From facebook messages we can have some ideas: 1 - if the bins are not collected people are likely to fill more the non recyclable bins. 2 - clothing, textiles and batteries are not more collected and people put them in the non recycable bins. 3 - the amout of council tax is correlated with the quantity of waste that is recycled. If we recycle more we will pay less council tax. 4 - some people when bins are not collected, bring them to the landfill by themselves. It can be an idea to incentivate this so collecting bins house by house can be reduced

Date Messages

- Oct-17 Green bin been missed three times now forcing us to put perfectly recyclable paper in the grey bin. Yeah, give yourself a big pat on the back!
- Waited 2 years for new blue recycling box!!! Lifted the first time it was put out after we moved in and never seen again. Was told a Oct-17 new system was being introduced so may take a while to get the new box. Well the boxes are still being used and we still don't have a new one.
- How can you get put up for an award for waste collection when you cut the glass collection from fortnightly to monthly. We only Oct-17 have a small blue box that we fill in a fortnight, are we just to put the glass into out landfill bin. It's a total disgrace. In one hand you want us to recycle but in the hand you cut the recycling uplifts. Totally disgraceful
- Oct-17 i used to put my alkaline batteries in a wee bag in my blue box for recycling and they always took them now they dont and i have over one hundred
- Oct-17 Don't empty them half the time had to recycle my own
 - Getting bored with recycling farce as half the time they turn up late then dont turn up then turn up 1 or 2 days later when decent
- Oct-17 folk have cleared pavement so they left with bins overflowing, no we got rats running about and scurrying in bins (not the food bin) the bloody paper bin, wish they would get a grip
- Oct-17 User1941- we get no collection. Have to take it to recycle centre yourself!!
- Oct-17 Who did they consult? Themselves! It's bad enough with a fortnightly collection, now we're going to have stuff lying festering for longer, going to good in the summer with wasps etc as not everyone rinses out their glassware before it goes in the recycle.
- Don't get a glass only collection box in Glasgow at all and yet folk up in arms about it in Stirling. l'm sure it's not too hard Oct-17 to take it to one of the big supermarkets most have glass recycling but hey that's prob too much hassle for those that think the council should do everything for them ðŸ~,ðŸ~
- Ask your council how much of your recycle bin contents are actually recycled. You will be surprised very little it is. I know someone who works on the sorting line in Kirklees. After the tin cans have been magnetised out, it's only the plastic milk bottles and brown paper they are really interested in. Most of it is incinerated. They get away with calling it recycled because because their definition of recycled is "not sending it to landfill". Only 30% is properly recycled here.

- Jun-17 It costs the tax payer £11 million a year to clear up rubbish left around the countryside by fly-tippers 73% of which is dumped by householders.
- Dec-16 Cambusbarron post gales covered in rubbish no monthly collection of green bin recycling. Does that mean we wait another month??
- Dec-16 Haven't found where to put clothing and textiles,.... only option seems to be grey bin for "non-recycling "??? Doesn't seem right?
- Dec-16 They don't recycle clothing now.
- Dec-16 Textiles can be recycled at Fallin.
- Dec-16 My recycling is still sitting from last Wednesday and has not been picked up yet
- Dec-16 There is still not enough recycling of plastic. We end up putting it out with general rubbish which goes into landfill. Please advise.
- I notice that the guide to the new waste services says that we are NOT to put wrapping paper in the green bin? As we approach Dec-16 Christmas, are you saying that wrapping paper cannot be recycled and has to go in the grey bin? If this is so, it seems to be a backward step as this type of paper has been recycled in the past.
- My street had bins delivered nearly 3 weeks ago, they missed about 5 houses/ flats including mine. I have emailed and phoned to be Oct-16 told bins will be delivered asap, still waiting on them a week and a half later!! What am I supposed to do with the stuff I have to recycle that is now overflowing from my blue box??