

## Sharps

Sharps can be taken to chemists in the area for recycling.

## Smoke alarms

Up to two domestic smoke alarms can be disposed of in your red-lidded bin per week. Business will need to contact the EPA Radiation Protection Branch on (08) 8204 2004.

## Paint

Paint tins with the lids squashed and placed inside, can be included in your yellow-lidded recycling bin, providing it is empty and has completely dried out. Small amounts of residual paint can be poured onto kitty litter or spread onto newspaper and placed in the red-lidded general rubbish bin.

Liquids including paint cannot be disposed of through kerbside collection. Starting late July 2019 household chemicals and paint can be dropped off free of charge to a number of 7 day a week facilities across Adelaide, the closest being;

### Adelaide Waste and Recycling Centre

181 Morphett Road, North Plympton  
Phone: 8295 5790

For more locations see

[greenindustries.sa.gov.au/hazwaste](http://greenindustries.sa.gov.au/hazwaste)

## Printer Cartridges

Residents can drop off printer cartridges at the Civic Centre. Alternatively you can use retail drop off points with Cartridges 4 Planet Ark program partners. Visit: <http://recyclingnearyou.com.au/>

## Tyres

For disposal of old car tyres contact: Tyrecycle Pty Ltd  
8 Meyer Road  
Lonsdale SA 5160  
Phone: 1300 489 732  
Visit: [tyrecycle.com.au](http://tyrecycle.com.au)  
Fees apply. Contact Southern Tyre Disposals for further information

## Vegetable and cooking oils

Liquids cannot be placed into your red lidded general rubbish bin, and therefore, vegetable and cooking oils need to be placed in containers and disposed at a transfer station. Very small amounts of used cooking oil can be mixed with organic material in the green organics bin

Adelaide Waste and Recycling Centre  
181 Morphett Road, North Plympton

## X-rays

X-rays can be given to any Red Cross Store, OR posted or taken the recycler: Quantum Technical Services at Unit 1, 52 Wodonga St, Beverley



# What should you do with your tricky waste?

## Alfoil

Aluminium cans are the only aluminum products that can currently be processed for recycling via your yellow lidded kerbside bin collection. Alfoils including pie tins and cooking trays can be bundled up to about the size of a fist and be recycled in the yellow lidded bin.

## Car and truck batteries, non ferrous metals

City of Holdfast Bay Works Depot\*  
16 Seaforth Avenue, Somerton Park

Adelaide Waste & Recycling Centre  
181 Morphett Road, North Plympton  
Phone: 8295 5077

### Southern Region Waste Disposal Depot

Wheaton Road, McLaren Vale  
Phone: 8386 0273

### Daws Road Bottle Co

76 Daws Road, Edwardstown  
Phone: 8277 5588

## Cling wrap & Plastic Bags

Do not put plastic bags and plastic film in your yellow-lidded bin as these items cause problems with conveyor belts at recycling facilities and need to be manually.

Plastic bags can be placed in specially marked bins at major supermarket chains.

All soft plastics, cling wrap, plastic bags (thin and thicker) can be taken to the Brighton Civic Centre foyer from approximately October 2014, or most supermarkets.

## Clothing

For good quality clothing please consider charity shops such as Vinnies, Salvos, RSPCA and Diabetes SA.

Ruined clothing to be recycled as rags, please take to an RSPCA charity shop. It would help mentioning when delivering the items that it is for recycling as the shops are staffed by volunteers, that way they will put the items in the correct recycling bag.

### RSPCA Thrift shop

455 Brighton Road, Brighton  
Phone: 8377 0773

### RSPCA Thrift shop Shop 3, 352

Morphett Road, Warradale  
Phone: 8296 6700

\* Denotes Council service

You can give away or sell unwanted items at no cost which are still useful at:

Freally: [www.freally.com](http://www.freally.com)

FreeCycle: [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/freecycle\\_adelaide/](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/freecycle_adelaide/)

Gumtree: <http://adelaide.gumtree.com.au/>

Ziilch: <http://au.ziilch.com>

## Electrical and electronic waste (see Hard Waste)

Collection of e-waste is free with your Council\* hard waste collection. Alternatively, Electronic Recycling Australia (ERA) have a number of "Unplug n' Drop" locations across Adelaide where e-waste can be dropped off for free. To find your nearest location visit [electronicrecyclingaustralia.com.au](http://electronicrecyclingaustralia.com.au)

or call 08 8374 2276

## Fluorescent globes and energy saving bulbs

You can drop off your end-of-life globes including fluorescent tubes, incandescent and halogen bulbs at Mitre 10 stores.

This ensures that globes will be recycled instead of going to landfill and prevents mercury contained in some globes from harming the environment.

To find your local Mitre 10 store visit [mitre10.com.au](http://mitre10.com.au).

The City of Marion also provides a drop off service for old fluorescent globes. Take your globes to City Services at 935 Marion Rd Mitchell Park. Holdfast Bay residents can bring up to six domestic globes at any one visit for recycling.

## Gas bottles

To dispose of out of date gas bottles residents can take the bottle to any "Swap and Go" location or to:

**Adelaide Waste and Recycling**  
181 Morphett Road,  
North Plympton SA 5037  
Phone: 8295 5077

## Hard Waste Collections

Council\* offers an on-call hard waste collection service to residents for large household items that cannot be disposed of in the domestic kerbside bins. Each household is allocated one FREE pick-up per financial year. This service now includes e-waste and mattresses.

To book a collection, call Council's Waste hotline on 8295 5077

## Hazardous Waste

Pool chemicals, garden and other household chemicals are dangerous to the environment and should not be put in your bin. Starting late July 2019 household chemicals and paint can be dropped off free of charge to a number of 7 day a week facilities across Adelaide, the closest being;

**Adelaide Waste and Recycling Centre**  
181 Morphett Road, North Plympton  
Phone: 8295 5790

For more locations see [greenindustries.sa.gov.au/hazwaste](http://greenindustries.sa.gov.au/hazwaste)

## Household batteries

Batteries can be dropped off at Brighton Civic Centre on Jetty Road at Brighton, or Battery World Marion

173 Sturt Road, Seacombe Gardens  
Phone: 8296 6900

## Mattresses (see Hard Waste)

Collection is free through your Council\* Hard Waste Collection or you can call Sofa Cycle which runs a pick-up service. Phone: 0405 089 937

## Mobile phones

MobileMuster is an Australia-wide mobile phone recycling program. The City of Holdfast Bay is a participant in this program. Mobile phones can be dropped off in the mobile phone bin within Brighton Civic Centre foyer. Other drop off points can be found at [www.mobilemuster.com.au](http://www.mobilemuster.com.au) or call 1300 730 070.

## Motor oil

Disposing of used oil the wrong way can pollute land, water and infrastructure, so we need to recover and recycle as much of it as possible. It takes **only one litre of oil to contaminate one million litres of water** and an automotive oil change produces 4-5 litres of used oil.

## Southern Region Waste Disposal

Small low volume users of motor oil such as households, small businesses and hobby groups can recycle oil at any of the following locations free of charge:

**Depot**  
Wheaton Road, McLaren Vale  
Ph: 8386 0273  
Disposal of the container may attract a fee.

**Adelaide Waste and Recycling Centre**  
181 Morphett Road, North Plympton  
Phone: 8295 5790

Disposal of the container may attract a fee.

The following centre charges 30 cents per litre to dispose of oil:

**Southern Waste Management**  
(Lonsdale Waste & Recycling Depot)  
10 Donegal Road, Lonsdale  
Phone: 8326 5033

There is no further charge for the disposal of the container.

**Check the Coast Weekly Messenger or Holdfast Bay website for any special Hazardous Waste or E-Waste Collection Days.**

Fees may apply for disposal of goods at some centres.  
Please call listed numbers for associated costs.  
For further information or assistance call Council on 8229 9999