

Shire of Broome Waste Guide





**COLLECTED
FORTNIGHTLY**

Recycling Bin

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✓ What CAN go in your **RECYCLING BIN**?

Paper

Clean and
no shredded paper



Plastic bottles and containers

Rinsed and lids removed



Glass bottles and jars

Rinsed and lids removed



Cans

Steel and aluminum



Cardboard

Flattened, dry
and clean



✗ What CANNOT go in your **RECYCLING BIN**?

NO
meat trays



NO
soft plastics



NO
batteries



NO
food or
garden organics

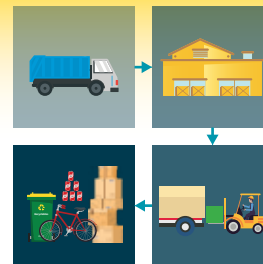


NO aerosols,
electronic waste,
batteries or gas bottles



WHAT HAPPENS TO YOUR RECYCLING?

- 1) Recycling is collected fortnightly
- 2) Materials are sorted at a Material Recovery Facility using manual sorting and magnets
- 3) Materials are baled by type and sent to manufacturers for further processing
- 4) Materials are turned into new products





**COLLECTED
WEEKLY**

General Waste Bin

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✓ What CAN go in your **GENERAL WASTE BIN**?

Shredded paper and
dirty paper/cardboard



Un-repairable clothing,
linen and toys



Nappies and
sanitary items



Broken glass and ceramics



Food
waste



Animal
droppings



Soft
plastics



Coffee and
takeaway
cups



**If it moves, lights up, or makes a sound,
CHECK IF IT HAS A BATTERY!**

Common locations batteries can be taken to
for safe disposal include: Woolworths, Coles, Mitre 10,
Bunnings and Broome Waste Management Facility.

✗ What CANNOT go in your **GENERAL WASTE BIN**?

NO hazardous waste
i.e. chemicals, paint,
asbestos



NO gas
bottles



NO scrap
metal



NO tyres



NO car/
auto parts



Batteries and rechargeable devices
are not accepted in any kerbside bins.
They are highly flammable and can cause
fires in our trucks and processing facilities.



Bin Placement **PLACING YOUR BIN CORRECTLY**



Keep the weight of the bin under 70kg



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



Ensure your bin lid can close and do not overfill



Ensure no vehicles are parked in front of the bins



Place bin with wheels facing the house

DO NOT place Household Hazardous Waste (e.g. batteries, chemicals) or hot ashes in your bin. **ENSURE** the correct items are placed in the correct bins. For more information on what can be placed in your bins, scan the QR code on the right or visit broome.wa.gov.au/Shire-Services/Waste-and-Recycling



For bin repairs or replacements,

scan the QR code below or visit broome.wa.gov.au/Shire-Services/Waste-and-Recycling/Kerbside-Bin-Service to complete the Bin Repair Request Form, or contact our friendly customer service team on 9191 3456.





Household Hazardous Waste

All households generate waste that can't be disposed of through kerbside waste management. To help keep our collection drivers, community and environment safe, it is important the items listed on this page are taken to appropriate drop off locations.

Accepted Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Items (20kg / 20L per material)

• Waste Management Facility

Buckleys Road, Broome – 9191 8777

Open: 7 days a week; Monday to Saturday from 7:30am to 3:30pm and Sunday from 8:00am to 2:00pm. Closed: New Year's Day, Christmas Day, Boxing Day and Good Friday. EFTPOS and cash are accepted and account transactions are available for regular users.



Motor oil
(max. 20 litres)



Household
batteries



E-waste (data
will be deleted)



Flourescent
lights



Car
batteries



Empty
paint tins



Power tool
batteries



Empty fire
extinguishers



Gas
cylinder



Never bin your batteries



**Don't
toss them**
in general waste or
recycling bins

Tape them
using clear
sticky tape

Take them
to your nearest
B-cycle accredited
Drop off point



Binning your batteries is a fire risk
and is harmful to people and the planet.

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Containers for Change



Through Containers for Change, you can earn 10 cents for every eligible container collected. This is a great way to earn some extra cash, raise money for your local sports club, or support a local charity, while contributing towards Australia's circular economy.

Drop off locations *Remember to rinse and take the lids off!

Broome - Depot

Nirumbuk Environmental Health and Services
29 Clementson Street , Broome 6725

Broome - Drop and Go

Broome Waste Management Facility
164 Buckleys Road, Waterbank 6725

✓ Eligible containers

Most glass, plastic, aluminium, steel and paper-based cartons between 150ml – 3L.

Check for the 10¢ mark.



✗ Ineligible containers

Containers not commonly found in litter including all plain milk, flavoured milks 1L and above, pure juice drinks, wine and spirit bottles and cordials.

Reuse and Repair



If it is too good to throw away, try gifting, swapping or fixing it. Here are some local organisations that take unwanted items in good condition.

- **Buy Nothing or Gifting with Integrity:** Post anything in your local Facebook community group for free.

- **Charities:** Donate clothing, bric-a-brac and furniture

St Vincent Pallotti Op shop

27 Robinson St – 08 91921822.

Open Tuesday to Saturday from 8:30am to 1:00pm.

Donations can only be dropped off during operating hours.

The Broome Uniting Church Op Shop - Rolland House

13 Anne St – 0427 217 129.

Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 9:00am to 12:00pm. Face to face drop off.

Red Cross Op Shop

Paspaley Plaza, Unit 29 Carnarvon St.

Open Monday to Friday from 10:00am to 5:00pm and Saturday from 9:00am to 2:00pm

- **Garage Sale:** Hold a garage sale throughout the year.
- **Givit:** Match items to recipients in need.
- **Council community drop off**

Broome Waste Management Facility, Buckley's Road

Open Monday to Saturday from 7:30am to 3:30pm and Sunday from 8:00am to 2:00pm. Closed: New Year's Day, Christmas Day, Boxing Day and Good Friday.



Free mulch

Free mulch is available all year round at the Broome's Waste Management Facility.

Available during opening hours, we offer assisted loading for residential customers from 8:00am to 2:00pm, and all-day loading for commercial customers. There is no limit on how much you can take, just bring proof of residence and tools to load it yourself.

Illegal dumping

Report illegal dumping to the Shire Rangers on 9191 3456. If you have hard waste that needs to be disposed of, this waste can be taken to Buckleys Road Waste Management Centre.

OPEN: 7 days a week; Monday to Saturday from 7:30am to 3:30pm and Sunday from 8:00am to 2:00pm.

CLOSED: New Year's Day, Christmas Day, Boxing Day and Good Friday.

Cyclone waste disposal

On the last weekend in October and the first weekend in November, the Shire of Broome offers free household waste drop offs to help the region prepare for cyclone season.

These weekends are in addition to the six free waste passes ratepayers receive each year.

Scan the QR code below to learn more.



Waste education

Do you want to learn more about Broome's waste and recycling services?

visit broome.wa.gov.au/Contact-Us/E-Newsletter to sign up to our e-newsletter, or contact our education team to find out what resources are available.

Shire of Broome Waste Education Officer

08 9191 3456



Magnets placed here