


## Case Study: Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council

Organisation	Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council (L.C.C.C.)
Project Name/Title	Public Water Refill Station
Project contact	<a href="mailto:waste.education@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk">waste.education@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk</a>
Project Summary	The rollout of publicly accessible water refill stations at council premises.
Aims/objectives of project	To help reduce single-use plastic by encouraging council facility users to refill a reusable bottle at one of council's water refill stations.
Funding	Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council
Successes	<p>The first Lisburn &amp; Castlereagh City Council water refill station was operational in June 2021.</p> <p><b>▲ New Water Refill</b></p> <p>Since then, a further 9 taps have been added. The ten sites have a broad geographical spread within the council area, covering Lisburn, Dundonald, Moira and Carryduff. Additional sites will be added when facilities are upgraded or when suitable locations can be identified.</p>
Communication	<p>A dedicated water bottle refill section was put on the LCCC website so these locations could be easily found by visitors to the council facilities. The webpage also includes a direction finder linked to google or iOS maps and images of each location. Click <a href="#">here</a> to view. The taps are promoted each year during themed days or weeks such as Refill Day, Zero Waste Week and European Week for Waste Reduction. Prizes are offered to users who check their nearest refill station and submit their entry on social media or to a competition email address. These competitions are very popular and get hundreds of entries each time.</p>
	
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