 Transcript of the film

Person one
Hi, I'm Callum from Salford City Council. I'm here to introduce your new food waste caddies and how to use them. Obviously, if you are already using them please carry on.

The new and improved services will begin in Irlam and Cadishead from 2 April and the rest of Salford from 28 May.

Line your seven litre indoor kitchen caddy with a compostable liner and then fill the caddy with any food waste.

Person two
Can I use a plastic bag instead?

Person one
No, because unfortunately these are not compostable and cannot be recycled.

Person two
Will it smell?

Person one
Not if you change the bags regularly and also the lid is lockable to eliminate any odours.

When your kitchen caddy is full, take the bag out and put in into your pink lidded bin which will be now collected weekly.

If you don't have a pink lidded bin, put it into your new outside food caddy - making sure you lock the handle afterwards.

Please remember, the only food waste items you can recycle are:

- Bread cakes and pastries
- Fruit and vegetables
- Dairy products for example cheese and yogurt
- Leftovers from you meals
- Rice and pasta, eggs and shells, fish and meat (raw and uncooked including bones)
- Tea bags and ground coffee
- Pet food

You would also have received information with your new food waste caddies which shows want you can put in each bin and when your collection days are.
**Person two**
Have there been any changes about what goes in my others bins?

**Person one**
No, you should continue to use your other bins as normal but we will be increasing the number of recycling collections to help you recycle more.

Your blue and brown bins will now be collected fortnightly. Your pink lidded bin will be collected weekly and your black bin will be collected fortnightly.

**Person two**
What happens to the food waste once it is collected?

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Once the food waste is collected, it is taken to a local composting facility, where it is processed to become high quality compost. This compost is then used as a fertiliser throughout the north west.

It is important to know that Salford City Council will no longer collect any waste placed at the side of your bin and no longer collect the bin if the lid is open. Please take any excess waste to a household waste recycling centre.