

# Waste and Recycling Guide 2022 - 2023



## Town of Bassendean

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### JUNE 2023

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Place two bins out for collection each week:



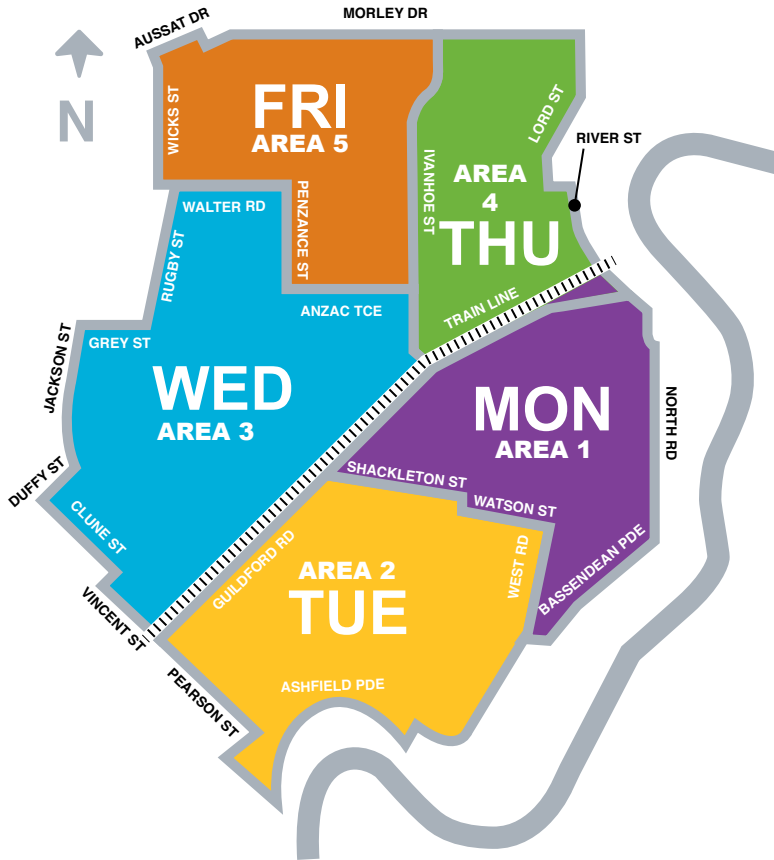
- FOGO (lime green lid) + GENERAL WASTE (red lid) week
- FOGO (lime green lid) + RECYCLING (yellow lid) week
- Bins collected a day later due to public holiday.
- Additional Christmas Collection Service  
The Town will collect the FOGO, Recycling and General waste bins during this period.

If you would like this guide in another language or in larger print, please contact the Town on [9377 8095](tel:93778095).

#### 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.

# Bin Services



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



To report a damaged or missing bin please call Veolia on **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

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## Public Holiday Changes to Bin Collection Services

If your normal collection day is:

Friday 7 April 2023

Your bin will be collected on:

Saturday 8 April 2023

## 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.



Thanks to residents using their FOGO bins correctly, the kerbside recovery rate is now at 61% vs this time last year at 54%. Since introducing the FOGO system the Town has diverted 5,415 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



## GENERAL WASTE BIN

Red Lid  
COLLECTED FORTNIGHTLY



- ✓ 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**

**\* REMEMBER** Cardboard flattened.  
Containers rinsed, loose and lids off.

## Cloth Nappies and Sanitary Items Rebate

### What you can claim

Cloth nappies- 50% of the purchase price to a maximum amount of \$100.

Reusable sanitary products- 50% of the purchase price to a maximum amount of \$50.

### How to apply

To be eligible for the nappy rebate you must attend a workshop. We want to make sure you have the best opportunity for success in using your new nappies.

To register your interest for the rebate please see the Town's website Environment & Sustainability > Sustainability Programs



## Composting

The Town provides a subsidy to its residents to encourage home composting and the improvement of local soils. The above systems can be purchased through the Town at 40% of their retail value.

In order to be eligible for the subsidy you must be a Town of Bassendean resident. A limit of one system per household applies.

Bokashi bucket with 1kg Bokashi mix	\$34.00
Worm farm with 1kg worms	\$51.50
220L compost bin	\$20.00

To purchase one of the above systems please call Environment House on (08) 9271 4488.



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)



# More options for waste disposal



## Not sure which bin to put it 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 please visit [wastenet.net.au/hhw](http://wastenet.net.au/hhw)



## 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)

WASTE AND RECYCLING

# Bulk Verge Collections & Drop Off Mornings

**The verge collections scheduled for October/November 2022 and April/May 2023 are cancelled ahead of the Town's transition to a booked skip bin service launch.**

**Please do not place material out for these cancelled collections.**

The Town is transitioning to a booked Skip Bin service. There are multiple benefits to an on-demand Skip Bin service such as convenience and reduced dumping.

From **Thursday 10 November 2022** residents will be able to order one general waste skip bin, and one green waste skip bin per financial year. The first bins are to be delivered on **Thursday 1 December 2022**. Alternatively, residents can also choose to order two green waste skip bins per financial year.

Where a verge is not suitable for a skip bin, residents may be eligible for a bin to be emptied from private property with the signing of a waiver and approval from Veolia. If this is not possible, then a booker verge collection may be offered based on an assessment by Veolia. If all the previous methods are not viable, the Town may elect to provide 2 additional tip vouchers.

## 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:** 15th of October 2022 and 6th of May 2023 (both Saturdays)  
9.00am - 12.00pm  
Dates and times are subject to change.

**Location:** 69 Scaddan Street, Bassendean

**Accepted items:** Non painted/untreated timber, tyres (off rim), metal, cardboard, household batteries, engine oil (20L max), polystyrene, 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 8095** or visit [bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://bassendean.wa.gov.au)



## 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 [emrc.org.au](http://emrc.org.au) or email [wasteeducation@emrc.org.au](mailto:wasteeducation@emrc.org.au) or call (08) 9424 2271.

**BULK VERGE COLLECTIONS  
AND DROP OFF MORNINGS**

**DISPOSAL SITES (BACK PAGE)**

# Useful Contacts

## Baywaste 271 Collier Road

TEL: (08) 9271 2964

Monday to Friday :7:30am - 4:00pm

Saturday, Sunday  
& Public Holidays :10:00am - 4:00pm

Closed Good Friday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day

### The Town of Bassendean residents can now take:

Lead Acid Batteries, Scrap Metal, Bicycles, Cardboard, Empty Aerosol Cans, Polystyrene

For the latest information on what is accepted, visit [emrc.org.au](http://emrc.org.au)



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Recycled Paper.

Next year the Town of Bassendean will be encouraging residents to avoid waste by receiving the Town's Waste and Recycle Guide in a digital version. Printed versions will only be available on request.



## 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, Boxing 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 (maximum 20kg or 20lt).

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 two (2) 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 not for resale and are unable to be replaced if disposed of or lost.

\* Tip passes able to be redeemed at Baywaste from 1/09/2022

\*\* Fee payable for tip passes redeemed at Baywaste



## EMRC Waste Education

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

Website: [emrc.org.au](http://emrc.org.au)

Phone: 08 9424 2222