

# FOUNDATION LEVEL



**Waste Smart is part of CIWM's portfolio of foundation level waste management training. It is offered in two course options, a half day Foundation Level and a full day Advanced Level, both of which are aimed at and relevant for employees in every type of business.**

The courses are designed to improve compliance and encourage a culture of more sustainable waste and resource management, however most importantly it will help to reduce your company or organisations waste costs.

The foundation level of the course is aimed at anyone who generates, handles or manages waste as part of their role within any given business. It provides the information necessary to make astute and efficient waste related decisions, whilst increasing sustainability and improving performance.

## **AIMS:**

To provide you with the knowledge, understanding and skills to:

- Ⓞ Prevent wastes arising from workplace activities
- Ⓞ Contribute to improving the management of wastes that are unavoidable

## **COURSE CONTENT:**

The course is comprised 6 sessions:

- Ⓞ What is a resource?
- Ⓞ What is waste?
- Ⓞ The environmental impact of waste
- Ⓞ The cost of managing waste
- Ⓞ Legislation and ensuring compliance
- Ⓞ Improving how we manage resources and wastes

## **WHAT YOU WILL GET OUT OF THE COURSE**

- Ⓞ Understanding why improving resource and waste management is important.
- Ⓞ The knowledge of key regulations and understanding of the responsibilities of those directly involved in managing wastes
- Ⓞ The understanding of how resource management can be improved through reducing waste in the workplace.
- Ⓞ The skills to identify improvements in your own workplace.
- Ⓞ A certificate to demonstrate successful achievement of the course.

