

# RESOURCE RECOVERY CALENDAR

2013-2014 Kerbside Bin Collections (**NORTHAM TOWNSITE**)

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 or  blue (zone 4) box to help you remember



All bin service enquiries (08) 9622 6100  
 or visit [www.northam.wa.gov.au](http://www.northam.wa.gov.au)

# Recycling & Waste Bins Collection Map

## Shire Town Map



WEEKLY RUBBISH COLLECTION		
	Tues	Thurs
Northam Town, North of Peel Tce, West of the river	✓	
Northam Town, South of Peel Tce, East of the river		✓

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

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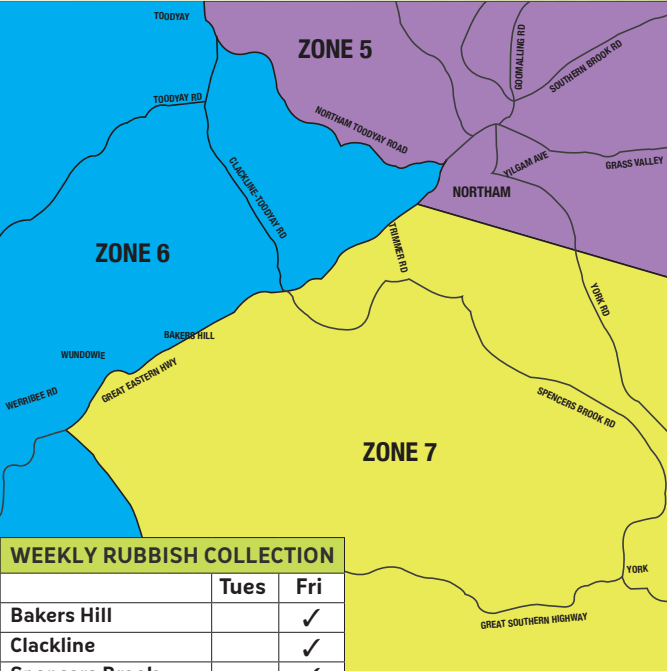
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Shire Localities Map

WEEKLY RUBBISH COLLECTION		
	Tues	Fri
Bakers Hill		✓
Clackline		✓
Spencers Brook		✓
Wundowie		✓
Grass Valley	✓	
Seabrook	✓	
Jennacubbine	✓	



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



Your recycling bin (yellow-topped) is collected fortnightly on the same day as your waste bin (green-topped).

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

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



**All plastic containers  
& plastic wraps**  
(empty with lids off)

**All glass & ceramics**  
(whole & broken)

**All paper, junk mail  
glossy magazines &  
cardboard products**  
(empty)

**All metals:  
steel & aluminium  
including  
aerosol cans**

## PLEASE

Empty and rinse  
Remove lids  
Do not flatten containers e.g.  
milk cartons  
Items should be loose  
Flatten cardboard boxes

## REMEMBER

NO hazardous waste  
NO kitchen or garden waste  
NO building waste

Items such as foam meat trays and foil can be contaminated with food. If there is more than 20% food waste on the item, please place it in your green bin.

# Waste Management Facilities

The Shire of Northam has two Class II Waste Management Facilities being the Old Quarry Road Waste Management Facility near Northam and the Inkpen Road Waste Management Facility near Wundowie.

## **Old Quarry Road Facility**

### **Opening Hours:**

**7 Days Per Week 8am - 5pm**

**Phone: (08) 9621 1795**

**Closed Days: Christmas Day**

**& Good Friday**

**\*All opening hours are subject to review**

## **Inkpen Road Facility**

### **Opening Hours:**

**Tuesday to Friday 2pm - 5pm**

**Saturday, Sundays & Public Holidays 9am – 5pm**

**Closed Days: Mondays, Christmas Day, Boxing Day & Good Friday**

**\*All opening hours are subject to review**

## **Shire of Northam Residential Waste and Tip Passes**

Tip Passes are available from the gatehouse entrance of both Waste Management Facilities. Proof of property ownership and identification is required to obtain an annual pass.

The tip pass allows residents 10 free general domestic waste disposals and unlimited clean green waste disposals per 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 the standard waste disposal fees.

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

All wastes that have a charge associated with their disposal must be paid for at the gatehouse of the site before exiting. Please note there are EFTpos facilities available at the Old Quarry Road Waste Management Facility only.

## **Commercial Waste**

All commercial waste brought to Shire Waste Management Facilities is subject to Council's standard fees and charges. Please note all waste transported from the Perth Metropolitan regional Scheme (MRS) Area is required to pay the Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC) Levy, additional to the Shire of Northam's normal waste disposal fees.

The Shire of Northam can offer the service of an account for large operators. All accounts must be applied for and approved before any waste will be accepted under the terms of an account holder. Please note administration fees may apply to the account service.

# Waste Management Facilities

## Liquid Waste Disposal

The Shire of Northam's Old Quarry Road Waste facility also has the ability to accept septage waste from leach drains and grease traps to its four lined ponds located at the rear of the landfill site.

Please note all septage waste is subject to the Department of Environment and Conservation Controlled Waste Regulations and must only be transported by a licensed contractor.

## Recycling at Waste Management Facilities

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

**General Recycling Items** Glass bottles/ jars, paper, newspapers, telephone books, envelopes, aluminium and steel cans, tins, empty aerosol cans and clean foil, liquid paperboard, milk, juice and laundry detergent cartons

**Scrap Steel**

Scrap steel, de-gassed fridges, car bodies

**Car Batteries**

Wet cell

**Waste Oil**

Waste Oil Domestic only less than <30L

**E-Waste**

TVs, Computers, Laptops, Hard drives, Printers, Faxes, speakers, key boards, telephones, i-pods (only available at Old Quarry Road facility)

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)

**Waste Oil**

All commercial waste oil and domestic waste oil greater than >30L (see Council's Fees and Charges)

## Want to see what happens to your recycling?

**Free tours of the RRRC are available**, helping to educate people about the recycling process while offering safe and clear views into the different facilities.

Find out more by calling **9256 9555** or visit **[www.recycleright.net.au](http://www.recycleright.net.au)**



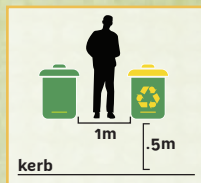


# Using your Bins

## BIN PLACEMENT

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

- Bins should be placed within .5 metres 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 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 or 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.



## HANDY HINTS

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

**For information on what to put in your recycle bin visit [recycleright.net.au](http://recycleright.net.au)**



In the **yellow-topped bin** you can place;

**All plastic**

**All metal**

**All glass**, even broken glass

**All paper**



The **green-topped bin** is for **household waste**, such as kitchen scraps and garden clippings, which can be composted, just like a home compost bin





## YOUR RECYCLING BIN (YELLOW-TOPPED)

Contents from your yellow-topped bin, collected fortnightly, are sorted and baled at the RRRC and sold for reprocessing.

Items should be LOOSE (not in plastic bags) and rinsed.

This includes:

- ✓ **All glass**, even broken glass.
- ✓ **All plastic** containers (empty), including salad dressing, tomato sauce, condiment bottles & empty plastic bags.
- ✓ **All cans & tins** including aerosol cans & tin foil.
- ✓ **All paper** products including glossy magazines & pizza boxes.

See **Resource Recovery A-Z** for a list of other items.



## YOUR WASTE BIN (GREEN-TOPPED)

Contents from your waste bin (green-topped), collected weekly, are disposed at a landfill site.

Try to keep organic waste out of your green-topped bin as it causes greenhouse gases, such as methane. You could try composting or worm farming at home. Visit [recycleright.net.au](http://recycleright.net.au) for fact sheets about worm farming and composting.

### ✗ **NO Glass**

(ALL glass goes in your recycling bin (yellow-topped)).

✗ **NO Batteries.** Place batteries into community Battery Disposal Bins.

✗ **NO Hazardous Waste:** petrol, gas cylinders, paints, motor oils & fluids, garden chemicals & poisons, pool chemicals, cleaners, acids, bleaches & ammonia, medicines & flammable liquids. Drop off Hazardous Waste to Toodyay Waste Transfer Station.

✗ **NO Medical wastes or needles.**

✗ **NO construction, demolition & building materials** (no bricks, sand, soil, concrete, rocks or asbestos).

See **DISPOSAL** for assistance with items that don't go into your bins.

# Resource Recovery Guide: A – I

## PLEASE PUT IT IN THE RIGHT BIN!

1	Yellow-topped bin items <b>Containers, tins, paper, and cardboard</b>
2	Green-topped bin items <b>General waste</b>
3	Disposal site items <b>General waste</b>
4	Community service items <b>Reusable items/goods</b>
5	Waste Management Facility

### A

1	<b>Aerosol cans</b>
1	<b>All glass, any glass</b>
1	<b>Aluminium cans</b>
1	<b>Aluminium foil</b>
5	<b>Auto batteries (Contact local Council)</b>

### B

2	<b>Band-Aids</b>
2	<b>Baskets</b>
1	<b>Beer bottles</b>
1	<b>Beer cartons</b>
4	<b>Blankets</b>
1	<b>Books</b>
1	<b>Bottles [top/lids off]</b>
1	<b>Bottle tops/lids</b>
3	<b>Bricks (C&amp;D)</b>
1	<b>Broken glass</b>
3	<b>Building materials/waste (C&amp;D)</b>
5	<b>Bulky items</b>

### D

3	<b>Dirt &amp; soil</b>
2	<b>Disposable nappies</b>
1	<b>Drink cans</b>

### E

1	<b>Egg Cartons</b>
4	<b>Electrical appliances</b>
5	<b>E-waste</b>
1	<b>Envelopes</b>

### F

5	<b>Flooring</b>
2	<b>Fly tape</b>
1	<b>Foam boxes</b>
1	<b>Foam meat trays</b>
1	<b>Foil</b>
1	<b>Food cans (rinsed)</b>
1	<b>Fruit juice cartons</b>
4	<b>Furniture (fixed)</b>
5	<b>Furniture (broken)</b>

All HHW including acid, ammonia, bleaches, fertilisers should be taken to the Shire of Toodyay Waste Transfer Station.

**C**

1	Carbon paper
1	Cardboard (boxes & other types)
2	Cassette tapes (audio & video)
1	Cellophane
1	Ceramic (broken plates, pots)
1	Cereal boxes
4	Clothing/shoes
1	Coffee jars & cans
4	Computer components/ accessories
1	Computer paper
3	Concrete
2	Cooking fat
2	Cork
1	Cosmetic jars
2	Cotton wool
2	Cotton wool buds
1	Cups & saucers
2	Cutlery (plastic)
2	Cutlery (other)

**G**

2	Garden waste (small prunings and grass clippings)
5	Garden waste (large)
5	Garden hose
4	Gas cylinders
1	Glad wrap
1	Glass (ALL Types)
1	Glossy magazines/ brochures
1	Greaseproof paper

**H**

5	Hosepipe (garden hose)
5	Household goods

**I**

1	Ice cream containers (cardboard)
1	Ice cream containers (plastic)

**J**

1	Jars
1	Jar lids
1	Juice cartons/bottles/ containers



# Resource Recovery Guide: J – Z

**5** Junk (too large for Green Bin)

**1** Junk (small items)

## K

**2** Kitty litter

## L

**5** Large garden waste

**1** Liquid paper board

**1** Long-life cartons

**1** Lunch boxes

## M

**1** Magazines

**2** Manure/animal droppings

**1** Margarine tubs

**1** Meat trays

**1** Milk bottles and milk cartons

**4** Mobile phones

**5** Motor oil (Contact local Council)

## N

**1** Newspapers

## O

**4** Oil (motor) (HHW)

## P

**1** Paint tins (empty)

**3** Paint tins

**1** Paper (not shredded)

**1** Paper towel rolls

## S

**2** Sanitary pads

**1** Sauce bottles (rinsed)

**1** Seedling containers

**2** Shredded paper

**2** Soap

**1** Soft drinks bottles (empty)

**1** Soft drink cans

**3** Soil

**2** Sweet wrappers

**1** Spirit bottles (empty)

**1** Steel cans (rinsed)

## T

**1** Take-away food containers (rinsed)

**2** Tampons

**2** Terracotta tiles/pots

**5** Timber

**3** Timber – treated

**2** Tissues

**2** Toothbrushes

**2** Toothpaste tubes

**1** Toilet paper rolls (inner)

**1** Tops (jars/bottles)

**2** Toys (broken)

**5** Toys (electronic)

**4** Toys (fixed)

**5** Tyres

1	Paper bags
2	Pens/biros/textas/pencils
1	Pet food tins (rinsed)
1	Phone books
2	Picture frames (broken)
4	Picture frames (fixed)
1	Pizza boxes
2	Placemats
1	Plastic containers
1	Plastic containers (large)
2	Plastic cutlery
1	Plastic bags (empty)
1	Plastic plant pots
1	Plate glass
2	Pottery
1	Polystyrene
4	Printer cartridges
1	Plastic bottle lids
1	Pyrex (ovenware)

## R

2	Rope
5	Rubber tyres

## V

2	Vacuum cleaner dust
2	Vinyl school bags (broken)
4	Vinyl school bags (fixed)
3	Other vinyl (kitchen tiles etc)

## W

1	Waxed cardboard
1	Waxed paper
2	Weeds
5	White goods
1	Windowpanes
1	Wine bottles
2	Wood (garden pruning)
5	Wooden planks/bits of wooden furniture
1	Wrapping paper

## Y

1	Yoghurt containers
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# Residential Bulk Bin Services

## Northam Town Residential Properties

Council provides a 'free' skip bin for 1 week per financial year in the Northam Townsite. Skip bins are required to be booked with the Avon Waste on 9641 1318 at least 2 weeks in advance and normally dropped off to the property on a Tuesday and collected the following Tuesday.

These bins are only for domestic house hold junk only. **NO** hot or burning ashes, bricks, rocks and soil, paints, solvents, liquid waste or hazardous material are to be disposed of in these bins.

## Northam Regional Properties

For regional areas in the Shire of Northam skip bins are placed in specific communal locations for junk collection for approximately one fortnight twice a year. The dates and locations of the bulk skip bins for the coming year are:

### CYCLE ONE

- 2 September – 15 September 2013  
Southern Brook (near Hall)
- 16 September – 29 September 2013  
Grass Valley (Cnr George & Wilson St)
- 30 September – 13 October 2013  
Seabrook (Cnr Muluckine & Milhinch St)
- 14 October – 27 October 2013  
Spencers Brook (near Fire Shed)
- 28 October – 10 November 2013  
Clackline (Kimberley Rd parking area)
- 11 November – 24 November 2013  
Bakers Hill (near Pavilion)
- 25 November – 15 December 2013  
Wundowie (oval near Banksia Ave)

### CYCLE TWO

- 10 February – 23 February 2014  
Southern Brook (near Hall)
- 24 February – 9 March 2014  
Grass Valley (Cnr George & Wilson St)
- 10 March – 23 March 2014  
Seabrook (Cnr Muluckine & Milhinch St)
- 24 March – 6 April 2014  
Spencers Brook (near Fire Shed)
- 7 April – 20 April 2014  
Clackline (Kimberley Rd parking area)
- 21 April – 11 May 2014  
Wundowie (oval near Banksia Ave)
- 12 May – 25 May 2014  
Bakers Hill (near Pavilion)



# Other Items

## TOWELS, SHEETS, CAT FURNITURE AND CARRY CAGES

**Cat Haven** 08 9442 3600 or visit [www.cathaven.com.au](http://www.cathaven.com.au)

## BOOKS, CLOTHING, FURNITURE, SHOES, BRIC-A-BRAC

Please do not throw out household goods. There is a major need for clean, undamaged, reusable furniture which may be collected FREE of charge. Contact your local charity.

## PRINTER CARTRIDGES

For recycling of all printer cartridges you can go to the Post Office **Cartridges 4 Planet Ark** 1800 242 473 or visit the Shire Admin office and deposit in Recycling Station

**SPECTACLES** In association with non-profit organisations, Optometry Aid Overseas, Laubman & Pank sends used spectacles to developing countries.

**Laubman & Pank** 08 9364 7144

**MOBILE PHONES** All makes & models. **Mobile Phone Industry Recycling Program** 1300 730 070 or visit [www.mobilemuster.com.au](http://www.mobilemuster.com.au) or visit the Shire Admin office and deposit in Recycling Station.

**COMPUTERS AND IT** For recycling of old computer equipment including desktops, notebooks, servers, monitors, printers and other items drop off at Old Quarry Road Waste Management Facility.

**AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS** If you have automotive products (coolants, brake pads, motor oil and tyres), discuss the right way to get rid of them with your mechanic or car service provider.

**GAS BOTTLES** For LPG refills call **Kleenheat Gas** on 132 180 or visit [www.kleenheat.com.au](http://www.kleenheat.com.au)

**NEEDLES** contact your local pharmacist.

**OLD MEDICINES** If you have left over medicines in your home discuss the right way to get rid of them with your pharmacist. Many pharmacies will collect old medicines and dispose of them properly through wholesalers.

**HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES** visit the Shire Admin office and deposit in Recycling Station.

**COMPACT FLUORESCENT TUBE (CFL)** visit the Shire Admin office and deposit in Recycling Station.



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



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