

# WASTE & RECYCLING CALENDAR

## 2020-2021 Kerbside Bin Collections

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**Cash in your containers  
in Freo!** Earn 10c per eligible  
container from 1 October



For waste and recycling enquiries  
call **1300 MY FREO** (1300 693 736)  
or visit **[fremantle.wa.gov.au/waste](https://fremantle.wa.gov.au/waste)**



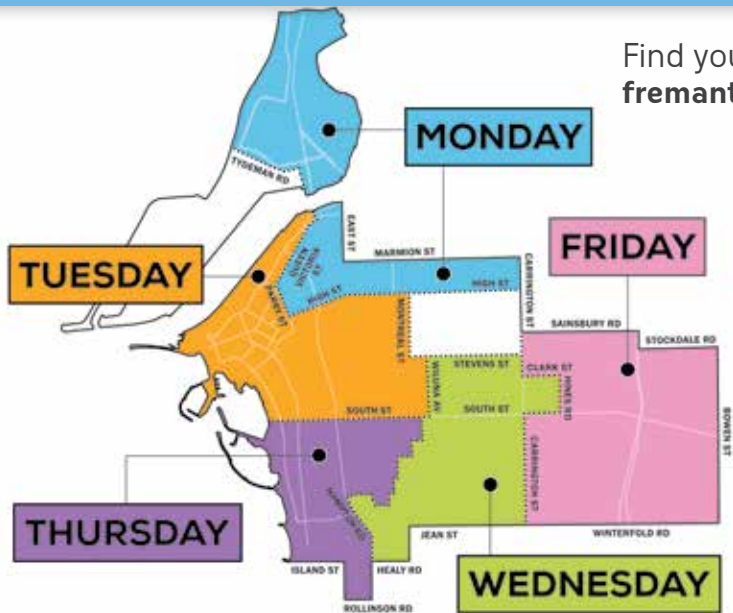
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# Bin Collection Map

Find your bin days at  
[fremantle.wa.gov.au/bindays](http://fremantle.wa.gov.au/bindays)



- Ensure bins are placed out by 6am on collection day
- Your Food Organics, Garden Organics (FOGO) bin is collected **weekly**
- Your Recycling and General Waste bins are collected on **alternate fortnights**
- Do not overfill your bins and ensure lids are firmly closed so items do not spill out
- Bins must weigh less than 70kg to be collected

# Waste & Recycling Calendar 2020-21

SEPTEMBER 2020						
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Bin collection days:     Recycling bin     General waste bin

X No service on these public holidays and collection will take place the following day (Saturday)

Which bins go  
out each week?

FOGO and  
General Waste



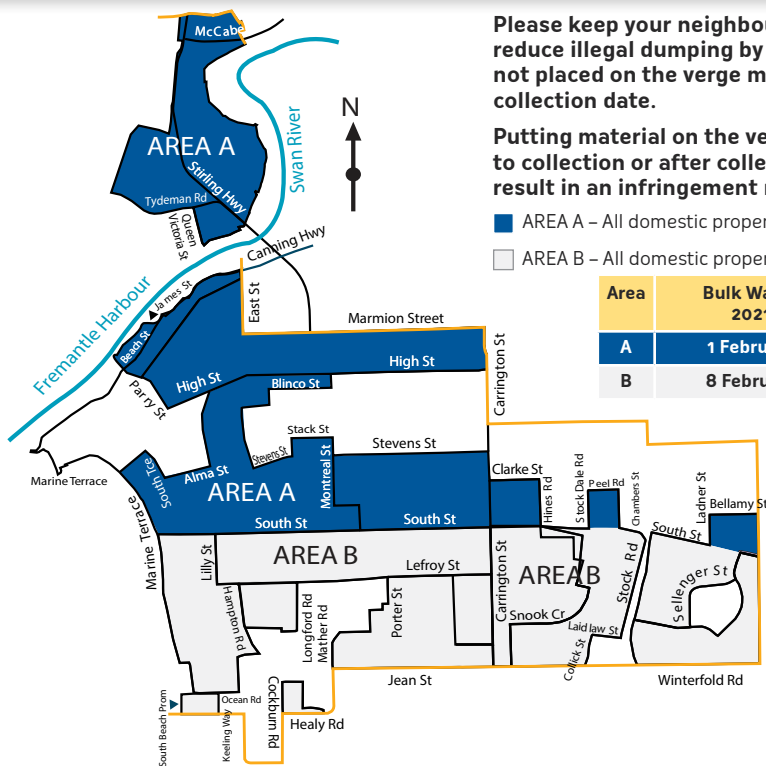
OR

FOGO and  
Recycling



Bin Collection Map & Calendar

# Bulk Garden Organic and Bulk Waste Verge Collection



Please keep your neighbourhood tidy and help reduce illegal dumping by ensuring that material is not placed on the verge more than 2 days before the collection date.

Putting material on the verge more than 2 days prior to collection or after collection has occurred may result in an infringement notice.

☒ AREA A – All domestic properties North of South Street

☐ AREA B – All domestic properties South of South Street

Area	Bulk Waste 2021	Green Waste 2021
A	1 February	3 May
B	8 February	10 May

For further information about verge collections, please contact **1300 MY FREO (1300 693 736)** or visit **fremantle.wa.gov.au**



# Important information for Verge Collections

## GREEN WASTE COLLECTIONS

The following items

**WILL** be collected:

Tree and shrub prunings up to

- ✓ 1.5 metres in length
- ✓ 300mm in diameter
- ✓ Two trailer loads (6x4 trailer size) or 2 cubic metres of green waste

The following items

**WILL NOT** be collected:

- ✗ NO bags or boxes of leaves, loose leaves or grass clippings
- ✗ NO dug out lawn NO sand and soil materials
- ✗ NO general rubbish, bulk or white goods
- ✗ NO weeds and root materials



## BULK & WHITE GOODS / METAL COLLECTIONS

The following Items

**WILL** be collected:

- ✓ General bulk waste
- ✓ Mattresses (collection may occur a day after general bulk waste)
- ✓ Scrap (furniture & other household items)
- ✓ Timber products (up to 1.5 metres in length)
- ✓ White goods (fridges, stoves etc, up to 1.5 metres in length)

The following Items **WILL NOT** be collected:

- ✗ NO asbestos products
- ✗ NO batteries
- ✗ NO bricks, sand or building rubble
- ✗ NO car bodies or vehicle parts
- ✗ NO cement or concrete
- ✗ NO dug out lawn
- ✗ NO furniture including glass panels
- ✗ NO food waste or domestic rubbish
- ✗ NO gas cylinders
- ✗ NO green waste, no bags with leaves
- ✗ NO paints, chemicals, oils
- ✗ NO plate glass or shower screens
- ✗ NO stumps or palm logs
- ✗ NO trees
- ✗ NO tyres

# FOGO Processing



## Where Can I Get Compostable Liners?

8L liners are available at:

- [compostapak.com.au](http://compostapak.com.au)
- Foodworks
- Woolworths
- Bunnings
- Coles
- Zero Store Fremantle



### Look for these symbols when buying Compostable Liners

Only use compostable liners with these symbols in your FOGO bin as other liners do not break down in the composting process. Otherwise, line your caddy with newspaper or put waste in loose.



For more information, [info@fremantle.wa.gov.au](mailto:info@fremantle.wa.gov.au), contact **1300 MYFREO** or visit [fremantle.wa.gov.au/waste](http://fremantle.wa.gov.au/waste)

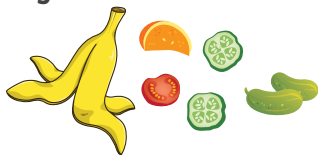
# What goes in the FOGO bin? (COLLECTED WEEKLY)



## Dairy Products:

- ✓ All dairy products
- ✓ Milk, cheese and yoghurt
- ✓ Must be out of containers

## Vegetable and Fruit Waste:



## Paper and Cardboard:

- ✓ Cardboard (no plastic)
- ✓ Shredded paper
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Soiled pizza boxes



## Garden waste:

- ✓ Lawn clippings
- ✓ Branches
- ✓ Flowers



## Tea Bags and Coffee Grounds:

- ✓ All tea bags
- ✓ Coffee grounds



## Animal waste:

- ✓ Kitty litter
- ✓ Dog poo

## Organic Waste in the Kitchen Caddy:

- ✓ Waste from the caddy goes in the FOGO bin
- ✗ NO plastic liners
- ✗ NO plastic or glass



## Meat Products:

- ✓ All cooked and uncooked food
- ✓ Meat and bones



## Compostable Liners:

- ✓ Certified compostable



**NO plastic, glass or metal in the FOGO bin**

# What goes in the Recycling bin? (COLLECTED FORTNIGHTLY)

The waste collected in your yellow topped Recycle bin is taken to the Regional Resource Recovery Centre in Canning Vale where items are sorted and separated into different waste streams.



**Ensure all recyclables are clean, dry and empty with lids removed**

## These items don't belong in this bin:



**NO soiled containers**



**NO polystyrene or soft plastics**



**NO ropes, cables or hose**



**NO tied bags or liners**



**NO meat trays**



**NO aerosol cans or gas bottles**



**NO batteries or electronic waste**



**NO clothes or textiles**



**NO food waste**



**NO nappies**

Some items shouldn't be placed into any bins because they can be harmful and dangerous.

For more information about what to do with those materials, refer to the drop off and disposal information page on this calendar, or visit [recycleright.wa.gov.au](http://recycleright.wa.gov.au)

# What goes in the Recycling bin?



## Glass Bottles and Jars:

- ✓ Beer bottles
- ✓ Broken glass (not mirrors)
- ✓ Coffee jars
- ✓ Sauce and wine bottles (lids off)



## Plastic Bottles and Containers (lids removed):

- ✓ Plastic containers from kitchen (rinsed and clean) i.e. sauce bottles
- ✓ Plastic containers from laundry (rinsed and clean) i.e. detergent bottles
- ✓ Plastic containers from bathroom (rinsed and clean) i.e. shampoo bottles
- ✓ Take-away food containers (not polystyrene)



## Paper and Cardboard:

- ✓ Cardboard (flattened)
- ✓ Paper (not shredded)
- ✓ Letters and junk mail



## Steel and Aluminium Cans:

- ✓ Aluminium cans
- ✓ Coffee and Milo tins
- ✓ Jar lids
- ✓ Food tins (rinsed)

**The Recycling Bin**

# What goes in the General Waste bin? (COLLECTED FORTNIGHTLY)

Your General Waste bin is collected fortnightly and the contents sent to landfill. The General Waste bin is for most items that cannot be composted or recycled.

Your **General Waste Bin** is for:

- ✓ Nappies and hygiene products
- ✓ Soft plastics and packaging (bread bags, chip packets, lolly wrappers)
- ✓ Polystyrene
- ✓ All meat trays
- ✓ All coffee cups and coffee pods
- ✓ Long life milk and juice cartons (tetrapaks)



## These items don't belong in this bin:



**NO aerosol cans or gas bottles**



**NO batteries or electronic waste**



**NO food waste**



**NO garden waste**



**NO clean recyclables**

Some items shouldn't be placed into any bins because they can be harmful and dangerous.

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# What goes in the General Waste bin?



## Plastic bags:

- ✓ Plastic liners and bags can only go in the General Waste bin
- ✓ All damaged textiles and fabric including shoes
- ✓ Cigarettes
- ✓ Plastic bottle lids
- ✓ Long life cartons (Tetrapaks)
- ✓ Garden hose and rope



## Nappies:

- ✓ Nappies should always go in the General Waste bin
- ✓ Baby wipes



## Polystyrene & Soft Plastic:

- ✓ All polystyrene packaging
- ✓ Meat trays (all)
- ✓ Coffee cups (all)
- ✓ Coffee pods
- ✓ Soft plastic (OR take to REDcycle)



## Hygiene Products:

- ✓ All personal care and hygiene products must go in the general waste bin

Preferably take all your soft plastic e.g. bread bags, chip packets and plastic bags to REDcycle bins at major supermarkets. For more information on REDcycle and to find your closest drop off location, visit [redcycle.net.au](http://redcycle.net.au)

## The General Waste Bin



# Fremantle Recycling Centre

City of Fremantle Recycling Centre is located on Montreal Street in Fremantle, opposite the golf course.

The Recycling Centre is free to all City of Fremantle residents - to access the facility please bring photo ID showing your residential address (e.g. driver's licence) with your rates notice or a bill. To drop off unrecyclable bulky waste, remember your voucher letter. Commercial business and commercial quantities are not accepted.

## Opening times:

- Friday 12 noon-4pm
- Saturday and Sunday 8am-4pm, excluding public holidays





## The recycling centre accepts:

- ✓ Aerosols
- ✓ Batteries (household & vehicle)
- ✓ Cardboard
- ✓ Clean and unbroken blocks, bricks and pavers
- ✓ Electronic waste and electrical cables (no smoke detectors)
- ✓ Fire extinguishers (red only)
- ✓ Fluorescent bulbs and tubes
- ✓ Gas bottles
- ✓ Good quality clothing, shoes and bags for charity
- ✓ Mattresses and bases (\$33.50 charge per item)
- ✓ Mobile phones
- ✓ Motor oil (up to 20L)
- ✓ One trailer load (6 x 4 trailer size) per day of clean green waste including shrub and tree prunings up to 1.5m in length and 30cm in diameter
- ✓ Paint (up to 100L)
- ✓ Polystyrene
- ✓ Printer cartridges
- ✓ Recycling – the same materials that go in your yellow-topped bin
- ✓ Scrap metal
- ✓ Tyres (\$20.10 each)
- ✓ Whitegoods



## The recycling centre does not currently accept the below items, however keep an eye on our website for updates:

- ✗ Acids, cleaners or bleaches
- ✗ Asbestos
- ✗ Hardy fence
- ✗ Medicine
- ✗ Mixed general waste, bags or boxes of rubbish
- ✗ Poisons or chemicals
- ✗ Sand, soil, concrete or rocks
- ✗ Soft Plastics
- ✗ Wood off-cuts or timber

Charges may apply for non-recyclable items.

# Containers for Change

## What is Containers for Change?

Containers for Change is Western Australia's new container deposit scheme. Containers for Change will provide a 10-cent refund for each eligible container returned for recycling at an approved Containers for Change Refund Point, encouraging recycling and creating a cleaner WA for everyone.

## When will Containers for Change commence in Fremantle?

Fremantle Recycling Centre's refund point will open its doors on **Thursday 1 October 2020** with the launch of Containers for Change across Western Australia. The refund point is located on **Montreal Street, Fremantle**, opposite the golf course.

## Why do we need Containers for Change?

Containers for Change will reduce litter, reduce landfill and improve recycling in Western Australia.

Beverage containers make up 44% of all litter in Western Australia (by volume, 2017-18 National Litter Index), even though they are made from easily recyclable materials such as glass, plastic, aluminium and cardboard. To help encourage more Western Australians to collect and return these containers, Containers for Change will provide a 10-cent refund for each container that is returned.

Containers for Change also provides an exciting fundraising opportunity for schools, local sports clubs, community groups, charities and worthwhile causes; the scheme will also create hundreds of jobs across Western Australia.

## How will Containers for Change work?

**Return your eligible containers to the Fremantle Recycling Centre's Refund Point on Montreal Street for a 10c refund.** Eligible containers can also be donated at Donation Points set up by local community groups, charities or not-for-profit organisations. Containers can be returned by individuals or organisations, and any number of containers can be returned at one time, providing the given Refund Point has the capacity to accept them.

## Which containers are eligible for a refund?

The scheme targets beverage containers most commonly seen as litter.

Most aluminium, glass, plastic, steel and liquid paperboard beverage containers between 150ml and 3L are eligible for a refund.

To check which containers are eligible and to learn more about the scheme, visit **[fremantle.wa.gov.au/containersforchange](http://fremantle.wa.gov.au/containersforchange)**

# Drop Off And Disposal Information



## CLOTHING AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

- Fremantle Recycling Centre
- can be donated to charity, for more information visit **GIV.org.au**



## COMPUTERS AND IT

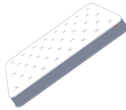
For recycling of old computer equipment including desktops, notebooks, servers, monitors, printers and other items, contact:

- **Fremantle Recycling Centre** 1300 693 736
- **Secure computer recycling and disposal** 9467 4624  
(fees may apply)
- **Technology Assisting Disability WA Inc** 9379 7400  
(free service and accepts monitors)
- **Henderson Waste Recovery Park** 9411 3444  
(fees may apply)



## GARAGE SALE TRAIL

Garage Sale Trail happens every year across Australia. It's a big weekend encouraging us to put secondhand first and minimise our impact on the planet.



## MATTRESSES

- **Soft Landing Mattress Recycling** 1800 763 852  
Home Collection (\$50) **softlanding.com.au**
- **Fremantle Recycling Centre** (\$33.50) 1300 693 736
- **Bulk Waste Collection**



## MEDICAL WASTE

Medical or biohazardous waste should never be put in any bin. Please check with your health care provider as to the correct method for disposal or visit **healthengine.com.au/interest/sharps-disposal-service/WA/**



## SOFT, FLEXIBLE PLASTICS

Please collect your soft plastics such as plastic bags, bread bags, plastic wrappers separately and drop them in a REDcycle bin located at major supermarkets. Soft plastics are recycled into plastic park furniture, fencing, decking, bollards and more.

- For further information and a full list of items please visit REDcycle **redcycle.net.au**. Recycled products can be purchased from Replas.



## X-RAYS

- **Town of Cambridge Administration**, 1 Bold Park Drive,  
Floreat 9347 6000
- **Town of Cambridge Library**, 99 The Boulevard, Floreat 9383 8999
- **WMRC** 2/317 Churchill Avenue, Subiaco 9384 4003

# Drop Off and Disposal Sites

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW), CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION WASTE (C&D), ASBESTOS & GENERAL WASTE

**PLEASE CONTACT THE DISPOSAL SITE FOR FEES APPLICABLE AND OTHER INFORMATION**

**City of Cockburn** Henderson Waste Recovery Park, 920 Rockingham Rd, Henderson  
Tel: **9411 3444**

**City of Rockingham** Millar Road West, Baldivis Tel: **9528 8550**

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) includes unwanted household products that contain chemicals or substances that can be harmful to you, your family, your pets or the environment. They can also be harmful to staff at the waste processing facility if they are not disposed of correctly.

Items accepted include:

- Acids and Alkalis
- Batteries (household)
- Fire Extinguishers (red only)
- Flares
- Fluorescent Tubes
- Gas cylinders
- Household Cleaners
- Paint
- Pesticides/Herbicides
- Pool Chemicals
- Smoke Detectors
- Unknown Chemicals



Only domestic quantities (no more than 20kg/l) of HHW will be accepted for free at HHW disposal sites. **Keep an eye on the Fremantle Recycling Centre website for changes to items accepted at the centre from October.**

## AEROSOL CANS (EMPTY)

A collection bin for recycling of empty aerosol cans is available at Fremantle Recycling Centre. Alternatively, please drop empty aerosol cans at a HHW facility as above.

**ASBESTOS, CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION (C&D) WASTE:** Asbestos and Construction & Demolition waste can be disposed of for a fee at the following disposal sites:

**City of Cockburn – Henderson Waste Recovery Park**

920 Rockingham Road, Henderson – 9411 3444

**City of Rockingham – Millar Road Landfill** – Millar Road West – 9528 8550

These sites also accept domestic quantities of Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) – no more than 20kg/l.

# Want More Information?

## RECYCLE RIGHT APP

The revamped Recycle Right App is free to download from the App Store and Google Play and has a range of features to help you recycle right! There's also a new bin day reminder function.



## RECYCLE RIGHT WEBSITE

**recycleright.wa.gov.au** has a range of information on how to reduce your impact and live more sustainably. You can also sign up to the monthly e-newsletter to stay informed about what's happening in the world of waste and recycling.

## TOURS OF THE RRRC

Do you know what happens to your waste? Free tours of the Regional Resource Recovery Centre in Canning Vale are available for Fremantle residents, schools and community groups to find out first hand how your waste is processed.

To book a tour, email **tours@smrc.com.au**, call **9256 9528** or visit **recycleright.wa.gov.au** for more information.



**Drop Off and Disposal Sites**

**Want More Information?**

# Recycling & Disposal Guide: A – Z

For a more comprehensive A-Z, including additional items not listed below, visit the Recycle Right website – [recycleright.wa.gov.au](http://recycleright.wa.gov.au)

## PLEASE PUT IT IN THE RIGHT BIN!

- |   |                                       |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Yellow-lidded recycling bin items     |
| 2 | Lime green-lidded FOGO bin items      |
| 3 | Red-lidded General waste bin          |
| 4 | Disposal site items                   |
| 5 | Fremantle Recycling Centre            |
| 6 | Bulk waste collection service items   |
| 7 | Bulk garden organics collection items |
| 8 | Soft plastics recycling drop offs     |



### A

4 Acids (HHW)

5 Aerosol cans (HHW)

1 Aluminium cans

2 Animal droppings

4 Asbestos

### B

3 Band aids

4/5 Batteries (HHW)

3/8 Biscuit wrappers

5 Books

2 Bones & shells

3/8 Bread bags (plastic)

4 Bricks

### C

1 Cardboard (flattened)

2 Cardboard (soiled)

4 Car parts

4 Cleaners (HHW)

5 Gas cylinders (HHW)

1 Glass bottles and jars (rinsed)

### H

2 Hair (animal & human)

3 Hose (garden hose)

### I

1 Ice cream containers (cardboard & plastic)

4 Insecticides (HHW)

### J

1 Jars & jar lids

### K

2 Kitty litter

### L

2 Lawn clippings

4 Light bulbs/ fluorescent tubes (HHW)

3/8 Lolly bags & wrappers

3 Long-life cartons

3 Pens/biros/textas

4 Petrol & flammable liquids (HHW)

1 Pizza boxes (clean)

2 Pizza boxes (soiled/ oily)

3/8 Plastic bags (empty)

3/5 Plastic bottle lids

1 Plastic bottles & containers

4 Poison (liquid/solid) (HHW)

3/5 Polystyrene

3/8 Potato chip packets

5 Printer cartridges

### R

3 Rope

### S

3 Sanitary products

2 Seafood

3	Clothing/shoes (ruined)
5	Clothing/shoes (good condition)
3	Coffee cups
2	Coffee grounds
3	Coffee pods
5	Computer components/ accessories
2	Cooking fat
2	Compostable liners
4	Concrete
3	Cotton wool
3	Cutlery (plastic)

D	
2	Dairy products
4	Dirt & soil

E	
1	Egg cartons
5	Electrical appliances
1	Envelopes

F	
4	Fertiliser (HHW)
2	Flowers
1	Food cans (rinsed)
2	Food & vegetable scraps

G	
	Garden organics (small prunings & plants)
7	Garden organics (large logs etc)

M	
1	Magazines
5/6	Mattresses
3	Meat trays (all)
4	Medicines
1	Milk bottles & cartons (not silver lined)
4/5	Mobile phones
5	Motor oil

N	
3	Nappies
4	Needles
1	Newspapers (clean)
2	Newspapers (soiled)

P	
5	Paint tins (empty or full)
5	Paint (HHW)
1	Paper (not shredded)
2	Paper (shredded)
1	Paper bags
2	Paper towels & napkins (used)
1	Paper towel rolls
2	Peels (citrus & fruit)

1	Steel cans (rinsed)
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T	
	Take-away food containers (clean & empty)
3	Take-away food containers (dirty or unrinsed)
2	Tea bags
6	Timber
4	Timber – treated
2	Tissues (used)
3	Toothbrushes
3	Toothpaste tubes
4/5	Tyres

V	
3	Vacuum cleaner dust
6	Video tapes

W	
2	Weeds
5/6	Whitegoods
2	Wood (garden pruning)

Y	
1	Yoghurt containers (rinsed)

**Don't bag your recycling!**

**Place items loosely in the bin**





Please remove the magnets before placing this calendar into your recycling bin.

Magnets can be reused or disposed of by placing into your general waste bin.



Fremantle Oval  
70 Parry Street, Fremantle WA 6101  
Enquiries: 1300 MYFREO (1300 693 736)  
Email: [info@fremantle.wa.gov.au](mailto:info@fremantle.wa.gov.au)  
Office Hours: 8.00am – 5.00pm  
[fremantle.wa.gov.au](http://fremantle.wa.gov.au)

### Which bin do I put it in?

Visit [recycleright.wa.gov.au](http://recycleright.wa.gov.au), or download the free Recycle Right app from your app store.



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