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Lancashire Waste Partnership Waste Private Finance Initiative (PFI) Project

Background Project Infor	mation
PFI credits allocated	£90 million
What are the relevant	Minimum Recycling and Composting targets
authorities' targets:	
minimum levels of	2005/06: 40%
recycling/composting that	2012/13: 56%
are expected to be	2019/20: 56%
achieved as part of the	
PFI project?	
Project Milestones	Project Review Group Approval: October 2003
	Official Journal of the European Union (OJEU) Publication: April 2004
	Invitation to Submit Outline Solution: October 2004
	Preferred Bidder Selected: September 2005
	Submission of Final Business Case: July 2006
	Contract Award: March 2007
Contract Awarded to	Global Renewables Lancashire Limited
Contract length	30 Years
Municipal Waste Arisings	2001/02: 668,000
(tonnes per annum)	2002/03: 669,000
	2003/04: 655,000
	2004/05: N/A*
	2005/06: 657,000
	2006/07: 676,000**
	 * Figure not available due to a change in the method of data collection ** Un-audited figures subject to possible amendment
Annual Waste Indicators	New indicators. Definitions yet to be finalised and
[2006/07]	thus no historic data available
 Household waste not reused, recycled or composted (kg per head residual waste) 	

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Household waste	
recycled and	
composted (%)	
Municipal waste	
landfilled (%)	
Population (ONS 2006	1,166,000
mid-year estimate)	
Details of residual waste	2 Mechanical Biological Treatment plants:
management facilities to	175,000 tonnes per annum each (scheduled to
be delivered by the	become operational in 2009 and 2010)
project (tonnes per	
annum capacity)	2 In-Vessel Composting plants: 55,000 tonnes per
	annum each (scheduled to become operational in
	2009 and 2010)
	1 Materials Recycling Facility: 50,000 tonnes per
	annum (scheduled to become operational in 2009)
Does contract include	No
collection?	
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	Chorley Borough Council
	Fylde Borough Council
	Hyndburn Borough Council
	Lancaster City Council
	Pendle Borough Council
	Preston City Council
	Ribble Valley Borough Council
	Rossendale Borough Council
	South Ribble Borough Council
	West Lancashire Borough Council