

9 December 2011

Ms Christine Chapman
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Team Leader - Industry
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Dear Ms Chapman,

**CHESTER HILL MATERIALS RECYCLING FACILITY (06_0052 Mod 2)
PROPERTY: Lot 8 DP 1039882, No. 191 Miller Road, CHESTER HILL**

I refer to your letter dated 16 November 2011 and apologise for the delay in providing you with a response. Your correspondence refers to an application to modify the approval issued for a Metal Recycling Facility to allow shipping containers to remain as a permanent noise reduction method instead of the previously proposed concrete walls.

I wish to advise that Council has the following concerns:

- **The visual impact of these shipping containers.**
Concern is raised as to the impact these structures will have on the visual amenity of the locality particularly the fact that over time shipping containers may rust and weather.
- **The permanency of these containers.**
Concern is raised as to the likelihood of these shipping containers remaining on site for the duration of the life of the operation. Over time these containers could be easily removed.
- **The success of the containers achieving and satisfying the necessary acoustic requirements.**

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comment on the proposed modification.

If you have any enquiries, please contact Stephen Arnold in Development Services on 9707 9585 and please quote Council's application number.

Yours faithfully,



Stephen Arnold
TEAM LEADER - DEVELOPMENT ASSESSMENT

