

INVITATION

Island-wide approach to recycling in Cyprus

Stakeholder Consultation Workshop

MAY 22, 2009

UNDP-ACT, Nicosia

11:00-15:00



BACKGROUND

UNDP – ACT in Cyprus aims at creating opportunities for both the Greek Cypriot (GCC) and Turkish Cypriot (TCC) Communities to work together on concrete projects for the benefit of all people on the island, while at the same time promoting tolerance and mutual understanding. One of the areas of interest of UNDP is the protection of the environment and sustainable development.

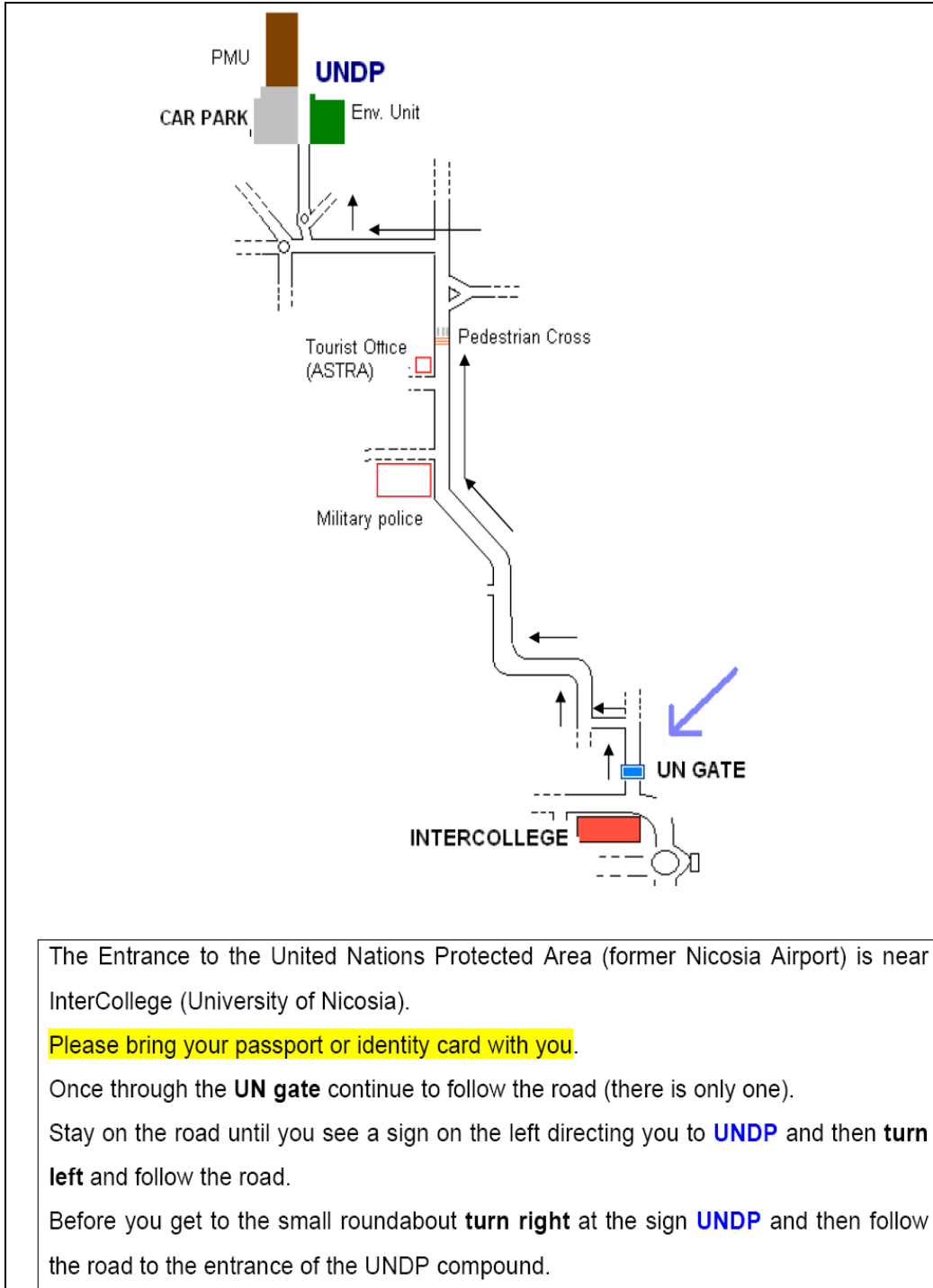
More specifically, this workshop is intended to research the existing fate of waste streams in both communities, with a particular focus on household appliances, electronics equipment, plastics, metal, glass and paper. Following this analysis, a comparison of the existing situation with EU requirements will be undertaken, leading to an analysis of options for a bi-communal approach to recycling.

AGENDA

Time	Topic
11:00-11:10	Welcome Speech by UNDP-ACT
11:10-11:20	Brief presentation of the project
11:20-11:50	Presentation of GCC profile regarding recycling
11:50-12:20	Presentation of TCC profile regarding recycling
12:20-12:30	Current obstacles to bi-communal cooperation
12:30-13:00	Possible opportunities for bi-communal cooperation for recycling, especially in the Nicosia Area
13:00-14:00	Discussion

DIRECTIONS

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