

2024 WASTE & RECYCLING CALENDAR

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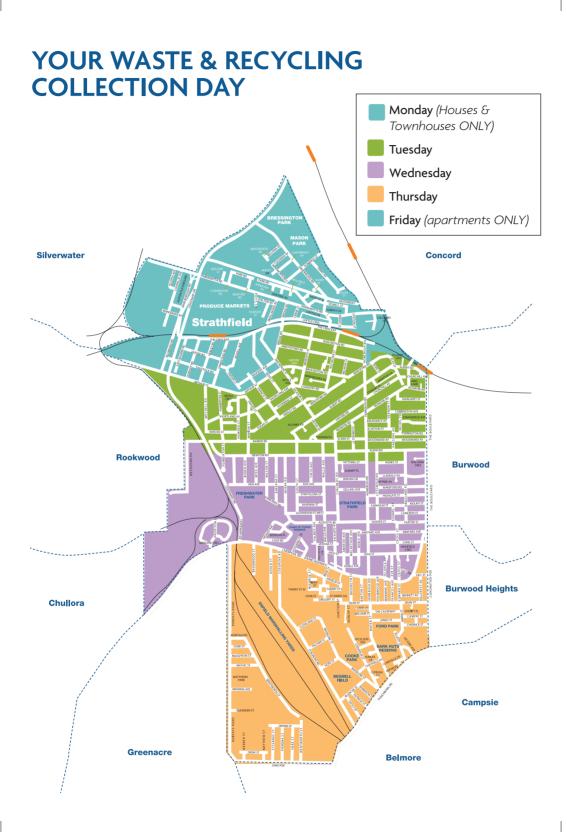
GREEN WEEK Garden Organics and General Waste bins collected

REFER TO MAP OVER PAGE FOR YOUR COLLECTION DAY



Scan for more information about Council's waste services or to report a missed service, stolen, or damaged bin





WASTE & RECYCLING

GARDEN ORGANICS GREEN LID



Bark and leaves



Flower



Lawn clippings



Weeds



Pruning



Branches





RECYCLING YELLOW LID

Ensure all recycling is rinsed, empty, and placed loose in the bin, not in bags



Glass bottles and jars



Plastic containers



Aluminium and steel cans



Cardboard and paper



Milk and juice cartons



Empty pizza boxes

GENERAL WASTE RED LID



Bagged garbage



Food scraps



Polystyrene



Plastic bags and plastic packaging



Nappies



Small household items





To ensure collection, place all waste in the bin with the lid fully closed.



Overfull bins attract vermin and animals and may cause litter.



Don't overfill or pack bins too tightly.



Place bins away from other objects with the front facing the street.



Place bins out the **night before collection** day.



Bring bins in within 12 hours after collection.



To report a missed service, stolen or damaged bin, scan the QR code below.



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THINK BEFORE YOU THROW: THE 5 R PRINCIPLE

Sydney's landfills are expected to reach capacity within the next 15 years at our current rate of waste generation.

To reduce the amount of waste that goes to landfill, Strathfield Council residents should consider following the **5 R Principle - Refuse, Reduce, Reuse, Repurpose, Recycle.**

REFUSE

Refuse unnecessary items by saying no to single use plastics and items.

REDUCE

Reduce the amount of waste you create by reducing the amount of items you buy.

REUSE

Reuse items where possible.

REPURPOSE

Repurpose items used for one purpose and use them for other ones by thinking outside the box.

RECYCLE

Recycle items properly to prevent useful resources from going to the landfill.

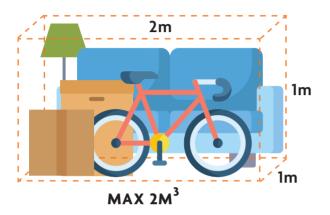
SUSTAINABLE STRATHFIELD

CLEAN UP COLLECTION



LEAVING ITEMS ON THE KERB WITHOUT BOOKING A CLEAN UP IS A CRIME AND CAN ATTRACT FINES







ITEMS ACCEPTED



Furniture



Bed / Mattress



White Goods



Vegetation Waste

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED



Builiding & Demolition Waste



Batteries



E-waste, Computers & TVs

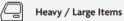


Polystyrene



Hazardous / Chemical Waste





- If you live in a unit/apartment, contact your building manager to organise a communal collection.
- Up to 3 collections per year.
- Items must only be put out the night before collection day to avoid illegal dumping and fines.
- Residents can drop off a variety of items at our Strathfield Spring Clean Up events. Visit our website for more information and dates.



Before booking a clean up collection, you should rehome your pre-loved goods to friends and family, a local charity, or try selling them online to reduce the amount sent to landfill.

For more ideas, go to: www.strathfield.nsw.gov.au/live/waste

REFRESH & RECYCLING SERVICES: WHERE CAN I TAKE?



CHEMICALS

Find your nearest Recycling Centre or the next Household Chemical CleanOut event, where you can drop off household problem waste for free by visiting: epa.nsw.gov.au/your-environment/recycling-andreuse/household-recycling-overview/find-crcs-or-hcco



CLOTHING & TEXTILES

Find your nearest charity or clothing bin for your pre-loved clothing and textiles by visiting: recyclingnearyou.com.au

To help charity shops keep their costs down, follow the golden rule for donations: if you would gift it to a friend or family member, then it's in good enough condition to donate.



E-WASTE

Find you nearest e-waste drop off point by visiting: recyclingnearyou.com.au

Council also hosts recycling drop off events that accept e-waste. Visit strathfield.nsw.gov.au/live/waste/waste-matters for upcoming dates and more information



MEDICAL WASTE

Safely dispose medical syringes and sharps at one of Council's participating pharmacies and chemists:

Chemist Warehouse

Shop 17 Churchill Avenue (Strathfield Plaza) STRATHFIELD NSW 2135

Flemington Chemist

Shop 12, 22-24 Henley Road HOMEBUSH WEST NSW 2140

Homebush Pharmacy

23 Rochester Street HOMEBUSH NSW 2140

The Centre Pharmacy

Shop 2, 258 - 260 Homebush Road SOUTH STRATHFIELD NSW 2135

REFRESH & RECYCLING SERVICES: SUSTAINABLE INITIATIVES



RECYCLING STATIONS

Drop off recycling stations are located at: Strathfield Council Customer Service Strathfield Council Library & Innovation Hub

Accepted items:

- Light globes
- CDs/DVDs

- Batteries
- Printer
- Mobile phones

- X-rays
- Cartridges



STRATHFIELD SPRING CLEAN UP

In theme with National Recycling Week, Strathfield Council proudly presents 'Strathfield Spring Clean Up' at the Strathfield Council Depot (I Weerona Rd, Strathfield).

This is an annual drop-off initiative for our community to refresh and recycle unwanted goods to reduce our impact on the environment.

Visit strathfield.nsw.gov.au/live/waste/waste-matters for upcoming dates and more information.



RESPONSIBLE CAFES

Strathfield Council has partnered with Responsible Cafés to reduce the use of disposable coffee cups from our local cafés.

The Responsible Cafés program encourages cafés to provide a small discount to customers who bring a reusable cup.



COMPOST REVOLUTION

Compost Revolution is a social venture that provides compost bins and education on food waste reduction. Strathfield Council residents get 50% off & free delivery on products at Compost Revolution.

Visit: compostrevolution.com.au/Strathfield



Scan to find a recycler service through Planet Ark or visit recyclingnearyou.com.au



STRATHFIELD IS GOING

FOGO

Food Organics Garden Organics

RECYCLING FOOD WASTE INTO COMPOST

Strathfield's Food Organics Garden Organics (FOGO) service will be coming soon. Once FOGO starts, you will be able to place food waste into your existing green garden waste bin to be recycled into compost.

WHY FOGO?

- The NSW Government has mandated all councils to go FOGO by 2030. We will soon be undertaking community consultations and audits to gradually transition to the FOGO service.
- Food waste makes up to 45% of our red lid garbage bin waste. By diverting this waste from landfill into creating compost, we can reduce the amount of harmful greenhouse gas emissions created.
- Compost made from the food waste collected will be used in gardens and farms across NSW.





HOW TO FOGO?



SCAN TO LEARN ABOUT FOGO If you can eat it or grow it, you can FOGO it.



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Bread



Loose Tea Leaves & Coffee Grounds



Garden Waste



COMPOST REVOLUTION

Want to get started on your own home composting system before FOGO?

Strathfield Council residents get 50% off & free delivery of a compost bin, tumbler, worm farm, or bokashi bin at Compost Revolution.

Visit: compostrevolution.com.au/Strathfield





2024 STREET SWEEPING CALENDAR

ATTENTION



PUT LEAVES IN HOME COMPOST OR GREEN BIN



DON'T BLOW, SWEEP OR HOSE LEAVES INTO GUTTERS OR ONTO FOOTPATHS, DRIVEWAYS, OR THE STREET

FINES OF \$4,000 FOR AN INDIVIDUAL AND \$8,000 FOR A BUSINESS CAN APPLY

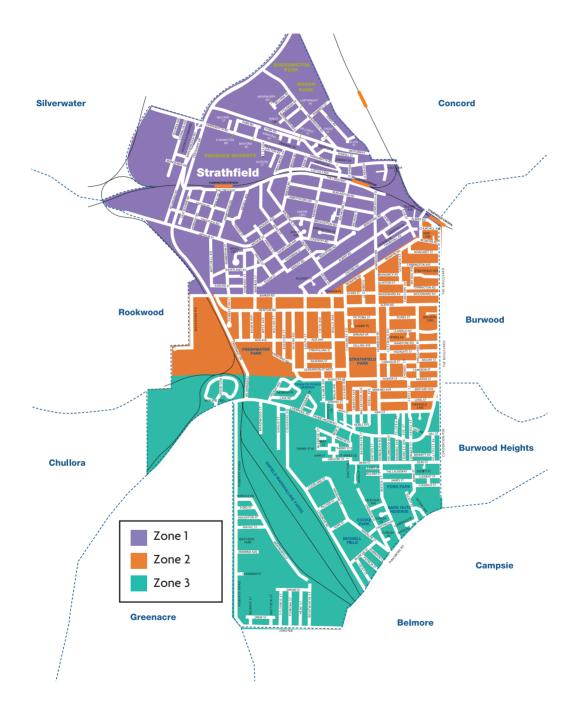
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Leaves that end up in our stormwater system can cause drainage blocks that flood our streets and pollute our waterways. Do your part by raking up leaves on your property and nature strip and putting them in your green bin.

STREET SWEEPING ZONES



FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TRANSLATIONS



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