



## **News Release**

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### **AEA's Knowledge Leader elected new Chair of the Chartered Institution of Wastes Management for the Midlands Region Council**

AEA Knowledge Leader Dr Adam Read has recently been elected to the position of chairman of the CIWM (Chartered Institution of Wastes Management) Midlands Region Council.

The Chartered Institution of Wastes Management is the leading professional body for waste and resource management. It has over 7,000 members, mostly in the UK, but also in the Irish Republic and 250 members elsewhere in the world.

Over the last 2 years Dr Read has held the position of vice chair and last year was awarded a Fellowship from the CIWM for his outstanding contribution to the waste sector and his work as part of the National Committee for Education, Training and Membership.

Robert Bell, Operations Director, AEA said:

“Adam will be a great asset to CIWM as Chair of the Midland Region Council and will take the opportunity to stamp his personality on regional events and activities for the association.”

Dr Adam Read added:

“I am very much looking forward to taking on this new challenging role and will be planning a programme of new initiatives to reach the demands of the regional membership.”

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