WASTE AND RECYCLING GUIDE Kerbside Collection Service

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Recycling Week 1 FOGO Week 2

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Green Waste Weekend

Christmas Day Collection

For further information on your collection day please visit the interactive collection map at kingborough.tas.gov.au/services/waste-recycling/household-collection/ PLEASE NOTE THE KERBSIDE COLLECTIONS SCHEDULED FOR CHRISTMAS DAY WILL BE CARRIED OUT ON SATURDAY 28 DECEMBER 2024

KERBSIDE SERVICES

KERBSIDE RECYCLING

STANDARD KERBSIDE SERVICES



TIPS TO MAKE SURE YOUR BINS ARE COLLECTED

- Put your bin out for collection the night before or no later than 6 am on collection day.
- Don't place your bin behind a parked car or other obstacle.
- Make sure there is a distance of at least 1 metre between your bins and any obstacles such as a pole or tree.
- . Bins must face the road with handles facing your house.
- Don't overfill the bin. The lid should be fully closed. Max 70kg.
- Do not place rubbish beside or on top of the bin.
- Remove your bins from the kerb after collection within 24 hrs.
- Number your bin lid to protect against loss or theft.
- Bins are the property of Kingborough Council.
- Bins must remain at the allocated property and not removed.
- Don't put lawn clippings or garden waste into your waste or recycling bins. Please use your FOGO bin.

1 metre

THE APP
Download the
Recycle Coach
app, which will
alert you to bin
collection days
and what can go in
your kerbside bin.

For further information on the kerbside collection service, visit Council's website kingborough.tas.gov.au/household-collection

REMEMBER TO SOCIALLY DISTANCE YOUR BINS

Please make sure there is clear access to your bin. Items not permitted in your kerbside bins as they may cause damage to the collection vehicles.

- Dirt, rocks, bricks, heavy timber, fencing materials, steel or large car parts
- Hot ashes
- Paint, chemical or motor oil

Hazardous materials

Dead animals



Aim to keep bins at least 1 metre apart from each other and 1 metre away from cars, trees or poles. Drivers are not able to move your bin if it is obstructed.



BIN REPAIRS, UPGRADES AND REPLACEMENTS

Bin repairs will be carried out on Thursday each week with new bins delivered on the following Friday. Application forms and requests must be received by 12 noon on Wednesday for delivery the following Thursday and Friday. Applications can be made online at kingborough.tas.gov.au/forms or by contacting the Council Customer Service Centre on 6211 8200. Please remember to leave your bin in a visible location at the front of your property on the day of repair or change of bin size.

MISSED BINS
If your bin collection
has been missed,
please contact
Kingborough Council on
6211 8200

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WHAT HAPPENS TO YOUR RECYCLING AFTER COLLECTION?

At the time of collection the driver will do a visual check of the recycling bin to ensure there is no contamination like plastic bags, food or textiles. The recyclables will then be transported to a Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) for processing. A combination of automated machinery and manual sorters sort the recyclables into different streams to be baled. Once baled, the recyclables are transported to onshore recyclers or exported to be turned into new products and materials. The only exception to this is glass which is separated from the other recyclables and transported to a local recycler for crushing and re-use in road base material and road construction.

Metal cans and tin plate are smelted down and turned into new metal products like reinforcing bar with aluminium cans also smelted down for use in the manufacture of new aluminium cans.

HDPE (cloudy milk containers) and PET (water, soft drink bottles) plastics are exported to international markets for processing into plastic flakes for manufacture of play equipment and polar fleece jumpers.

The remaining mixed plastics (laundry liquid, washing and shampoo bottles and any coloured plastics) are currently sent to a Victorian processing facility for washing and flaking for sale to local and overseas customers for manufacture of bottles, containers and other products.

Further information on recycling can be found at the following link of our current processor. www.cleanaway.com.au/greenius-module/



WHAT CAN I RECYCLE?





- · Glass bottles and jars
- · Clean paper and newspaper
- Cardboard
- Rigid plastic bottles and containers 1-5
- Steel tins, aluminum cans and foil

RECYCLING TIPS

- Do not place recyclables in plastic bags
- Empty containers of liquids or food
- All recycling should be placed in the bin loose, not in plastic bags, boxes or tied up with string

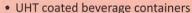


PLEASE REMOVE LIDS & CAPS FROM CONTAINERS

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- Plastic bags
- Bagged materials
- · Car parts
- Household batteries
- · Clothing/footwear
- Toys
- · Building or Fencing Materials





- · Disposable coffee cups
- Nappies

Foods or liquids

- · Appliances or metal cookware
- E-waste

To find out further information on recycling visit Council's website kingborough.tas.gov.au/recycling

KERBSIDE RECYCLING

KERBSIDE FOGO

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KERBSIDE FOOD ORGANICS AND GARDEN ORGANICS COLLECTION SERVICE (FOGO)

Kingborough Council provides a fortnightly kerbside FOGO collection service to all properties on the current kerbside collection service

The kerbside FOGO service is part of Council's continuing commitment to help mitigate the effects of climate change by diverting organic material from landfill and reducing greenhouse emissions.

Compost made from kerbside FOGO service has significant environmental

benefits. This nutrient-rich matter cools and nourishes the soil, improves water retention, increases yield, and



lowers maintenance needs. Applying compost to land assists in reversing urban and rural land degradation.

How do I get a FOGO bin?

All properties on the current kerbside collection service are eligible for the kerbside FOGO service. Only the property owner can request to opt into the service as the service fee is applied to the rates notice of the property owner, not to the tenant. If you are a tenant of a property on the current kerbside collection service and would like to receive the FOGO service, contact your landlord to discuss opting-in and any associated

Property owners can opt into the service by completing the online application at

kingborough.tas.gov.au/services/ waste-recycling/green-waste/ or by contacting customer service on 6211 8200

Can I use bin liners?

To reduce the risk of contamination

it is preferred that FOGO users put their scraps in loose. All FOGO service recipients are entitled to receive a kitchen caddy to store their food scraps in until they are ready to empty them into the FOGO bin. Please tip the contents into the bin and do not place the caddy inside the FOGO bin. Plastic bin liners contaminate loads. You can use a piece of paper towel to line your kitchen caddy or can fold a purpose made liner from newspaper. It is strongly preferred that you do not use liners in your caddy, use paper instead. However, if you wish to use a compostable liner it must be certified compostable under one of the following certifications: AS 5810, AS 4736, ASTM D6400, and EN13432.

VERY IMPORTANT

Please do not put plastic bags in your kitchen caddy or FOGO Bin. Not even degradable or biodegradable based bags as they can still contain plastics which break down and become micro-plastics which are harmful to the environment.



WHAT CAN GO IN MY FOGO BIN?



















- · Food scraps & left overs
- · Dairy products
- · Meat, bones & eggshells
- · Cooked food
- · Coffee grounds & tea leaves
- · Pet poo & organic cat litter
- Paper towel & tissues
- · Soiled paper & cardboard
- · Grass clippings & weeds
- Small branches
- · Compostable cups & plates*
- Certified compostible bags*
- * Compostable bioplastic products that are certified under one of the following certifications; AS5810, AS 4736, ASTM D6400, and EN13432 can be placed in your FOGO bin. If you are unsure whether a product is compostable please do not put it in the FOGO bin.

WHAT CAN'T GO IN MY FOGO BIN?



- · Biodegradable bags
- Soil
- Large branches
- · Concrete, rock or ceramics
- Treated timber
- General waste or recycling
- Textiles
- Plastic
- Plastic bags
- Metals
- · Building materials
- Nappies
- The kitchen caddy



BARRETTA WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY

1922 Channel Highway, Barretta 7054

WASTE TRANSFER STATION - OPENING HOURS Telephone: (03) 6267 2337

Monday - Friday

7.30 am - 4 pm

Weekends

9 am - 4 pm

Public Holidays

9 am - 4 pm

Closed Good Friday and Christmas Day

RE-USE SHOP - OPENING HOURS Telephone (03) 6267 1522

Monday - Friday

9 am - 4 pm

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BRUNY ISLAND WASTE TRANSFER STATION

P231 Bruny Island Main Road, Bruny Island

OPENING HOURS

Telephone: (03) 6267 2337

Monday

8 am - 3.30 pm

Tuesday

Closed

Wednesday

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Thursday

Closed

Friday

8 am - 3.30 pm

Saturday

8 am - 3.30 pm

Sunday

8 am - 3.30 pm

Closed Good Friday and Christmas Day

For fees and charges and the complete list of recycling options available please visit: kingborough.tas.gov.au