

# Waste and Recycling Guide 2021 - 2022

## Town of Bassendean



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### APRIL 2022

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### MAY 2022

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### JUNE 2022

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## Place two bins out for collection each week:



- FOGO (lime green lid) + GENERAL WASTE (red lid) week
- FOGO (lime green lid) + RECYCLING (yellow lid) week

■ Collection on this day – 15th April (Good Friday) will be completed the following day 16 April 2022

■ Additional Christmas Collection Service  
The Town will collect the FOGO, Recycling and General waste bins during this period.

If you would like this guide in another language or in larger print, please contact the Town on [9377 8000](tel:93778000)

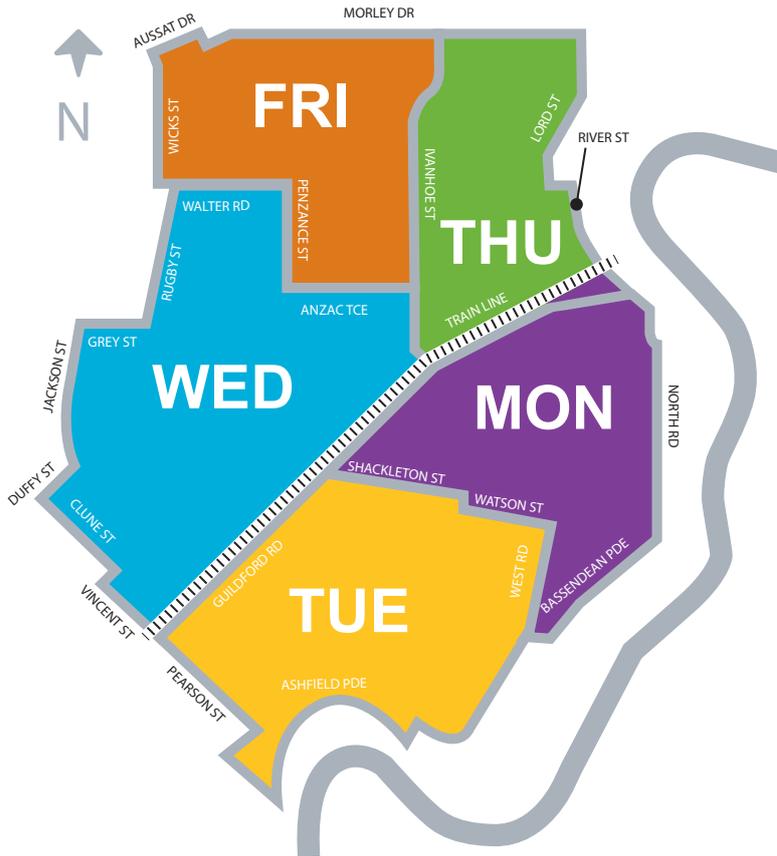
### Need more FOGO bin liners?

100% Compostable caddy bags are available free of charge from our Customer Service Centre and the Bassendean Memorial Library. Please bring proof of address.



Printed 100% Carbon Neutral on Recycled Paper.

# Bin Services



You can check your bin collection dates at [bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://bassendean.wa.gov.au)  
Click on the bin icon



To report a damaged or missing bin please call **9350 7195**

Place bins out by 6:00am on your collection day

Keep bins **1 metre** clear of obstructions e.g. cars, walls, posts



0.5 metre apart



Place bins with wheels nearest to your house

Within 1 metre of the road

Within 1 metre of the road

## Public Holiday Changes to Bin Collection Services

**If your normal collection day is:**

Friday 15 April 2022

**Your bin will be collected on:**

Saturday 16 April 2022

## FOGO BIN

Lime-green Lid  
COLLECTED WEEKLY

Only use compostable caddy liners (available from the Town) that are certified under Australian Standards. Look for the seedling logo.



70 kg maximum weight

Thanks to residents using their FOGO bins correctly, the kerbside recovery rate is now at 54% vs this time last year at 15%. Since introducing the FOGO system the Town has diverted 1,966 tonnes of FOGO from the red lid bin.

## RECYCLING BIN

Yellow Lid  
COLLECTED FORTNIGHTLY

Place all items loose into the bin



Recycle these 5

**Is your recycling bin always full?**

Head to your nearest Containers for Change collection point to get a refund for your eligible containers.



Paper



Glass jars and bottles



Plastic bottles and containers



Cans



Cardboard



70 kg maximum weight

## GENERAL WASTE BIN

Red Lid  
COLLECTED FORTNIGHTLY



70 kg maximum weight

- ✔ Nappies
- ✔ UHT (long-life/silver lined) cartons
- ✔ Old clothing and textiles
- ✔ Soft plastics, polystyrene & meat trays
- ✔ Hygiene and sanitary products
- ✔ Disposable coffee cups & lids

## BIN SERVICES

# Be a GREAT Sort!

Landfill is the last resort.

## RECYCLE THESE 5

plastic, glass, cans, paper and cardboard.

## GIFT STUFF

to charity, swap or sell.

## EARTH-CYCLE

food scraps and garden waste into compost.

## AVOID EXCESS PACKAGING

and disposable containers.

## TAKE TO DROP-OFFS

batteries, light globes, e-waste and chemicals.



Many people in Bassendean drop soft plastics in a REDcycle bin, found at major supermarkets. For more details [redcycle.net.au](http://redcycle.net.au)



## CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

Many people save bottles and cans for Containers for Change. They get a 10c refund for every container.



Step 1 collect eligible containers



Step 2 take them to a refund point



Step 3 earn a refund or donate

For more details visit [containersforchange.com.au/wa](http://containersforchange.com.au/wa)

# More options for waste disposal

Use a reusable cup!



Residents in the Town of Bassendean avoid plastic bags by taking their own reusable bags.

Other ways residents are avoiding waste include:

Using a reusable coffee cup

Modern Cloth Nappies instead of disposables

Having takeaways in their own containers

Buying fruit and vegetables loose

Buying in bulk to reduce packaging



Not sure which bin to put in in?  
Download the Recycle Right app or visit [recycleright.wa.gov.au](http://recycleright.wa.gov.au) to find an A-Z list for disposing of household waste. Available through the App Store or Google Play.



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

These dangerous items do not belong in any bin.



Gas Cylinders and Aerosols



Household Dry Cell Batteries



Flammables



Corrosives



Pesticides and Herbicides



Poisons



Fire Extinguishers (non-halon)



Paint



Fluorescent globes and tubes (CFLs)

Take these items to a drop off centre. For more details visit please [wastenet.net.au/hhw](http://wastenet.net.au/hhw)

### EMRC Waste Education Program

Book a free tour of Red Hill Waste Management Facility or learn how to manage your household waste by attending a talk, workshop or course. Borrow one of the many resources available to help reduce your waste such as the EMRC party box or paper making kit. The EMRC waste education team coordinates the region's battery and fluorescent light collection program for schools and public places.

For more details visit [rgang.org.au](http://rgang.org.au) or email [wasteeducation@emrc.org.au](mailto:wasteeducation@emrc.org.au) or call (08) 9424 2271.



## WASTE AND RECYCLING

# Bulk Verge Collections & Drop Off Mornings

Bulk waste and greenwaste verge collections occur once each per year. Your service area is shown on the map, and the set-out dates are listed in the table below.



Please refer to the Town's website in October and May to confirm verge collection dates [bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://bassendean.wa.gov.au)

Area	Bulk Waste Collection	Green Waste Verge Collection
3	30.10.2021 - 31.10.2021	30-04.2022 - 01.05.2022
4	06.11.2021 - 07.11.2021	07.05.2022 - 08.05.2022
5	13.11.2021 - 14.11.2021	14.05.2022 - 15.05.2022
1	20.11.2021 - 21.11.2021	21.05.2022 - 22.05.2022
2	27.11.2021 - 28.11.2021	28.05.2022 - 29.05.2022

**Please note:** The Town of Bassendean greatly values its street verge trees. Pruning, damaging or vandalising a street verge tree is illegal and offenders will be prosecuted.



Place your waste on the verge only on the two weekend set-out days indicated for your area. Placing items on the verge at other times may result in an infringement.



Maximum of two cubic metres per verge collection (equals two 1.8m x 1.2m trailer loads)



Collections will start at 7:00am on the Monday following your weekend set-out dates. See the next page for verge collection guidelines.

## PLACING YOUR BULK WASTE ITEMS ON THE VERGE



- ❌ NO vehicle batteries
- ❌ NO tyres
- ❌ NO glass or mirrors
- ❌ NO household hazardous waste (see page 4)
- ❌ NO builders waste
- ❌ NO mattresses
- ❌ NO car parts
- ❌ NO asbestos (or material resembling asbestos)
- ❌ NO greenwaste
- ❌ NO food or household waste
- ❌ NO gas cylinders

## GREENWASTE VERGE COLLECTION

Ensure only the following items are placed on the verge:

Tree & shrub prunings  
Stumps

Maximum size  
1.5m length x 20cm diameter



Lawn clippings  
Leaves

Must be placed  
in a cardboard box. Max 32kg



## MATTRESSES, FRIDGES AND FREEZERS

Call **9350 7195** to book a collection and place items on verge as directed.

Please remember to:

- ✔️ Remove the door from fridges and freezers before placing on verge.
- ✔️ Fridges and freezers do not need to be degassed prior to collection.
- ✔️ Limit of 3 mattresses per household per year.

Go to [bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://bassendean.wa.gov.au) for further information.



## COMMUNITY DROP OFF MORNINGS

**When:** Saturday October 16, 2021 and Saturday 7 May, 2022 9.00am - 12.00pm

**Location:** 69 Scaddan Street, Bassendean

**Accepted items:** Non painted/untreated timber, tyres (off rim), metal, cardboard, household batteries, engine oil (20L max), styrofoam, aerosols and E-waste.

This service is for Town of Bassendean residents only. Please bring ID and proof of address.

For more information, call **9377 8000** or visit [bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://bassendean.wa.gov.au)

**BULK VERGE COLLECTIONS  
AND DROP OFF MORNINGS**

**DISPOSAL SITES (BACK PAGE)**

magnet area  
keep clear

## Useful Contacts

magnet area  
keep clear

What goes in which bin  
[www.recycleright.wa.gov.au](http://www.recycleright.wa.gov.au)

Recycle soft plastics  
[www.redcycle.net.au](http://www.redcycle.net.au)

Get your money back on  
eligible containers  
[www.containersforchange.com.au](http://www.containersforchange.com.au)

Too good to throw away  
[www.giv.org.au](http://www.giv.org.au)



**EMRC Red Hill Waste Management Facility**  
1094 Toodyay Road, Red Hill Phone: 9574 6235

### Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday: 8:00am - 4:00pm  
Sunday: 10:00am - 4:00pm  
Closed Good Friday, Christmas Day and New Years Day

### Waste accepted:

Televisions, computers and computer accessories  
(whole, unbroken items only) - No commercial quantities

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW).  
Do not mix with general waste or recyclables.

General waste (fee payable)

Asbestos (fee payable) - Must be twice-wrapped in thick plastic and taped

**For a list of fees and charges, visit [www.emrc.org.au](http://www.emrc.org.au)  
or call 9574 6235**

### Tip Passes

**Each residential property that pays for a waste service in the Town of Bassendean is entitled to four (4) tip passes per financial year.**

Each tip pass entitles the owner to dispose of up to half a tonne of waste equal to 1.8m x 1.2m trailer or ute.

### Please note:

Tip passes are attached to rate notices. They are no longer available from the Council Office. Tip passes are not for resale.



### EMRC Waste Education

**Email:** [wasteeducation@emrc.org.au](mailto:wasteeducation@emrc.org.au)

**Website:** [rgang.org.au](http://rgang.org.au)

**Phone:** 08 9424 2222