

## Your green lid Garden Organics (GO) bin has arrived!

Collection will commence on your regular bin day, alternating with your yellow lid recycling bin from July 2025.

## What CAN I put in my GO bin?

Check the GO Garden Organics section on this flyer for acceptable items.

## What CAN'T I put in my GO bin?

- Food waste and scraps
- Plastic bags (including compostable bags)
- General waste and recycling
- Treated wood and timber
- Pet waste
- Soil
- Rocks
- Large logs, branches and stumps that may make the bin too heavy to service.

## Can I order an additional GO bin?

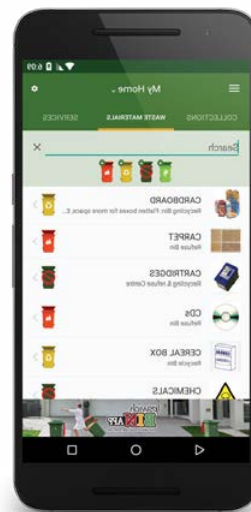
Yes, a second or subsequent GO bin can be ordered from 1 July 2025, charges apply.

## Why has Ipswich moved to a three-bin waste collection service?

- **Reduced landfill:** By separating garden waste, more organic material can be composted rather than ending up in landfill
- **Reduced costs:** Diverting organics effectively reduces costs associated with landfill disposal fees and the Queensland Waste Levy, this helps to keep waste charges lower.
- **Environmental benefits:** Composting organic waste reduces emissions and returns nutrients to the soil through compost and mulch.

## How can I find out when bin day is or what bin is supposed to go out?

The Ipswich Bin App provides a guide to collection schedules including which bin/s to put out which week. It also provides a list of common waste material and which bin they should be disposed into. The app is available on the App Store and Google Play.



**English** – Scan the QR code for information in your language; more languages are available on the website

**Punjabi** – ਆਪਣੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਲਈ QR ਕੋਡ ਸਕੈਨ ਕਰੋ

**Samoan** – Scan le QR code mo faamatalaga i lau gagana

**Vietnamese** – Hãy quét mã QR để xem thông tin bằng ngôn ngữ của quý vị

**Swahili** – Changanua msimbo wa QR ili kupata maelezo katika lugha yako

**Tagalog** – I-scan ang QR code para sa impormasyon sa inyong wika

**Dinka** – Car kon QR ba lëk cë gôt thuonj du kueen



LET'S SORT  
IT OUT!

IPSWICH  
WASTE SERVICES

READY...  
SET...  
**GO** Garden Organics



Visit [Ipswich.qld.gov.au/organics](https://www.ipswich.qld.gov.au/organics)  
or call (07) 3810 6666 for more information.

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Queensland  
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Collected fortnightly  
(alternating with recycling bin)

### GREEN LID BIN

What can go  
in your **GO** bin:



**GRASS CLIPPINGS**



**PRUNINGS, CUTTINGS,  
TRIMMINGS**



**TWIGS AND STICKS**



**PALM FRONDS**



**WEEDS**

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### YELLOW LID BIN

What can go in  
your **recycling** bin:



#### GLASS

Jars or bottles



#### METAL

Aluminium and steel  
(drink and aerosol cans; food tins)



#### PLASTIC

Bottles and containers  
(milk, soft drink and shampoo  
bottles; yoghurt and ice-cream tubs)



#### CARDBOARD

Boxes, including pizza boxes



#### PAPER

Newspaper, magazines,  
junk mail and office paper

**Remember – keep it loose, no plastic bags!**

Collected weekly

### RED LID BIN

What can go in  
your **general  
waste** bin:



**PLASTIC BAGS  
AND WRAPPERS**



**FOOD AND LIQUIDS**



**COFFEE CUPS**



**SOFT PLASTICS**



**CLOTHING AND SHOES**



**POLYSTYRENE**



**NON-RECYCLABLE HARD  
PLASTICS AND TOYS**



**LONG LIFE MILK CARTONS  
AND JUICE TETRA PACKS**



**DRINKING GLASSES AND  
GLASSWARE MATERIALS**

Household hazardous waste including construction waste, chemicals/explosives, batteries (including devices that contain batteries e.g. toys, cordless vacuums and tools) and electronic waste must not be placed in kerbside bins. For information on how to dispose of these items visit [ipswich.qld.gov.au/hazardouswaste](https://ipswich.qld.gov.au/hazardouswaste)

