

Glamorgan Spring Bay Council



Waste & Recycling

Message from the General Manager

Reducing waste is of importance in this day and age, and by providing a kerbside service with mobile garbage bins, we aim to make it easier for people to recycle and reduce waste from home and business.

The mobile garbage bin recycling service sets new best practice for Tasmania, offering a higher volume of recyclables to be collected per household. Containing the recyclable items in mobile garbage bins, rather than open crates, protects our environment by preventing litter.

Please read this brochure carefully, as it gives you all the information you need to get the most out of this service and to provide us with an efficient, high quality, and safe system.



As a valued ratepayer, you are being provided with two new compact Mobile Garbage Bins (MGBs), chosen for their advanced qualities and stability in kerbside collections (an important feature for preventing litter in our municipality).



HOUSEHOLD WASTE - RED LID

Glamorgan Spring Bay Council residents receive a 140 Litre mobile garbage bin with a red lid for the general household garbage.

Your garbage will be collected weekly.

The table overleaf shows collection days in your area. Please have your garbage bin out by 6am to ensure collection. It may be easier to put it out the night before.



HOUSEHOLD RECYCLING - YELLOW

In addition to the garbage collection, residents receive a 140 Litre mobile garbage bin with a yellow lid for recycling.

This service occurs fortnightly on every second garbage collection day (simply put both bins out). Please telephone 6256 4777 for detail on recycling dates.

Please have your recycling bin out by 6am to ensure collection. It may be easier to put it out the night before.

COMMERCIAL WASTE and RECYCLING SERVICE

Glamorgan Spring Bay Council also offers a 240 Litre Commercial collection service for local business. Further information can be obtained at your local Council Office.

WHAT CAN GO IN MY GARBAGE (RED LID) BIN?



The following items CAN go in your garbage bin:

- Normal household waste in a bag and tied; and
- Light builders waste (capable of being enclosed in a 140l mgb).

The following items CANNOT go in your garbage bin:

- Oil, paint, chemicals, solvents;
- Bricks, concrete, soil;
- Car parts (including batteries);
- Un-bagged dust; and
- Un-bagged garden waste.

These items pose environmental and safety risks.

When Do I Put My **Bins Out?**



Collection Area BICHENO

COLES BAY, SWANWICK, PONTYPOOL

SWANSEA, DOLPHIN SANDS, TASMAN HWY (SWANSEA TO TRIABUNNA)

TRIABUNNA, LOUISVILLE, BUCKLAND

Fathery ORFORD, SHELLY BEACH, SPRING BEACH

WHAT CAN GO IN MY RECYCLING (YELLOW LID) BIN?

The following items can be recycled in your mobile garbage bin with the yellow lid:

- Glass beverage or food containers;
- aluminium cans & foil:
- steel tins;
- aerosol cans:
- plastic beverage containers;
- plastic food containers #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7;
- milk or juice cartons (excluding foil lined long life cartons).

Cans









Glass Bottles



Plastic Bottles



- Do not put items in plastic bags;
- No window glass or mirrors;
- No batteries;
- No light globes;
- No crockery;
- No household rubbish:
- No food items; and
- No household chemicals or oils.



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WHERE TO PLACE YOUR BINS FOR COLLECTION



Bins must be 1 metre apart

Face the wheels towards the house



Do not place bin near trees or power poles, or this close together.



Do not place bin behind cars.



Do not overload the bin (maximum 50kg).

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING POINTS:

- All rubbish must be bagged;
- No garbage is to be placed on top or beside bin, as extra garbage will not be taken;
- · Please clean your bin to prevent odours wash it out on your lawn to keep our waterways clean;
- · Place items loosely in the bin jammed items will not come out; and
- Please return the bin to your premises as soon as possible after collection to avoid theft.