

Waste and Recycling Guide 2026/27



Landfill is the last resort.

Find your local solutions at
wastesorted.wa.gov.au





Never Bin a Battery

Batteries should never be placed in household bins as they can spark and cause dangerous fires in rubbish trucks and at waste facilities.

Find your nearest **free** battery drop off at your local supermarket, the City's Recycling Hubs, the Waste Management Centre, or via recycleright.wa.gov.au/find-my-nearest/



Residential Bin Placement

Keep at least
0.5m clear
between bins

Keep at least
1m clear
from trees and not
under tree canopy

Recyclables

General
waste

Keep at least
1m clear
of fences, cars,
letterboxes etc.



Place bins out by 6am
on your collection day



Maximum weight
of each bin is 70kg



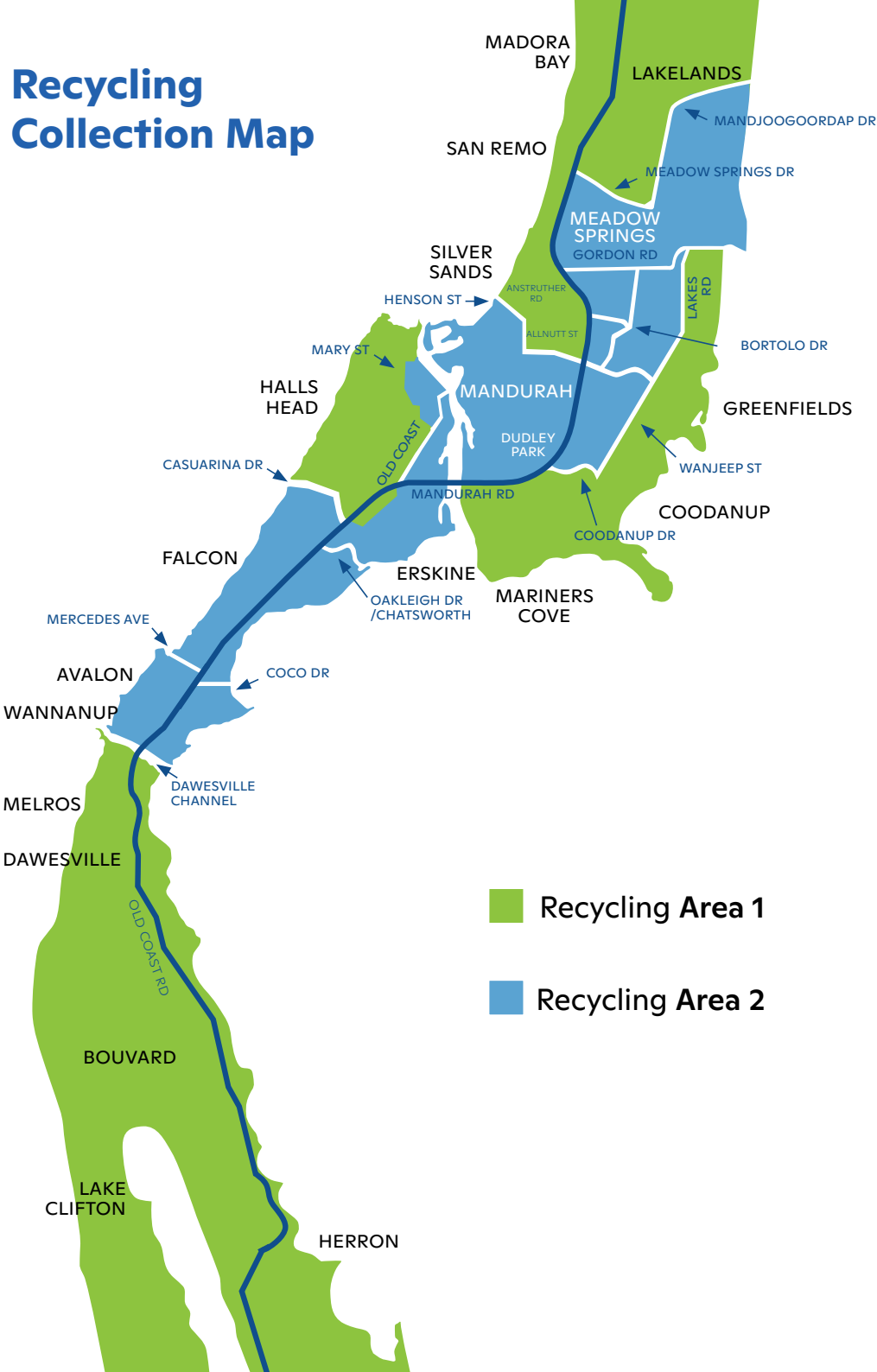
Do not park in front of bins
and keep laneways clear

To ensure safe and efficient collection, place bins on the kerb with wheels facing your house, spaced apart, and free from obstructions. This helps protect pedestrians, traffic, and collection crews.

Handy tips:

- Keep lids closed to prevent waste escaping
- Store bins in a shaded, secure location when not in use
- Place bins out for collection within 24 hours of pick-up and return once emptied
- Clean bins regularly to ensure they stay sanitary
- Report any damaged or missing bins

Recycling Collection Map



Bin Collection Calendar

July 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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August 2026

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October 2026

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November 2026

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December 2026

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January 2027

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February 2027

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March 2027

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April 2027

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May 2027

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June 2027

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 Recycling Area 1

 Recycling Area 2

*bins are collected on public holidays

Enter your address to find your waste collection day and upcoming verge collections using the **Find your bin day** tool:



Where your recycling is sorted

Once collected, your recycling is taken to Cleanaway's Materials Recovery Facility (a recycling sorting centre) in South Guilford, where materials are separated and sent off to become new products.

To find out more visit: **cleanaway.com.au/location/perth-material-recovery-facility**



Recycling Bin

Collected fortnightly



Cans



Paper



Plastic bottles
and containers



Cardboard



Glass jars
and bottles



NOT FOR THE RECYCLING BIN



Soft plastics



Bagged recyclables



Food or garden
organics



Nappies



Batteries



Clothing or textiles



Silver-lined products
(e.g. juice/milk cartons)

Repair Café

Repair Cafés help extend the life of everyday items by fixing them instead of throwing them away. Volunteers can assist with items such as small household appliances and toys, helping you save money and reduce waste.

Visit a Repair Café in Lakelands or Falcon to give your items a second life.



Not sure how to dispose of an item?

Recycle Right has a tool to help! Select the material, insert your location, and find your nearest drop off.



To find out more visit:
recycleright.wa.gov.au/find-my-nearest



Where general waste goes

Once collected, your general waste is taken to Kwinana's Energy Recovery Facility, where non-recyclable waste is processed and used to generate electricity instead of going to landfill. Find out more: **<https://kwinana.energy/>**



General Waste Bin

Collected weekly



Damaged clothing



Nappies



Polystyrene



Coffee cups



Food scraps



Used paper towels and tissues



Garden organics



Soft plastics



Food-soiled cardboard

These dangerous items do not belong in any bin:



Batteries



Electronic and electrical waste



Fluorescent lights



Paint

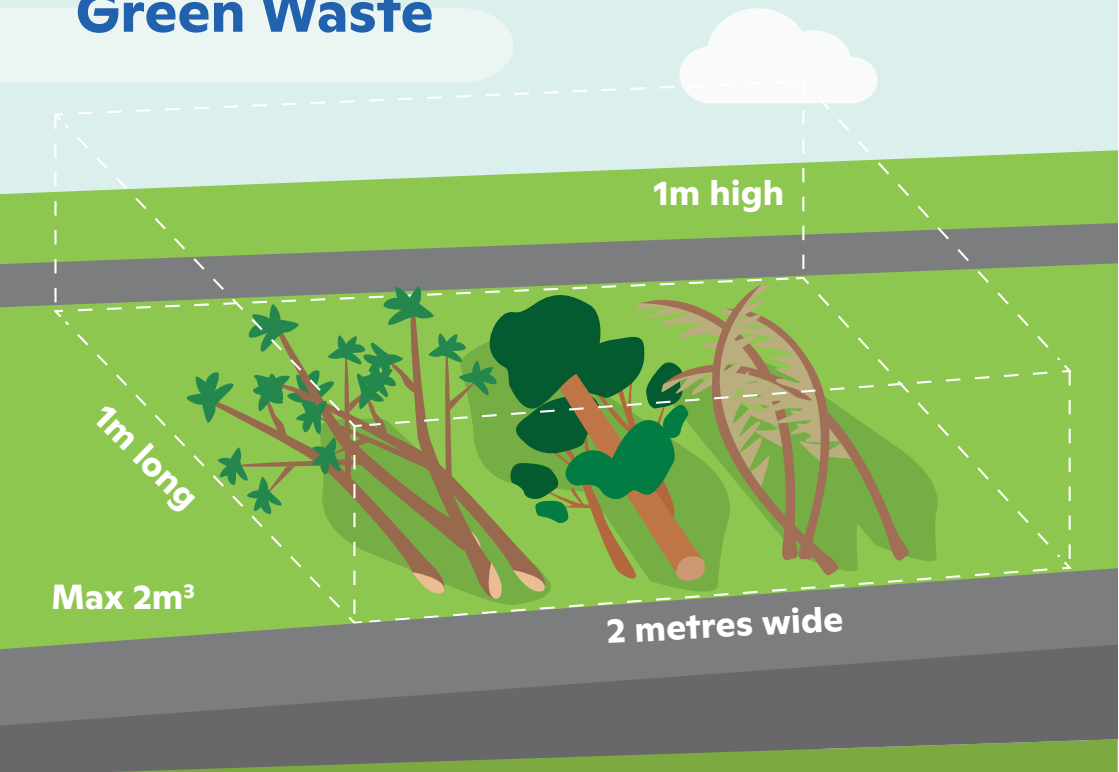


Oil

Take these items to the Waste Management Centre for free disposal



Green Waste



✓ What we collect

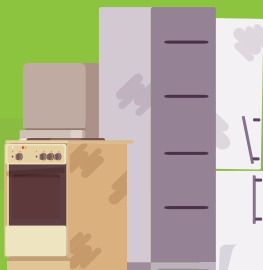
- Garden prunings
- Tree loppings (less than 1.5m length)
- Palm leaves
- Tree limbs, branches, and small logs (less than 1.5m in length and up to 300mm in diameter)

✗ What we don't collect

- Bags or boxes of green waste
- General rubbish or scrap metal
- Sand or soil materials
- Weeds and root materials
- Treated timber/pine
- Pallets
- Railway sleepers
- Volumes greater than 2m³

Junk and Metals

Sort waste into three separate piles to help us recycle.



White goods

0.5m
gap



Metal items

0.5m
gap



Furniture &
general junk

✓ What we collect

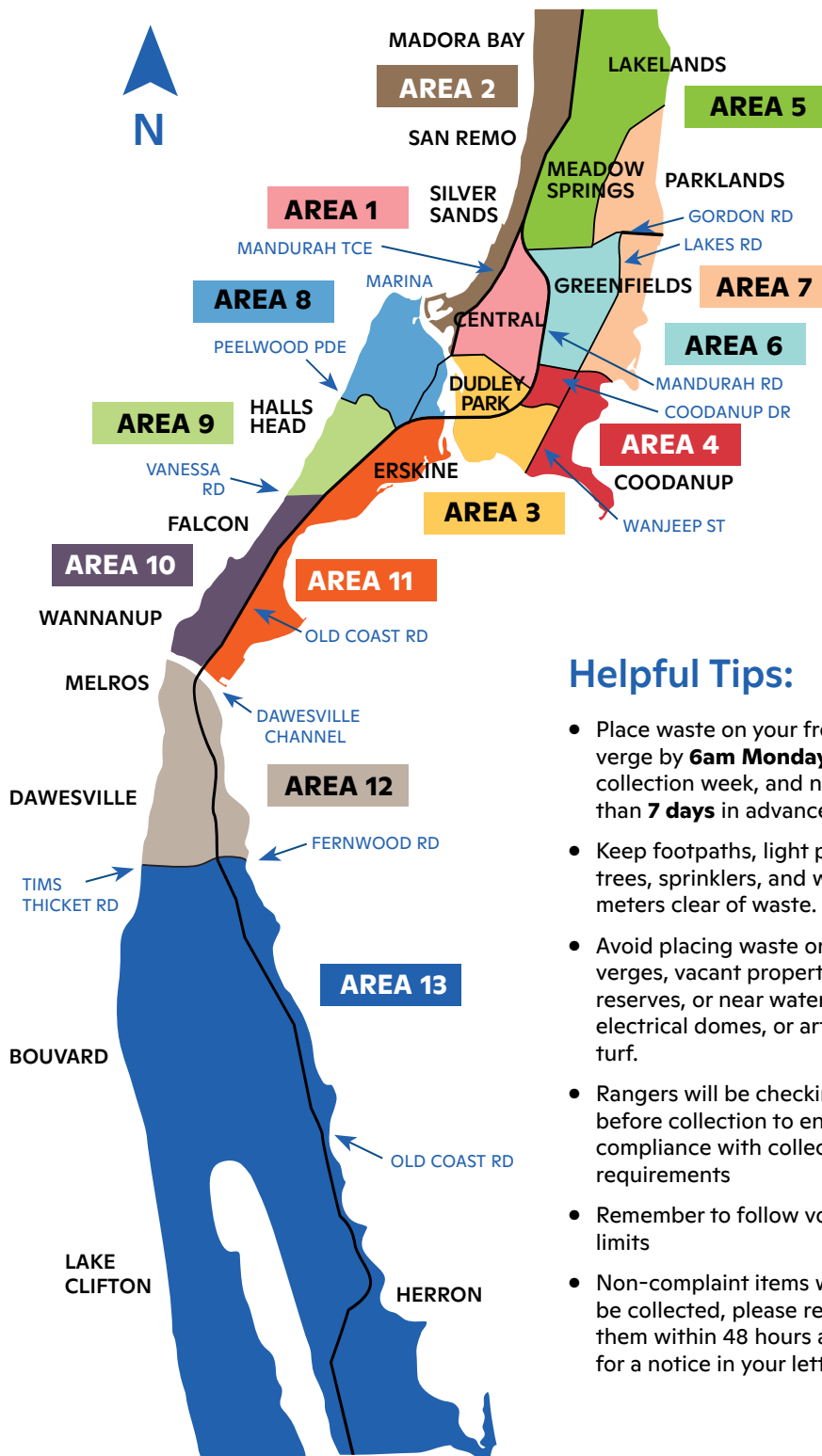
- General waste and junk
- White goods (doors must be removed)
- Furniture
- Scrap metal
- Mattresses: max 2 per household, collected separately from other waste

Maximum volume: Up to 3m³ of material may be presented for collection.

Maximum item size: Individual items must not exceed 1.5m in width or 1.2m in height.

✗ What we don't collect

- Green waste
- E-Waste (batteries, laptops, computers, TVs)
- Building materials, asbestos, fibre cement
- Car bodies, parts, tyres, or batteries
- Household hazardous waste (paints, chemicals, fire extinguishers, gas cylinders)
- Large glass (mirrors, shower screens, table tops)
- Medical or veterinary waste
- Domestic rubbish or food waste
- Solar panels



Helpful Tips:

- Place waste on your front verge by **6am Monday** of your collection week, and no more than **7 days** in advance.
- Keep footpaths, light poles, trees, sprinklers, and water meters clear of waste.
- Avoid placing waste on other verges, vacant properties, reserves, or near water meters, electrical domes, or artificial turf.
- Rangers will be checking verges before collection to ensure compliance with collection requirements
- Remember to follow volume limits
- Non-complaint items will not be collected, please remove them within 48 hours and look for a notice in your letterbox

Verge Collection Schedule

Collection Areas	Green Waste Spring	Junk and Metals Waste	Green Waste Autumn
AREA 1	28 Sep - 3 Oct 2026	8 - 13 Feb 2027	31 May - 5 Jun 2027
AREA 2	5 - 10 Oct 2026	15 - 20 Feb 2027	7 - 12 Jun 2027
AREA 3	12 - 17 Oct 2026	22 - 27 Feb 2027	14 - 19 Jun 2027
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* Verge collections will take place on public holidays.
Waste must be presented on verge before dates listed above.

Waste Management Centre

Monday - Friday 7am - 4pm | Weekends and P/H 8am - 5pm
(Closed Christmas Day and Good Friday)

80 Corsican Pl, Parklands
9587 4660

Separate your load before visiting

Free to dispose
***limits apply**

Cardboard



Bulk cardboard
(clean and
flattened).

Hazardous Waste



Gas bottles, paint,
light globes/tubes,
batteries, motor oil,
smoke detectors,
aerosol cans,
and household
chemicals.

Metal Waste



Scrap metal, white
goods, fencing,
sheet metal, car
parts, bikes, and
lawnmowers.

E-Waste



Electronic and
electrical waste
(eg laptops, cords)

Use your voucher for these items:

Green Waste



Tree and shrub
prunings, trunks up
to 300mm diameter,
grass clippings, and
leaves.

Building Waste

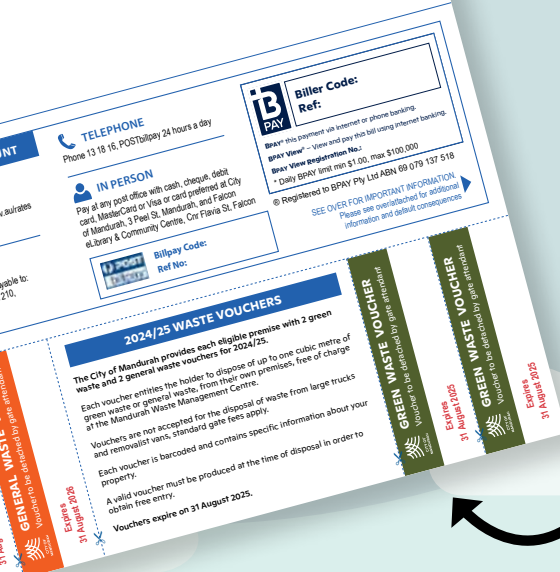


Timber, brick rubble,
fibre cement and sand
(must be separated).

Mixed Waste



Broken items
that cannot be
reused, recycled, or
composted.



Waste Vouchers (tip passes)

Ratepayers are provided with
2x green waste and
2x general waste vouchers
each year.

You'll find them attached
to the bottom of your Rates
Notice.

*Please note: vouchers have
an expiry date*

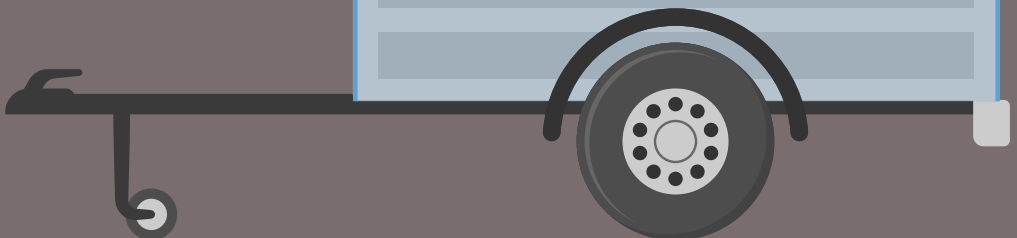
Are you renting? Ask your
agent for your vouchers!

How many vouchers do you need?

3 vouchers | 3 Cubic Metres

2 vouchers | 2 Cubic Metres

1 voucher | 1 Cubic Metre





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