



YELLOW BIN (RECYCLING)

As part of Port Pirie Regional Council's waste management strategy, food waste recycling was introduced to all residents in 2024. In conjunction with the established three-bin kerbside recycling collection service introduced in 2013, the improved kerbside collection service consists of a 240L **YELLOW** lid bin collected on an **alternate fortnightly** basis and is for recycling.

Please refer to Council's [Kerbside Collection Calendar](#) for collection day details.

What CAN go in my YELLOW recycling bin?

- Clean paper and cardboard (newspapers, egg cartons, flattened boxes etc.)
- Rinsed liquid paperboard cartons (milk, juice, custard, soup and stock cartons)
- Rigid plastic containers (drink bottles, detergent bottles, ice cream containers)
- Empty aerosol containers
- Cans
- Glass bottles and jars



What CAN NOT go in my YELLOW recycling bin?

- NO e-waste or batteries
- NO broken or heat proof glass
- NO car parts or gas cylinders
- NO ceramics or crockery
- NO clothing or rags
- NO garden waste or food scraps
- NO paper towel or tissues
- NO soft plastics
- NO polystyrene food trays or cups
- NO plastic bags



If you are unsure of the correct disposal method for a particular item, you may use the 'which bin' tool at whichbin.com.au or by contacting Port Pirie Regional Council.

Recycling tips

- Do not bundle newspapers/cardboard
- Do not place items in plastic bags
- Empty and rinse containers and bottles
- Keep different materials separate i.e. do not place cans in boxes
- Remove lids from jars, bottles and plastic containers and place in red waste bin
- Plastic lids/small plastic items can only be recycled if placed inside of a plastic bottle/milk container
- Pizza boxes can go into the recycling bin provided they are not heavily soiled with oil/food scraps – if the box is soiled it can be placed in the green organics bin



DID YOU KNOW?

ONE THIRD of items we dispose of in our red waste bins is RECYCLABLE!