

# Shire of Northam **RECYCLING CALENDAR 2021/22**

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JUNE 2022

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Tuesday 1 & 5 Grass Valley and Seabrook & 2

#### Thursday Friday 3 & 4 6 & 7

#### WHAT CAN GO IN YOUR RECYCLING BIN?



- Cardboard Flattened
- Glass bottles and iars - Clean and empty
- Paper Not shredded
- Plastic bottles and containers - Clean and empty (no lids)
- Steel and aluminium cans - Clean and empty

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There will be no changes to the service over the Christmas period



Shire of Northam

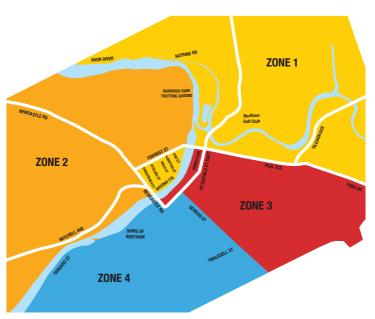
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All bin service enquiries (08) 9622 6100 or visit www.northam.wa.gov.au

# Town Zone Map 1

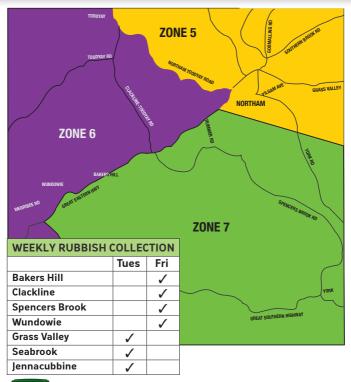
#### Shire Town Map



WEEKLY RUBBISH COLLECTION				
	Tues	Thurs		
Northam Town, Zone 1 North of Peel Tce, Zone 2 West of the river	1			
Northam Town, Zone 3 South of Peel Tce, Zone 4 East of the river		1		

To confirm your collection week, or for related enquiries, please contact (08) 9622 6100

# Shire Localities Zone Map 2





Your waste bin (green-topped) is collected every week.

Your recycling bin (yellow-topped) is collected fortnightly.



To confirm your collection week, or for related enquiries, please contact **(08) 9622 6100** 

### **ZONE MAPS**

Did you know the contents of your yellow topped bin are recovered and recycled?



- Empty and rinse
- Remove lids
- Items should be loose
- Flatten cardboard boxes

- NO hazardous waste
- NO kitchen or garden waste
- NO building waste
- NO bagging of recyclables

#### Recycling

The Shire of Northam offers a range of free recycling options at both waste facilities to its **residential** property owners. These include:



Free Recycling at Wast	e Management Facilities
Car & Truck Batteries	
Cardboard Recycling	Please flatten all cardboard
Comingled Recycling	Glass bottles/ jars, paper, newspapers, glossy advertising brochures, aluminium and steel cans, tins, clean foil, plastic containers and bottles of all kinds (rinsed and lids removed), liquid paperboard, milk, juice and laundry detergent cartons (but not silver lined UHT cartons).
Green Waste	Unlimited loads of clean green waste (trees, branches, prunings, leaves and grass/ lawn clippings only). <b>No weeds, declared</b> <b>pest plants, diseased/ die back affected</b> <b>plants/trees, soil, plastics, steel, timber</b> <b>house framing (due to possible asbestos</b> <b>contamination)</b> .
Scrap Metal	Scrap steel, sheet metal, whitegoods (fridges, freezers, ovens, washing machines, microwaves), fans, oil heaters, car bodies.
Waste Oil	Waste Oil – domestic only less than <30 litres.

Old Quarry Site Only	
E-Waste	TVs, Computers, Laptops, Hard drives, Printers, CD drives, speakers, keyboards, mobile phones, i-pods, photocopiers, joysticks, scanners

Clothing, books & bric a brac Good Samaritan collection bins

#### **Grass Valley Hall Only**

**Comingled Recycling** 

#### **Paid Recycling Services**

The Shire of Northam also recycles the following for a fee at both waste facilities:

Waste Tyres

Various sizes (see Council's Fees and Charges on **the Waste Management Facilities page at www.northam.wa.gov.au**).

## RECYCLING

# **Waste Management Facilities**

#### Old Quarry Road Facility Old Quarry Road, NORTHAM

For opening hours of this site see the Waste Management Facilities page on the Shire of Northam's website

- www.northam.wa.gov.au.

\*All opening hours are subject to review

Inkpen Road Facility Inkpen Road, COPLEY

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### Shire of Northam Residential Waste and Tip Passes

Tip Passes are obtained from the gatehouse of both Waste Management Facilities. Proof of property ownership and identification is required to obtain an annual tip pass, which you will then need to present every time you attend a waste management facility.

The tip pass allows residents unlimited loads of recyclables and clean green waste plus 10 free general domestic waste disposals and per financial year. Cars, utilities, vans and trailers bringing waste into the sites must not exceed 1.8 m x 1.2 m x 0.6 m. All loads greater in size will incur standard waste disposal fees.

Please note costs will apply for the disposal of asbestos, tyres, more than 30L of waste oil, animal bodies, commercial waste, and residential waste loads exceeding  $1.8m \times 1.2m \times 0.6m$ .

All wastes that have a charge associated with their disposal must be paid for at the gatehouse of the site before exiting. Please note the Old Quarry Road Waste Management Facility only accepts Eftpos and cheque payments. The Inkpen Road facility only accepts cash and cheque payments.

#### **Commercial Waste**

All commercial waste brought to Shire Waste Management Facilities is subject to Council's standard fees and charges. Please note: you must separate all waste that you deliver to our waste management facilities.

Otherwise you will be charged at commercial rates.



**Car and Truck Batteries** 

### WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES

# Free Shire Office Recycling

#### **COMPACT FLUORESCENT TUBES (CFL)**

Visit the Shire Admin office and deposit at the Recycling Station in the foyer.

#### **HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES**

Visit the Shire Admin office and deposit at the Recycling Station in the foyer.

#### **MOBILE PHONES**

Drop at the E-Waste recycling point at the Old Quarry Tip or visit the Shire Admin office and deposit in the Recycling Station.

#### **PRINTER CARTRIDGES**

For recycling of all printer cartridges you can go to the Northam Post Office, or visit the Shire Admin office and deposit in the Recycling Station. If your office has many printer cartridges to recycle, call **Cartridges 4 Planet Ark** 1800 242 473 to get yourself a free workplace collection box.

#### **OLD MEDICINES**

If you have left over medicines, local pharmacies including the Northam Discount Drug Store and Stewart's Good Price Pharmacy Warehouse, Northam can dispose of them properly.

#### **PLASTIC BAGS**

If you wish to recycle plastic bags and other soft or scrunchable plastics that don't go into your recycling bin, these can be recycled at supermarkets including Woolworths Northam and Coles Northam as part of the Redcycle program. For more info, visit **redcycle.net.au** 

For lots more waste and recycling information, go to **www.northam.gov.au** and check out Waste Management under the Services tab.

# **Using Your Bins**



### **BIN PLACEMENT**

To assist waste and recycling operators in servicing your bin on collection day:

- Bins should be placed within 1 metre of the road kerb by 6.00am on collection day, with the handles facing towards the property, without the bin blocking footpaths or driveways.
- Place your yellow recycling bin about half a metre from the green bin to allow clear access for the side loading service vehicle's grab arm.
- Please do not overfill your bin as the rubbish and recycling trucks' hydraulics cannot lift bins weighing over 70kg, or those overfull with the lid open. Hot or burning ash, liquid wastes, oil, paint, solvents or heavy materials should not be placed in your bin as they may damage the bin, waste collection vehicle and the environment.
- Your bin lid must close so that the contents do not spill when it is lifted and so the lid does not blow open causing street litter.
- Place your bin clear of parked cars, trees, poles, etc to allow clear access to the service vehicles.
- Only waste placed inside the bin will be collected.



Ensure bins are placed out by 6am on collection day





**BIN PLACEMENT** 

Do not overfill your bins and ensure lids are firmly closed so items do not spill out

## HANDY HINTS

- Return bins to your property as soon as possible.
- Store bins in a shaded area.
- Clean bins regularly.

# **OFFICE RECYCLING**

# Free Residential Bulk Bin Services

Council provides residences in the Northam Townsite and in regional areas of the Shire with a 'free' skip bin for 1 week per financial year. There is only a limited number of bins per week available to this area and these are allocated on a first in basis.

Please note – our free skip bins are large 4.5 cubic metre bins. The bins have high sides in order to accommodate larger items of rubbish. Please ensure that you have someone available who is able to load heavy items into the bin at such a height.

Skip bins are required to be booked with Avon Waste on 96411318 well in advance and are normally dropped off to the property on a Tuesday and collected the following Tuesday. These bins are only for domestic household junk and there is a 2 tonne weight limit.

NO hot or burning ashes, bricks, rocks and soil, paints, solvents, liquid waste, sand, concrete or hazardous materials are to be disposed of in these bins.



# Recycling's as easy as RRRC...

The Southern Metropolitan Regional Council's **Regional Resource Recovery Centre** (RRRC) in Canning Vale uses state-of-the-art technology and infrastructure to process waste and recover recyclables for reuse.



### Want to see what happens to your waste once it is collected?

Free tours of the RRRC are available to educate visitors about the recycling process. The observation deck provides a safe and exciting view of the workings of the Materials Recovery Facility.



Find out more by calling **9256 9555** or visit **recycleright.wa.gov.au** 



Not sure where your waste goes? Download the Recycle Right app or refer to the A-Z Guide on the website recycleright.wa.gov.au/a-z/2-bin

### FREE BULK BIN SERVICES

**RRRC TOURS** 

To dispose of this item, please remove the magnet and place into the yellow-topped recycling bin.



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