

How much does it cost?

The recycling service is paid through rates. If you own your own home you will find this rate under kerbside recycling charge on your rates assessment. If you rent, the property owner pays for the service through rates.



I have a long driveway...

If you have a long driveway you may wish to consider purchasing the tow hitch. This is available for purchase at Mitre 10 Feilding.

What if I lose my wheelie bin or crate?

Each wheelie bin and crate will have a serial number and property address on it.

We hope misplaced bins or crates will be returned to the correct address. Should you require another bin or crate, they are available from the Council. Please note charges may apply.



Rubbish Bags

Council 'blue' rubbish bags are for sale at supermarkets in Feilding and Palmerston North as well as stores located throughout the Manawātū District.

Blue rubbish bags can also be purchased at Council's office at 135 Manchester Street, Feilding and the Library.

All proceeds from Council rubbish bag sales are re-invested back into district wide waste management.

Excess recycling can be taken to the Resource Recovery Centre at 247A Kawakawa Road, Feilding.

For more information contact

MANAWATŪ DISTRICT COUNCIL
06 323 0000

REMEMBER TO...

REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE.

By recycling you are saving money and playing your part to help the environment and making Manawātū a leader in diverting waste from going to landfill.

Feilding Rubbish and Recycling Service

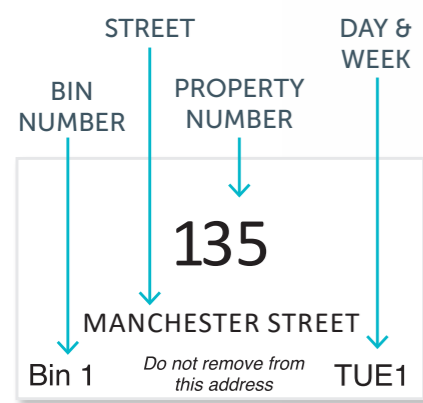
Feilding residents have access to kerbside rubbish and recycling collection through a Manawātū District Council branded rubbish bag collection every week and fortnightly recycling collection.

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All properties in Feilding have been supplied with a yellow lid black body wheelie bin and black plastic crate for collecting recycling. These are collected every two weeks on the same day rubbish is collected at the property.

PLEASE KEEP THIS INFORMATION





Find your collection day

Your recycling wheelie bin has a sticker on its side. This sticker displays, among other things, your collection day. The illustration above shows where to find the collection day on the sticker.

'TUE1' means rubbish and recycling will be picked up on Tuesdays at that property, and recycling will be collected in the first week of the fortnightly schedule, as displayed on the recycling calendar. The 2023/24 recycling calendar showing the dates for weeks 1 and 2 is provided.

If the sticker displays 'TUE2', recycling would be collected every second Tuesday – identified by finding the Tuesday in a 'week 2' schedule as displayed on the recycling calendar.

For a full list visit the council website under the 'Recycling Brochure'.

If you are still unsure about your collection day after looking at the sticker, recycling calendar or search tool please call the Council on 06 323 0000 or if you're comfortable ask your neighbour.

Putting your rubbish and recycling out for collection

The collection trucks travelling around the Manawātū District are designed to collect rubbish and recycling quickly and safely. To make sure this process is smooth there are a few things to keep in mind.

- On collection day, place your wheelie bin or crate outside your property close to – but not on – the kerb, where the collection truck will pass. If possible please try to find level ground.
- The collection truck must be able to reach your bin from the edge of the road, without driving onto the grass or kerb.
- There are arrows on the wheelie bin lid that show you which way the bin should face or remember that the wheels should **face the house**.
- Allow a **half-metre gap** between your wheelie bin and any other object. The arm of the collection truck needs this room to safely open and pick the bin up. The lid must also be fully closed.
- Fill the black crate so that glass bottles and jars will not roll out when collected. Stack bottles **vertically** and keep **below the rim**.

• **Please: No recycling in plastic bags.**
Plastic and glass recycling must be clean and lids must be removed.
No food contaminated items in your recycling.
No polystyrene. No shredded paper.

What can be recycled?

Wheelie bin

- Rinsed plastic containers with any of the recycling symbols 1, 2 & 5. Lids and plastic sleeves to be removed.
- Paper
- Cardboard: eg cereal, beer and pizza boxes (no food contaminated items).
- Drink cans: eg aluminium and steel coca cola, pepsi, red bull etc. Rinsed food tins: eg spaghetti, pasta sauce etc.



Black crate

- Rinsed glass bottles and jars: eg Clean beer and wine bottles, jam jars, no lids or tops (*no broken bottles, jars, no mirror or window glass etc*).

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www.mdc.govt.nz



Recycling Calendar

January - December 2025



WEEK 1 WEEK 2 PUBLIC HOLIDAY NO CHANGE TO COLLECTION PUBLIC HOLIDAY NO COLLECTION THIS DAY

JANUARY 2025							FEBRUARY 2025							MARCH 2025						
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APRIL 2025							MAY 2025							JUNE 2025						
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JULY 2025							AUGUST 2025							SEPTEMBER 2025						
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OCTOBER 2025							NOVEMBER 2025							DECEMBER 2025						
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Put all recycling and rubbish bags out before 7.30am on your collection day. Place the bin as close to the kerb as possible and clear of the footpath. Allow at least 0.5m separation between recycling bins. Do not over fill and ensure the lid is closed.