

**RISK ASSESSMENT: VEHICLE WASHING**

**Ref No. WC2**

<b>SECTION:</b>	Waste Collections
<b>SERVICE:</b>	Waste Services
<b>ASSESSMENT REVIEWED:</b>	08/08/2005, 28/09/2006, 14/02/2007, 29/04/2008, 24/11/2008, 08/06/2010 23/11/2011, 09/11/2012, January 2015
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Midland Road Depot, Bath, BA1 3AT
<b>No. OF STAFF:</b>	65
<b>FREQUENCY:</b>	Daily

<b>ASSESSMENT DATE:</b>	22 <sup>nd</sup> August 2003
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<b>REVIEW DUE:</b>	January 2016

<b>TASKS UNDERTAKEN (associated with this post)</b>	<b>SIGNIFICANT HAZARD (associated with this task)</b>	<b>EXISTING CONTROL MEASURES IN PLACE.</b>	<b>ADDITIONAL CONTROL MEASURES REQUIRED</b>	<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Action Priority</b>	<b>Target Date: (for action by)</b>	<b>Comple ed on: (date and initial)</b>
Washing Vehicles with high pressured Karcher HDS 745 CB cabinet mounted steam cleaner at Midland Road Depot	Slips, trips, falls from greasy surface, possible oil-water mixture on surface	1. Spillage granules 2. Safety footwear 3. Daily visual depot inspections 4. Mechanical sweep and wash hard standing	Review inspection process	Acceptable		MH / LG	
	Traffic film remover is an irritant to eyes & skin. Splash back of washing or grit.	1. Safe systems of work from COSHH assessment - SSOW 05 2. Eye wash available 3. Eye protection must be worn 4. Gloves available if required (must be used for sensitive skin) 5. Signage		Acceptable			
	Electrocution	1. Circuit RCD protected 2. Equipment is serviced every six months		Acceptable			

	Scalds from hot water	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. PPE</li> <li>2. Operator instruction and awareness</li> <li>3. SSOW 05</li> <li>4. Temperature of water controlled</li> </ol>		Acceptable			
	Third Party Users, Neighbourhoods Passenger Transport Building Maintenance Car Parks FAUN ATS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sharing of toolbox talk and SSOW with other users of the equipment</li> </ol>	Resend SSOW at review	Acceptable		MH	
	Weather Conditions. Risk of freezing, icy ground	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Area salted by yard man</li> </ol>		Acceptable			
	Changing drum of traffic film remover	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Limited staff involved, use of mechanical aid</li> <li>2. COSHH assessment and SSOW</li> <li>3. Gloves and eye protection to be worn</li> </ol>		Acceptable			