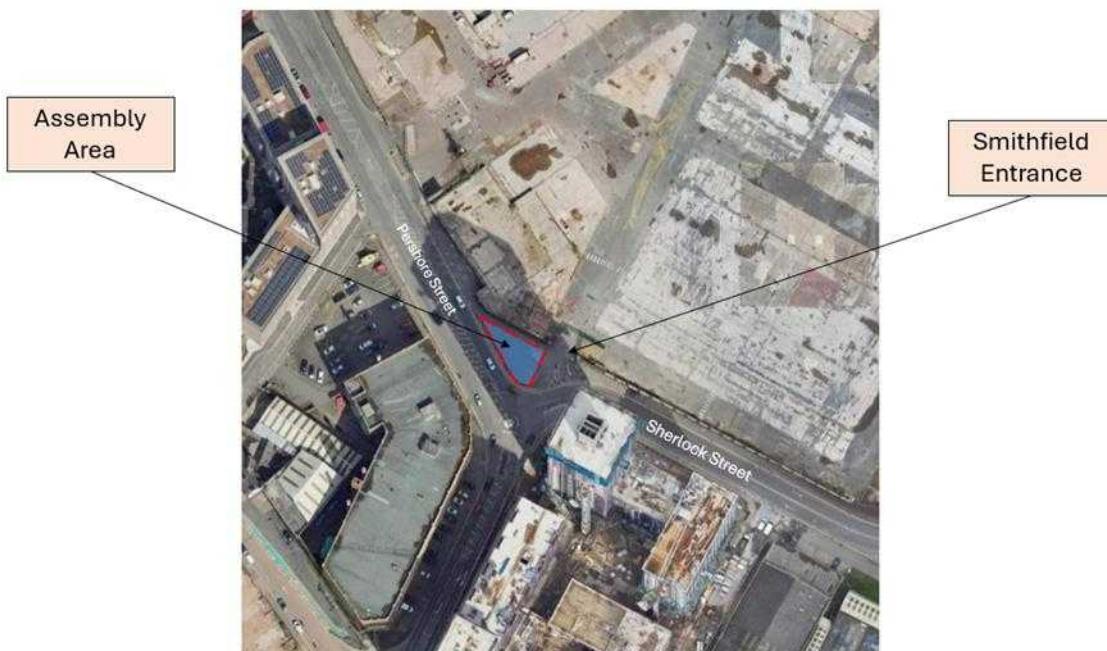
AND UPON an order for an interim injunction being made by Mrs Justice Dias with a return date of 29 May 2025

AND UPON an order by consent being entered into by the parties dated 29 May 2025

BY CONSENT IT IS ORDERED that until trial or further order:

(1) The order of Mrs Justice Dias dated 29 May 2025 (**Order**) is varied as follows:

- a. The list of Depots at paragraph 1(a) of the Order is varied to include Smithfields Depot, (Sherlock Street, Birmingham, West Midlands, B5 6HX) (the **Additional Site**)
- b. Schedule 3 is varied to include the Additional Site



(2) The provisions of the Order (as varied) will apply to the Additional Site with effect from the date the parties signed the consent order.

(3) In order to comply with the provisions of the Order as now varied so as to also apply to the Additional Site, the Defendant will as soon as is reasonably practicable take such steps as are reasonably necessary to ensure that its members are aware of the variation and are informed that they should comply with its terms.

(4) The Claimant's legal representative will effect service of the sealed consent order upon the Defendant's legal representative.

(5) Costs of this application be costs in the case.

Dated 24 June 2025

Friday 12th December 2025

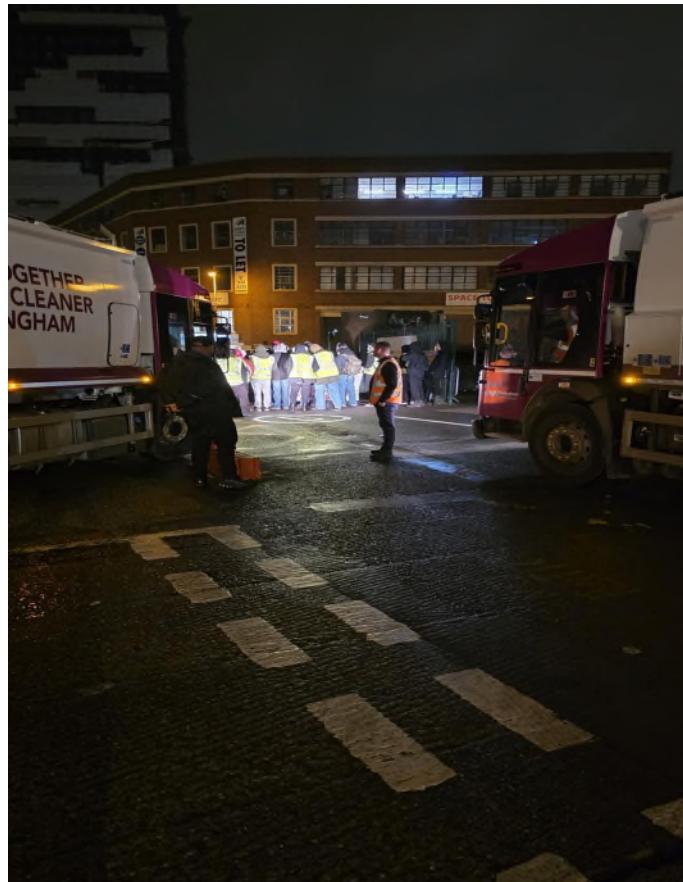
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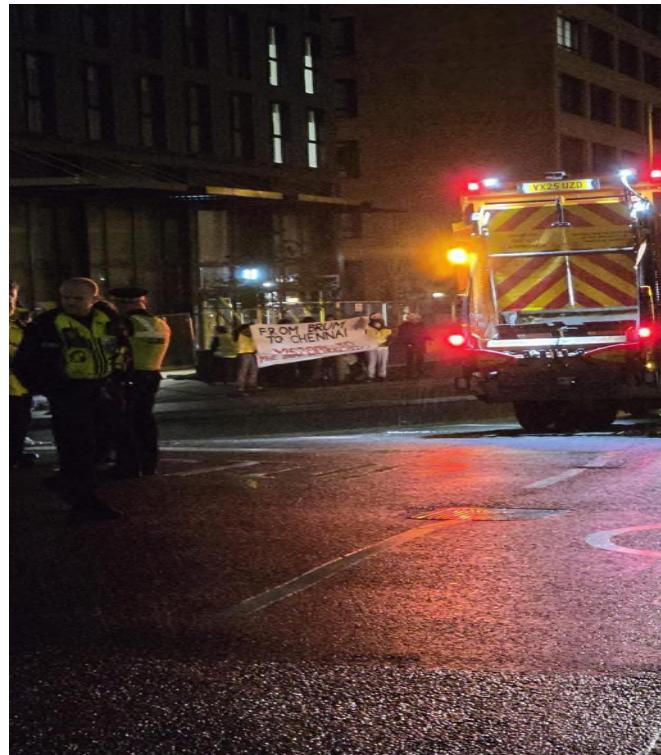
8:30am morning update:

1. Morning deployment from depots:

Atlas and supporting depots: 33 vehicles have been deployed from Atlas and alternative depots; 20 Coventry crews deployed. There is a picket at the depot this morning with approx. 40 protesters. All vehicles deployed safely by 06:45am.

Smithfield: 28 vehicles deployed; 2 Coventry crews deployed. There is no picket at Lifford depot today and there no protestors. There is a picket at Smithfield depot today and there are approx. 40 protesters. All vehicles deployed safely by 07:10am. Activists were at Smithfield depot at approx. 05:30am, blockading the deployment gate on BCC property. BCC Protesters were in the designated fenced off area and not taking part in the blockading. West Midlands Police were in attendance who aided in walking the activists from BCC property to enable deployment. The protesters were abusive towards all Smithfield staff specifically the depot manager.





Perry Barr: As of 08:30 am, 6 refuse vehicles have been deployed. West Midlands Police have been in attendance and spoke to the activists who were continually walking in front of the gate stopping the vehicles from leaving. This has affected Street Cleansing vehicles also, with only 10 vehicles being deployed. BCC Protesters were in the designated fenced

off area and not taking part in the blockading. The protesters have been verbally abusive towards the management team whilst attempting to deploy.

Total number of waste collection vehicles deployed today so far: 98 including 67 BCC vehicles and 31 for Coventry.

1 x MHRC running seven days a week.

2. Opening hours of the Household Waste & Recycling Centres: continued extended opening hours in operation: Kings Norton 07.00 - 21:00, weekends 08:00-18:00 and other centres 08.00 until 18:00 weekdays and 08:00-16:30 weekends. Showing 69% booked for Friday 12th December, 33% for Saturday 13th December and 25% Sunday 14th December.

Data report for Wednesday 10th December

How much waste has been collected by weight?

1315 tonnes collected at kerbside; 142 tonnes collected at the HWRC.

Did we deliver the planned activity in the day?

Yes.

What is the overall level of residual waste?

98% of scheduled collections (Thursday 11th December)

Agency planned deployment.

Drivers:

	Legally Permissible	Actual	Variance
Atlas	32	29	3
Perry Barr	22	22	0
Smithfield	27	26	1

The variance at Smithfield and Atlas is due to sickness and is covered by Birmingham City Council full time drivers.

Loaders:

	Legally Permissible	Actual	Variance
Atlas	105	66	39
Perry Barr	82	46	36
Smithfield	82	56	26

Variance in loaders is line with operational expectations.

What are our deployment plans for tomorrow? **As follows –**

- **Atlas 34 vehicles**
- **31 contractor crews – Coventry**
- **Smithfield: 31 vehicles**
- **Perry Barr: 22 vehicles**

Refer to RS/06 in the OneDrive Folder

Yasmin Ahmad

From: Natalie Smyth <Natalie.Smyth@birmingham.gov.uk>
Sent: 12 December 2025 09:54
To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Sit Rep - 12.12.2025

****EXTERNAL****

Good Morning all.

As of 09:40 am all Street Cleansing and Refuse collection vehicles have been safely deployed from Perry Barr depot.

Kind Regards,

Natalie Smyth (BA Hons)

Business Support Manager for Street Scene

Business Improvement and Support, City Operations

Birmingham City Council

Email: Natalie.Smyth@Birmingham.gov.uk



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From: Anita Niles <Anita.Niles@birmingham.gov.uk>

Sent: 12 December 2025 09:10

Subject: Sit Rep - 12.12.2025

Good morning all,

Please find attached this mornings' update providing an overview of what has been deployed and the plans for today.

Please also see the link below to the dashboard showing progress made to date.

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Kind regards,

Anita Niles

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Monday 15th December 2025

Daily Operational Sit Rep

8:30am morning update:

1. Morning deployment from depots:

Atlas and supporting depots: 34 vehicles have been deployed from Atlas and alternative depots; 20 Coventry crews deployed. There is a picket at the depot this morning with approx. 40 protesters on Kings Road. All vehicles deployed safely by 06:00am.

Smithfield: 29 vehicles deployed; 2 Coventry crews deployed. There is no picket at Lifford depot today and there no protestors. There is a picket at Smithfield depot today and there are approx. 40 protesters. All vehicles deployed safely by 06:45am.

Perry Barr: 21 vehicles deployed:9 Coventry crews deployed. There is no picket at the depot today however there are approx. 40 protesters. All vehicles deployed safely by 06:30am.

Total number of waste collection vehicles deployed today so far: 115, including 84 BCC vehicles and 31 for Coventry.

1 x MHRC running seven days a week.

2. Opening hours of the Household Waste & Recycling Centres: continued extended opening hours in operation: Kings Norton 07.00 - 21:00, weekends 08:00-18:00 and other centres 08.00 until 18:00 weekdays and 08:00-16:30 weekends. Showing 54% booked for Monday 15th December and 28% for Tuesday 16th December.

Data report for Friday 12th December

How much waste has been collected by weight?

1079 tonnes collected at kerbside; 000 tonnes collected at the HWRC.(awaiting data).

Did we deliver the planned activity in the day?

No.

What is the overall level of residual waste?

85% of scheduled collections (Friday 12th December). This was due to the activists blockading Perry Barr and Smithfield depots.

Data report for Saturday 13th December

How much waste has been collected by weight?

172 tonnes collected at kerbside; 000 tonnes collected at the HWRC. (awaiting data).

Agency planned deployment.

Drivers:

	Legally Permissible	Actual	Variance
Atlas	32	28	4
Perry Barr	22	22	0
Smithfield	27	21	6

The variance at Smithfield and Atlas is due to sickness and is covered by Birmingham City Council full time drivers.

Loaders:

	Legally Permissible	Actual	Variance
Atlas	105	67	38
Perry Barr	82	43	39
Smithfield	82	56	26

Variance in loaders is line with operational expectations.

What are our deployment plans for tomorrow? **As follows –**

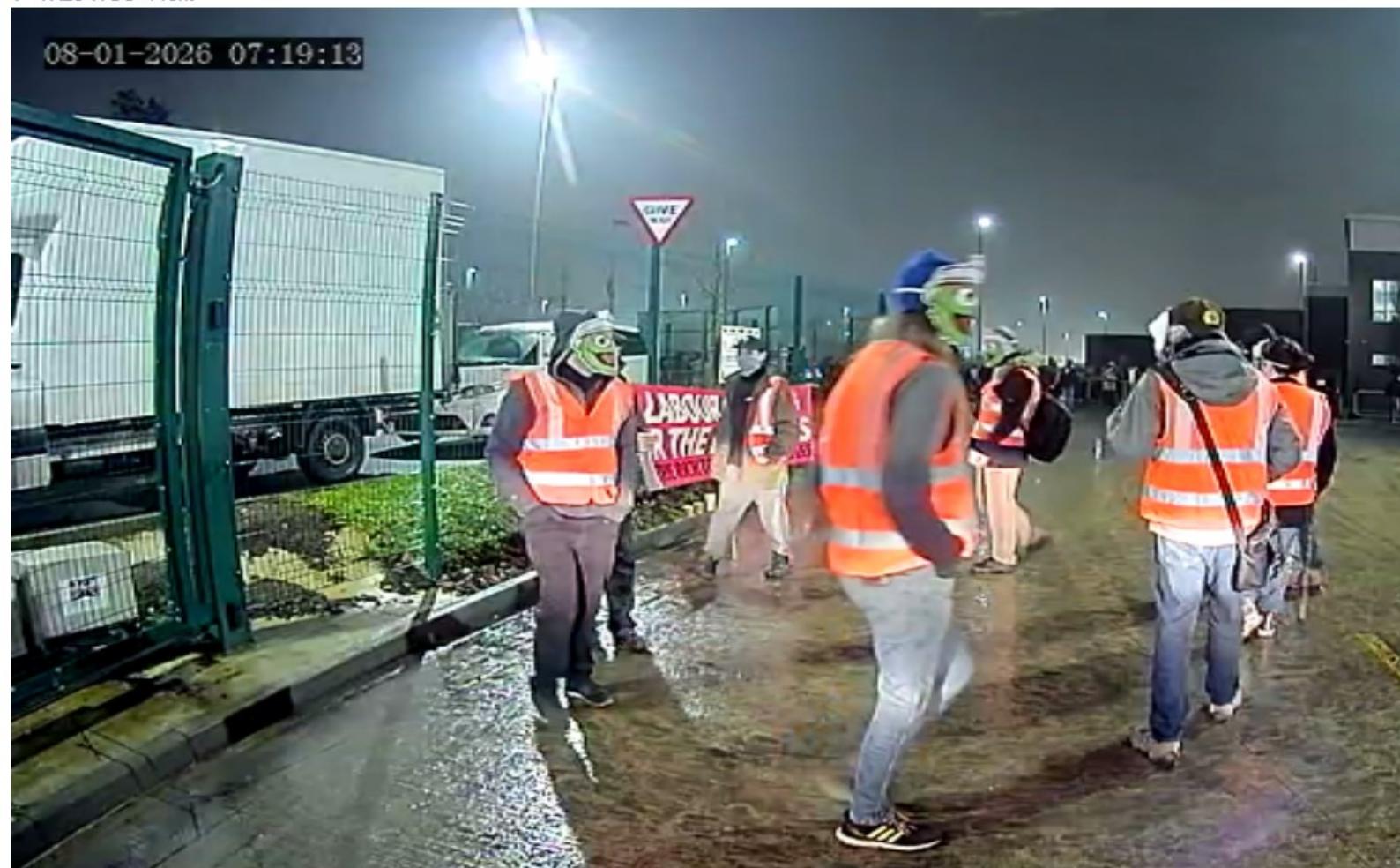
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From: [Natalie Smyth](#)

Sent: Thu, 8 Jan 2026 10:51:45

Subject: RE: Sit Rep - 07.01.2026

Importance: Normal

Sensitivity: None

****EXTERNAL****

Good Morning All,

Perry Barr depot deployed all vehicles by 09:10am.

Atlas depot deployed all vehicles by 10:10am.

Kind Regards,

Natalie Smyth (BA Hons)

Business Support Manager for Street Scene

Business Improvement and Support, City Operations

Birmingham City Council

Email: Natalie.Smyth@Birmingham.gov.uk



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From: Natalie Smyth
Sent: 07 January 2026 08:08

Subject: Sit Rep - 07.01.2026

Good morning all,

Please find attached this mornings' update providing an overview of what has been deployed today.

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Kind Regards,

Natalie Smyth (BA Hons)

Business Support Manager for Street Scene

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Email: Natalie.Smyth@Birmingham.gov.uk



From: Anita Niles <Anita.Niles@birmingham.gov.uk>

Sent: 06 January 2026 09:18

Subject: Sit Rep - 06.01.2026

Good morning all,

Please find attached this mornings' update providing an overview of what has been deployed and the plans for yesterday and today.

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Kind regards,

Anita Niles

Business Support Co-Ordinator
Executive Support – City Operations



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Thursday 8th January 2026

Daily Operational Sit Rep

8:30am morning update:

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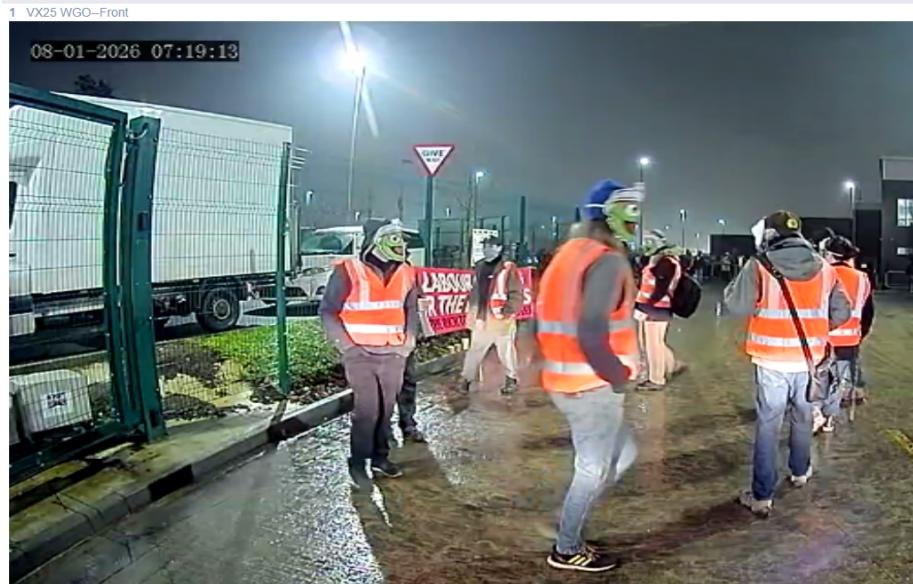
Atlas and supporting depots: As of 04:30am 16 vehicles have been deployed from Atlas and alternative depots; 16 Coventry crews deployed. As of 08:30 am 16 vehicles still to be deployed. There is a protester blockade of 8 activists on Redfern Road. The activists are pigeon walking in front of the vehicles stopping them from deploying. Separately there are approx. 30/40 Unite protesters in the designated fenced off areas.



Smithfield: 30 vehicles have been deployed from Smithfield and 2 Coventry crews deployed. There is a picket at Smithfield depot today on Sherlock Street with approx. 30/40 protesters present. All vehicles deployed safely by 6:30am.

Perry Barr: As of 08:30 there are 0 BCC vehicles deployed; 7 Coventry crews deployed. There is a protester blockade of 8 activists on Holeford Drive at the entrance to the depot. The activists are pigeon walking in front

of the vehicles stopping them from deploying. Separately there are approx. 30/40 Unite protesters in the designated fenced off areas. This has also stopped all Street Cleansing vehicles from deploying. West Midlands Police have been notified, and Silver Command has confirmed that he will ensure that Police will be in attendance.



Total number of waste collection vehicles deployed today so far: 71, including 46 BCC vehicles and 25 for Coventry. As of 08:30am there are 38 BCC vehicles not deployed.

Any missed collections from Thursday 8th January 2026 will not be collected until 15.01.2026 when a double collection will be undertaken.

1 x MHRC running seven days a week.

2. Opening hours of the Household Waste & Recycling Centres: continued extended opening hours in operation: Kings Norton 07.00 - 21:00, weekends 08:00-18:00 and other centres 08.00 until 18:00 weekdays and 08:00-16:30 weekends. Between 21.12.2025 and 31.01.2026 all Household Waste and Recycling centres have extended opening hours from 07:00am until 21:00pm Monday to Friday and 08:00am until 18:00pm Saturday and Sunday. Booked slots are currently showing 42% for Thursday 8th January and 31% for Friday 9th January.

Row Labels	07-Jan-26	08-Jan-26	09-Jan-26	10-Jan-26	11-Jan-26
Kings Norton	100	100	100	100	73.5
Perry Barr	16.9	4.9	2.4	3	1.7
Sutton Coldfield	26.2	7.7	5.7	8.4	3.2
Tyseley	32.7	8.7	5.6	8.6	4.9
Grand Total	175.8	121.3	113.7	120	83.3

Data report for Wednesday 7th January

How much waste has been collected by weight?

1163 tonnes collected at kerbside; 140 tonnes collected at the HWRC

Did we deliver the planned activity in the day?

Yes.

What is the overall level of residual waste?

99% of scheduled collections (Wednesday 7th January)

Agency planned deployment.

Drivers:

	Legally Permissible	Actual	Variance
Atlas	32	30	2
Perry Barr	22	22	0
Smithfield	27	25	2

The variance at Atlas is due to sickness and is covered by Birmingham City Council full time drivers.

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	Legally Permissible	Actual	Variance
Atlas	105	69	36
Perry Barr	82	48	34
Smithfield	82	62	20

Variance in loaders is line with operational expectations.

What are our deployment plans for tomorrow? **As follows –**

- **Atlas 34 vehicles**
- **25 contractor crews – Coventry**
- **Smithfield: 31 vehicles**
- **Perry Barr: 22 vehicles**

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A good morning and happy new year for all the gang in Birmingham; this week marked a year on strike for the Brum dust and today a couple of depots were apparently prevented from operating by a plucky group of activists who are unhappy with the actions of the Labour Council there.

Get stuck right in folks.



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