

-  Pizza boxes (empty)
-  Plant pots (or return to garden centre)
-  Plastic bags (or return to supermarket)
-  Plastic bin liners
-  Plastic bottles and take away containers (rigid)
-  Plastic bottles and take away containers (semi-flexible or flexible)
-  Plastic strapping
-  Polystyrene
-  Prunings
-  Pyrex glass

## R

-  Rocks

## S

-  Scrap metal
-  Scrap paper
-  Sharps/syringes
-  Shoes (Charity shop if in good condition)
-  Smoke detectors (domestic)
-  Steel
-  Steel cans (food)

## T

-  Tapes (videos, cassettes, DVDs)
-  Timber
-  Tissues
-  Toothpaste tubes
-  Toys (Charity shop if in good condition)
-  Tyres

## V

-  Vacuum cleaner dust

## W

-  White goods

Ipswich Waste Services operates two recycling and refuse centres for the disposal of recyclable materials and general waste at the following locations:

- Riverview Recycling and Refuse Centre  
81 Riverview Road, Riverview
- Rosewood Recycling and Refuse Centre  
94 Oakleigh Colliery Road, Rosewood

For more information and specific details on acceptable items for each recycling and refuse centre, please visit **[ipswich.qld.gov.au/waste](http://ipswich.qld.gov.au/waste)**

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# A-Z of Waste Disposal for Ipswich Residents



Leading the way in the 4Rs:  
**REFUSE, REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE**

# What should I do with these items?

■ Red-top waste bin  
 ■ Yellow-top recycling bin  
 ■ Green-top waste bin  
 ■ Recycling and Refuse Centre  
 ■ Ipswich.qld.gov.au  
 ■ Charity Shops  
 ■ Compost

## A

- Aerosol cans (empty)
- Air conditioners
- Aluminium cans
- Aluminium foil
- Aluminium trays
- Asbestos

## B

- Batteries (car)
- Batteries (dry cell)
- Batteries (phone)
- Beer bottles (or glass recycling stations)
- Bin liners (plastic)
- Bones
- Bricks/pavers
- Broken glass
- Bubble wrap
- Building waste

## C

- Car bodies
- Carbon paper
- Cardboard (including corrugated)
- Cardboard (waxed)
- Carpet
- Cartons (fresh milk and juice)
- Cartridges
- CDs
- Cereal box inserts
- Cereal boxes
- Chemicals (annual drop off day)
- China/ceramic (cups, plates, bowls etc)
- Chip packets
- Chlorine (only accepted at annual drop off day)

## J

- Junk mail

## L

- Laundry detergent boxes (and scoops)
- Lids (bottles, jars, plastic containers)
- Light bulbs (incandescent)
- Long life products

## M

- Magazines
- Meat scraps
- Meat trays
- Mirrors
- Miscellaneous waste
- Mobile phones, batteries and their chargers  
(mobilemuster.com.au or participating mobile retailers)

## N

- Nappies (disposable)
- Needles

## O

- Oil (motor/machinery)
- Organic waste

## P

- Paint tins (wet, up to 20 litres per tin)
- Paint tins (dried)
- Paper
- Paper towels
- Pens and pencils
- Pet food tins (clean)
- Pet litter
- Phone directories

- Clothing (Charity shop if in good condition)

- Compact Fluorescent Lamps

- Computers

- Concrete

- Cooking oil

- Corks

- Crockery and kitchen glassware

## D

- Dirt/soil

## E

- Egg boxes
- Eggshells
- Electrical appliances
- Empty farm drums
- Envelopes

## F

- Farm chemicals and containers
- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Flowers
- Foam boxes and trays
- Food cans (empty)
- Food scraps
- Fridges and freezers
- Fruit punnets

## G

- Garden clippings/green waste  
(or trailer loads to the Recycling and Refuse Centre)
- Gas cylinders (domestic e.g. BBQ)
- Glass jars and bottles  
(or glass recycling stations)
- General waste