

### 37088 Commercial Wheelie Bin Anchoring Policy

I require information regarding the incident involving a commercial sized wheelie bin in the council recycling bank on Newhaven Place, Edinburgh on 16/02/2022 at 15:30 involving our client's vehicle with registration M2 PYK.

What is council's policy for anchoring / securing commercial bins within recycling centres such as the one on Newhaven Place, Edinburgh?

What is the council's policy for securing the commercial wheelie bins in adverse weather, particular in high winds?

There are no 'policies' as such, however, all large bins have wheel locks fitted.

When was the bin emptied prior to the incident?

This is subject to a weekly Saturday collection. The collection prior to the incident was on the 12/02/2022.

Does the bin have brakes to prevent from rolling away?

Yes.

What is the council's policy for the use of the brakes on commercial bins within the recycling area?

There is no 'policy' as such, however, all bins have wheel locks fitted and applied after the bins have been emptied.

Is the car park on Newhaven Place a public car park?

No. There are no Council-run car parks in the city.

What are the council's obligations in relation to the maintenance of that car park?

The City of Edinburgh Council have no obligations in relation to maintenance of this car park as it is privately owned/operated.