

Your new Urban Recycling Service has arrived!

Council is working towards better reduction of waste in our district. In 2020, we ran two trials to understand the recycling habits of residents. We found that our towns are good at recycling the correct materials when they are provided with the tools to do so.

Therefore, in the 2021-31 Long Term Plan it was decided Council will roll out additional glass and recycling services in Dannevirke, Pahiatua, Woodville and Eketāhuna. Households in these areas will be provided with a 45L glass container and a 240L wheelie-bin for mixed recyclables, including type 1, 2 and 5 plastics, tin cans and cardboard.

These bins will be collected on alternating weeks.

Who gets these bins?

All properties who pay urban rates will receive these bins. You may see your neighbour doesn't have one, this is because they are in the rural boundary.

How are these new bins paid for?

The improved recycling services will be funded by a combination of rates for urban properties receiving these services, revenue generated from the recycled glass, and through Central Governments waste levy.

What's in this booklet?

- Map of collection route
- What to put in the bins
- Your collection day
- Other general info
- Collection day magnet
- Collection day calendar



Your new 240L Recycling Bin

This is for your type 1, 2 & 5 plastics, cardboard, and tin.
- No plastic bags!

More information on what you can put in this bin is available inside this booklet



Your new 45L Glass Bin

This is for all your glass. Just make sure the tops are off and the glass isn't broken.

More information on what you can put in this bin is available inside this booklet



Some handy tips for Collection Day

- Please remember to put your bin out by 7:30am
- Please ensure it is right on the kerbside and visible for our teams
- Please don't overfill your crates for our crews safety



**Week 1
Recycling**



**Week 2
Glass**

Pahiatua Boundary:

Pahiatua Town Bridge (Mangahao Road)
1 Main Street
28 Tudor Road
24 Tiraumea Road
Hughes Court

On Wednesdays

Kerbside collection will be collected from urban residents in **PAHIATUA**. If you are in this zone, put your recycling out to the kerb by 7:30am. Starting 6 July 2022

Pahiatua



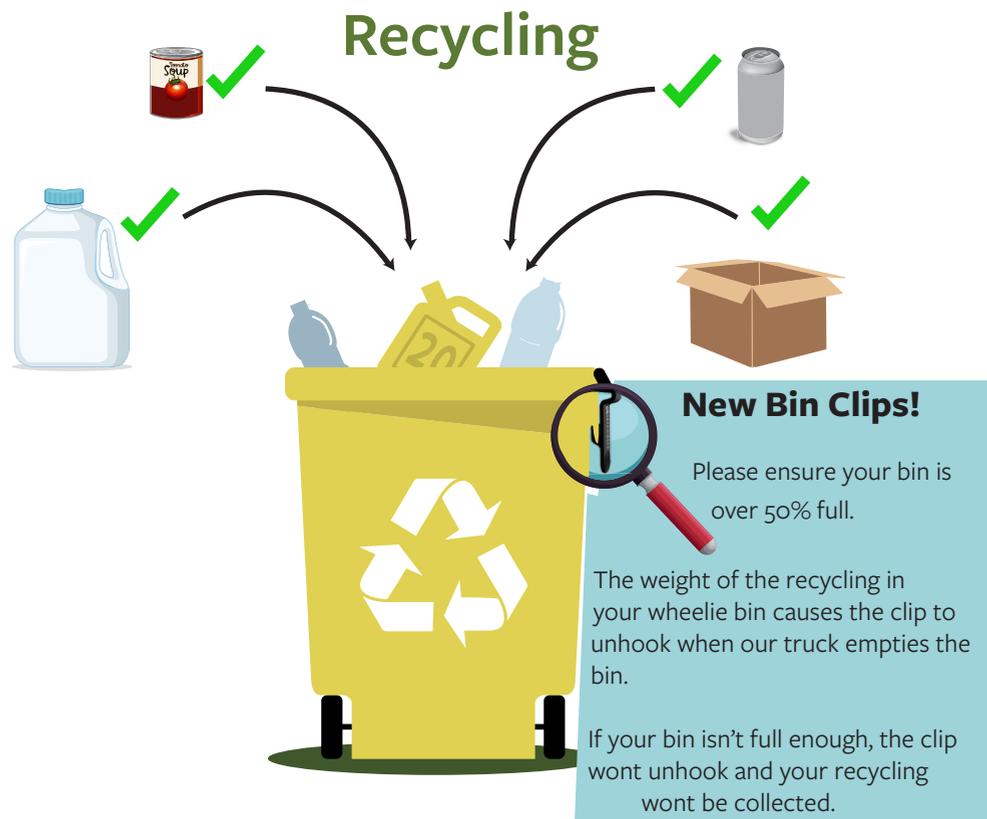
If you are unsure if you are in the collection zone give our customer services team a call on 06 376 0110.

So what goes in my bins?

Your new 240L recycling bin is perfect for all your type 1, 2 and 5 plastics, paper, cardboard and tin.

To ensure your bin can be recycled please ensure the following items are not in your bin:

- No soft plastics 
- No plastic bags 
- No wet paper/cardboard
- No food waste
- No polysterene 
- No fibreglass/Other 
- No bottle lids
- Unrinsed plastics



Your 45L crate is perfect for recycling glass bottles and jars that you aren't going to re-purpose or reuse.

For our teams safety please refrain from over filling this crate or putting any of the following items in the black bin.

- No broken glass
- No lightbulbs
- No windows or mirrors
- No bottle lids or corks

Please note: Only Tararua District Council crates will be collected



Recycling is extremely important

Reducing solid waste to landfill and recycling is the single biggest thing we can do to mitigate climate change.

Rubbish in our landfills accounts for most of the Tararua District's carbon emissions, along with wastewater. Extending our recycling services will not only help to reduce harmful emissions but also the cost of sending the waste to landfills.

This is why it is crucial for all of us to know what can and can't go in our bins.

If you are unsure what you can and can't recycle, check out our website: www.tararua.govt.nz/recycle

Don't want your bin?

Please contact us by phone or email and let our team know your address and the reason you are opting out:

06 374 4080
info@tararua.govt.nz

Here are some tips to help you recycle

Bins and crates must be kerbside by 7:30am.

Please ensure it is right on the kerbside and visible for our teams, so you don't get missed.

Please ensure all items are rinsed/washed clean.

To ensure your recycling is able to be processed, it is important you ensure the correct recycling is in your bin. The yellow lidded bin is for plastics (1, 2 and 5), rinsed cans, cardboard and tin. The black crate is for clean, whole glass.

Flatten your cardboard before placing it in the yellow lidded bin.

If your bin is contaminated with non-recyclables it will not be picked up. Contaminants include polystyrene, cling wrap or broken glass.

These bins belong to the property. Please don't take them with you when you move.

