



# Experience from the Introduction of Waste-to-Energy in Ireland

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#### Waste-to-Energy Plans



Proposed arc21 WtE Facility, arc21 Region, Belfast, Northern Ireland



Proposed Cork WtE Facility, Southern Region North West Region Waste Management Group (NWRWMG) arc21 Southern waste Manggement Partnership (SWaMP)

Connacht/Ulster Region 🗸

> Eastern-Midlands Region

Southern Region



FCP Gasification Facility, Belfast, Northern Ireland



Meath WtE Facility, Eastern-Midlands Region



Dublin WtE Facility, Eastern-Midlands Region

#### **Meath Waste-to-Energy Facility**











16 June 2016, Rotterdam

8<sup>th</sup> CEWEP Waste-to-Energy Congress 2016

## **Dublin Waste-to-Energy Project**



## THE IRISH TIMES

#### Anti-incinerator protesters march on Dáil

Work begins on controversial €600 million Poolbeg project

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Mark Hilliard



#### ► Today the argument is about whether the 'Community Fund' should be €10 or €15m!

## **Full Circle Gasification Facility**







 Other than Civil Service, Bombardier largest employer in Northern Ireland (c. 5,000 people..)
Project received permits without objection

### **Arc21 Waste-to-Energy Facility**



#### Durkan blocks giant energy-from-waste project Words: Roger Milne



Proposals for a controversial multi-million pound energy-from-waste project on the edge of Belfast have been refused planning permission by environment minister Mark H Durkan, against the recommendation of officials.



# 4,000 objections from the locality, politicians, waste industry and influential businesses

Minister has recommended refusal of permit & his recommendation is being appealed to a Planning Application Commission

#### **Cork Waste-to-Energy Project**











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Controversial incinerator will need a no-fly-zone, says Defence Forces

> Air Corps flags concerns over Indaver incinerator site in Cork





The last 'Great Irish Blood Sport'...

#### Introduction of Waste-to-Energy in Ireland..

- Challenges differ for each project..
- How developer communicates with local community can have an impact
- Host community should be compensated
- Community Fund in important
- Compliance is critical for Waste-to-Energy facilities to maintain relations with the local community & be successful