

Get ready for changes to your waste and recycling service.

Dear Resident,

The City of Canterbury Bankstown is working to provide residents with the most efficient and streamlined waste service. In order to do so, your waste and recycling service will undergo a few changes over the coming weeks, which may impact on the way your building manages waste.

These changes are the final stage of Council's realignment of waste services between the former Canterbury and Bankstown local government areas (LGAs). Council will continue its role in bringing the future of smart collections, recycling and reusing, resource recovery and waste minimisation to all generations across the City.

Bin days are moving

- Your apartment block's bin collection day may change from 1 March for red and yellow bins; and
- If you have green bins, your day is most likely to change. You can use the new 'Bin Day Finder' on [cb.city/wasteless](https://www.cb.city/wasteless) to check your bin day.

This means that for some apartment blocks, the **green bin day** will be different to the red and yellow bin day. This is because a contractor will be collecting green bins and Council will be collecting red and yellow bins. While we have tried to align the days as much as possible, to ensure efficient use of trucks, this was not possible in all cases.

However, in most cases Council will collect your red and yellow bins from your bin bay, so there is nothing that you need to do for those bins. But, if applicable, you (or the caretaker) will need to continue to put your green bins on the kerb the night before your collection day.

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New collection times

With new routes, trucks and drivers, collection times will change for many households. They may be earlier, or they may be later.

To avoid missing the collection, please ensure all your waste and recycling bins are in the bin collection areas the night before the collection day.

If your property has **green waste bins**, these will need to be placed on the kerb the night before the collection day.

Bulky Waste Clean-Up changes

From the first week of March, there will be some changes to the booked Bulky Waste Clean-Up service. These changes are designed to reduce waiting times, improve customer service and increase the environmental benefits of the program. For example, Council's new trucks will allow fridges and air-conditioners to be separated and transported to a facility where the refrigerants can be safely removed, and mattresses will be picked up by a separate recycler.

The specific changes include:

- For unit or apartment blocks with five (5) or less households, you will continue to book your own clean up. You are allowed up to two (2) collections per calendar year; and
- For unit, or apartment blocks with six (6) or more households, bookings will need to be made by a caretaker, building manager or the strata on behalf of the whole building.

Additional resources and services

Council is offering additional services to assist body corporations and residents.

Information can be found on our website at **cb.city/waste-unit-blocks**

1. For unit blocks with more than 75 units, Council offers additional FREE recycling services for separated cardboard, polystyrene, clothing and e-waste. If your unit block is interested in these services, please contact us on 9707 9000 and ask for the Resource Recovery Team;
2. Join the FREE 'Scraps to Soil' food collection trial. To convert food waste to compost Council is trialling a separate FREE food waste bin trial for unit blocks. To find out further information go to **cb.city/foodscrapbin**; and
3. Sign up to email updates to keep up with waste collection changes affecting your building at **cb.city/wasteless-newsletter**

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