



**Council for Sustainable Development
Building an SD Strategy for Hong Kong**

Sustainable Development – Making Choices for Our Future

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Strategy Workshops

Participating in the **Strategy Workshops** that will take place between **2 October** and **6 November 2004**.

The Council for Sustainable Development (SD) is implementing an engagement process aimed at involving stakeholders in the community in building an SD Strategy for Hong Kong. Initially this strategy will focus on three Pilot Areas (PA), namely: Solid Waste Management (SWM), Renewable Energy (RE) and Urban Living Space (ULS).

The focus of the engagement process is a public involvement exercise centred on the Council's first "Invitation and Response" (IR) document – **Sustainable Development: Making Choices for Our Future**.

From 2 October, the Council will organise a series of workshops in various locations to enable stakeholders from different sectors and people from local communities to join the discussion of the issues raised in the IR document. The main objectives of the workshops are –

- To provide a platform for open exchanges of views on the Pilot Areas
- To address the key questions raised in the IR document; and
- To identify possible ways forward for an SD Strategy.

Please refer to the next page for the detailed dates and locations of the workshops. You are invited to attend the workshops for **one or more Pilot Area(s)**.

We have appointed experienced Lead Facilitators to run these workshops, and we will provide information packs to all participants to help them prepare for the discussion. We also advise participants to read the relevant chapters of the IR document, so that you would have a general idea about the key issues that the Council would like to address. The full text of the document is available on our website: <http://www.susdev.org.hk>.

The feedback from the workshops will help form the basis of a report by the Council for SD to the Government on how to take forward Hong Kong's SD Strategy, with particular focus on the three Pilot Areas. **The choices we make will determine how we build a better community for ourselves and for future.**

Schedule of Pilot Area Workshops

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					OCTOBER 1	2 # SWM workshop (9:30am – 12:30pm) [Q Stadium]
3	4 # ULS workshop (9:30am – 12:30pm) [Cultural Centre]	5	6 # RE workshop (6:00 – 9:00pm) [Business Environment Council, close to MTR Kowloon Tong Station]	7	8	9
10	11 # SWM workshop (2:30 – 5:30pm) [Cultural Centre]	12	13	14	15 RE workshop (2:30 – 5:30pm) [Shatin Town Hall]	16 SWM workshop (9:30am – 12:30pm) [Shatin Town Hall]
17	18 # ULS workshop (6:00 – 9:00pm) [City Hall]	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 SWM workshop (2:30 – 5:30pm) [Ngau Chi Wan Civic Centre]	30 # RE workshop (9:30am – 12:30pm) [St Paul's Convent School, Causeway Bay]
31	NOVEMBER 1	2 SWM workshop (6:00 – 9:00pm) [Tsuen Wan Town Hall]	3	4	5	6 ULS workshop (9:30am – 12:30pm) [Christian Alliance Cheng Wing Gee College, close to KCR Tai Wai Station]

At two workshops for each of the Pilot Areas (on 2, 4, 6, 11, 18 and 30 October), simultaneous interpretation services will be available. The other workshops will mainly be conducted in Cantonese.