

 **recycle** for Renfrewshire

Your bin collections are changing

Changes coming
November/
December 2018*

Green bin
Plastics, cans
and glass

Blue bin
Paper, card
and cardboard

Brown bin
Garden and
food waste

Grey bin
Non-recyclable
waste

For more information on how this will affect you, come along to one of our roadshows, call 0300 300 0300, or visit the dedicated My Bins section of our website.



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*Park Mains, Bargarran and North Barr areas of Erskine will change in early 2019.

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Why are we changing?

The increasing costs of waste disposal and the demand for higher-quality recycling means a change is needed to ensure our service remains efficient and provides value for money.

The new green bin will improve the quality of recycling, lower our disposal costs and allow savings to be reinvested into vital public services.

To meet Scottish Government recycling targets, we need to improve our recycling from 47.8% in 2017 to 70% by 2025.

Using our recycling bins correctly will create more space in the grey bin and help us meet the target of sending a maximum of 5% of household waste to landfill by 2025.

What's changing?

To improve the quality of recycling collected, we are providing an additional green recycling bin.

The materials you currently recycle in your blue bin will now be split between your blue and green bins.

Your grey bin collection is changing from fortnightly to every three weeks.

Some flatted properties will continue to have their grey bin collected every two weeks but you'll be informed if this affects you.

You will still have at least one bin collected every week.

Different sized bins can be requested.

All changes will be explained in detail at the roadshows, online and in the info pack.

What happens next?

Before your new bin is delivered we will send you an information guide, bin collection calendar and stickers that illustrate which items should go into which bin.

You can start using your new bin straight away.

Roadshows

Date	Time	Location
Mon 3 Sep	4pm-7pm	Howwood Community Centre
Tues 4 Sep	10am-1pm	Bishopton Library
Wed 5 Sep	12:30pm-3:30pm	The Carrick Centre, Houston
Thurs 6 Sep	4pm-8pm	Lagoon Leisure Centre, Paisley
Fri 7 Sep	10am-1pm	Ferguslie Library
Sat 8 Sep	1pm-4pm	Renfrew Leisure Centre
Sun 9 Sep	10am-2pm	Livery Walk Car Park, Bridge of Weir
Mon 10 Sep	4pm-7pm	Elderslie Village Hall
Tues 11 Sep	4pm-7pm	On-X Sports Centre, Linwood
Wed 12 Sep	4pm-8pm	Paisley Town Hall
Thurs 13 Sep	4pm-7pm	Kilbarchan Village Hall
Fri 14 Sep	4pm-8pm	Ralston Community Sports Centre
Sat 15 Sep	1pm-4pm	Piazza Shopping Centre, Paisley
Sun 16 Sep	1pm-4pm	Main Road, Langbank
Mon 17 Sep	4pm-8pm	Johnstone Town Hall
Tues 18 Sep	10am-1pm	Lochwinnoch Library
Wed 19 Sep	4pm-8pm	Renfrew Town Hall
Thurs 20 Sep	4pm-7pm	Erskine Library
Sat 22 Sep	2pm-5pm	Glenburn Library

For the most up-to-date roadshow dates and times visit renfrewshire.gov.uk/mybins.

Want to know more?

For more information visit renfrewshire.gov.uk/mybins, follow Renfrewshire Council's Facebook and Twitter channels, call 0300 300 0300, or come along to one of our roadshows to speak to an advisor about the new service.

If you would like this information in another language or format please contact us.

