

## Getting things done – Pentland #dundeewestend



Residents in Pentland Crescent and Pentland Avenue have asked me why they currently do not get offered a brown bin garden waste collection.

I raised this with the City Council and received the following positive response from the Service Manager – Waste Management in Neighbourhood Services :

**" ... neither Pentland Avenue or Crescent appear on our current brown bin routes.**

**However, going forward, I can't see any reason why they would be excluded.**

**I'll discuss with the routing team to ensure they are sent appropriate information prior to the permitting scheme going live so they can participate if they so wish.**

**This would also be the case for flats."**

While it is good that a brown bin collection will be offered in the future, this clearly will not be the case until the £35 charge per bin is introduced in March 2020.

I reiterate that introducing a charge for recycling garden waste is a retrograde step that will not help the city reach its recycling targets.