

# Refuse & Recycling Collection Service

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION



**GLASS  
RECYCLING**  
Glass **ONLY** in  
this bin



**MIXED  
RECYCLING**  
CLEAN hard plastic.  
Juice/ milk bottles/  
tins & cans/ aerosols/  
clean paper/ newspaper/  
books/ thin card



**ORGANIC**  
All food waste/  
grass cuttings/  
hedge trimmings/  
thick card/ dirty or  
soiled paper/  
flowers



**NON RECYCLABLE  
WASTE**  
Anything that can't  
be recycled.  
Plastic bags/ nappies/  
wipes/ cat litter/  
polystyrene

Zero Waste Western Isles are targeting the quality of material in all bins (comingled, glass, organic and residual) in this area over the coming weeks. Bin audits will be carried out to ensure that contamination in the bins is being kept to a minimum. The bin auditing process also includes inspection of non-recycling bins for recyclable materials. This will help to decrease the amount of recyclable materials which currently goes to landfill. The more waste which is diverted from landfill the less landfill tax the Council has to pay, enabling the Council to maintain the services it currently provides.

Another aspect of the bin auditing process is to check organic bins. To achieve national PAS 110 standards for our compost, so that it can be sold to the public, the amount of contamination in the organic waste must be reduced considerably.

Thank you for your continued support through recycling.





If you are not recycling correctly your bin may be issued with a yellow tag to provide you with the information on how to maximise household recycling.

Should your bin be presented for collection with contamination on three

consecutive occasions, your bin will be labelled with a red tag. A red tag means that your bin will not be emptied until the contamination is removed.

 <b>ZERO WASTE WESTERN ISLES</b> (01851) 709900	Your bin has not been emptied for the following reason: <b>Your Organic bin was contaminated</b>
	The Contamination must be removed before this bin is presented again for collection.  If you require help with recycling please contact the Comhairle's Zero Waste Team on (01851) 709900



Individual skips are available to **recycle** the following materials:

- Wood / Timber
- Metals
- Green Waste / Garden Waste (no top soil with stones)

A skip for General Waste is also available

Other items which are accepted for recycling include:

- Fridges / Freezers
- Cookers / Washing Machines / Tumble Dryers
- TV's, Computers, Monitors
- Small Electrical items (i.e. Kettles, Toasters, Hairdryers etc)
- Tyres, Batteries and Used Oil

Opening Hours:  
Monday CLOSED

Tuesday—Friday 9.00am — 5.00pm

Saturday 9.00am — 4.00pm



Thank you for reading and recycling.  
If you have any queries please call: 01851 709900  
Or email us at [recycling@cne-siar.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@cne-siar.gov.uk)

