

Your new Commercial Waste and Recycling Collections service

Guidance and information



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Welcome to your new Commercial Waste and Recycling Collections service

In line with Welsh Government environmental legislation, all commercial waste in Wales must be separated by businesses and presented to be collected in a similar way to household recycling collections.

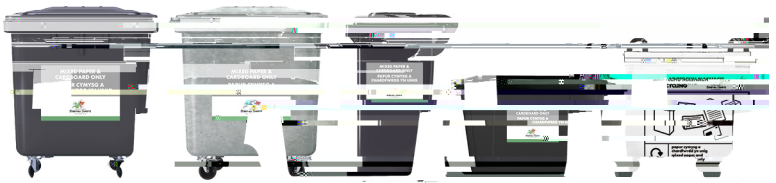
How should I present my waste and recycling?

You must sort your waste and recycling into five separate containers, one for each of the following 'waste and recycling streams':

- » Paper & Cardboard
- » Plastic & Metal
- » Glass
- » Food Waste
- » Non-recyclable waste

Based on the amount of waste and recycling you produce we will provide you with:

Mixed Paper & Cardboard



A black plastic or silver metal wheeled bin, black crate or white reusable sack for your **Mixed Paper & Cardboard** recycling.

Mixed Plastic Containers & Metal Cans



A black plastic wheeled bin, black crate or blue reusable sack for your **Mixed Plastic Containers & Metal Cans**.

A black plastic wheeled bin for your **Mixed Glass recycling**.

A brown plastic wheeled bin or green caddy for your **Food Waste recycling**.

A black plastic or silver metal wheeled bin for your remaining **non-recyclable waste**, also known as “**refuse**” or “**residual**” waste

Getting your waste and recycling right

Please do not:

- ✘ use any non-Council-issued containers
- ✘ use any single-use blue or white plastic sacks that you may still have from a previous Council-managed waste and recycling collections service
- ✘ place items on m3.S0 g72,Lang72,C 0.489 0 ng7,stillasETEMC / , unlessand ETE

What goes where?

Mixed Paper & Cardboard

Yes please

Mixed Plastic Containers & Metal Cans



Place black and brown plastics in your container for non-recyclable waste

Empty, rinse and safely squash plastic or can items

Empty aerosols only

Clean foil only

Yes please

- ✓ Plastic cleaning product bottles, such as bleach bottles and trigger sprays
- ✓ Plastic drinks bottles, such as milk, soft drink and water bottles
- ✓ Plastic food containers, such as butter/margarine tubs, yoghurt pots, fruit punnets and cake trays
- ✓ Food tins and drink cans (both aluminium and steel)
- ✓ Empty aerosols (excluding those used for paint or harmful chemicals)
- ✓ Clean foil and foil cartons
- ✓ Waxed cardboard cartons, often used for fruit juice, milk and soup, such as Tetra Pak

No thanks

- ✗ Black or brown plastic items
- ✗ Plastic bags, such as carrier bags, bread bags and frozen food bags
- ✗ Plastic multipack packaging, like those used for crisps and soft drinks
- ✗ Plastic film, such as cling film, food tray film and pallet wrap
- ✗ Biscuit packets, sweet wrappers, and chocolate bags or pouches
- ✗ Crisp packets
- ✗ Paper-backed foil
- ✗ Pouches used for baby food, juice drinks and microwaveable rice
- ✗ Plastic parcel bags
- ✗ Bubble wrap
- ✗ Polystyrene
- ✗ Hard plastics, such as coat hangers and plant pots
- ✗ Aerosols or tins used for paint or harmful chemicals
- ✗ Gas canisters or lighters

Mixed Glass

Yes please



Food Waste

