**Getting your recycling wrong could mean** that your wheelie bin is not emptied, as the contents might endanger staff, break machinery or contaminate other recyclables causing them to be disposed of in a landfill.



#### The districts kerbside recycling goes to the Material Recovery Facility (MRF) in Palmerston North to be sorted



Recycled glass is sent to Auckland to be made back into glass bottles and jars.



Recycled cardboard and paper gets remade into cardboard boxes and paper towels.

For a full list of how to dispose of most household waste products, please visit:



Norowhenua.govt.nz/whatgoeswhere

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### How do I know what type of plastic it is?

When you buy something in plastic, producers should have a triangle with a number inside it. This indicates what type of plastic this is, and helps us to determine what is recyclable and what isn't.

#### What should I do if my plastic doesn't have a number on it?

Place it in your waste bin or council rubbish bag as we can't determine what type of plastic it is.

#### What time do I need to have my bin out by?

Recycling wheelie bins and crates need to be placed kerbside by 7.30am to ensure collection.

#### What date is my recycling collection?

Your kerbside recycling is collected every two weeks. and your recycling bin and crate are collected on the same day.

You can check your next collection date on our website using My Neighbourhood.

#### If in doubt...

Phone Council or place in rubbish bag/bin.

Norowhenua.govt.nz/checkcollectiondates



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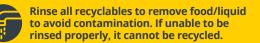
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# **Recycling Made Easy** He māmā te hangarua







If your recycling smells, it's likely to be contaminated and not acceptable for collection.



We do not recvcle lids.

## **RECYCLING WHEELIE BIN**



Yes, we

recycle these

### What CAN'T I put in my recycling wheelie bin?

Below are some of the most common items



Clear food wrap, shower curtains, PVC pipes



squeezy bottles, bread bags, other plastic wraps



Small yoghurt/dairy pottles, disposable cups, foodcontainers, polystyrene packaging

Sports bottles, baby bottles, some car parts, medical & dental equipment





Garden waste



Takeaway coffee cups and compostable packaging



Soiled, lined, or mixed layer materials such as drink cartons



Lids from iars and bottles

Hazardous waste



#### **RECYCLING CRATE**

