For every tonne of waste reduced or extra tonne of waste recycled, we will contribute £15 to a grant scheme which community groups and charities can bid for.

What can go in the recycling bin?

Glass recycling bin

Mixed glass (all colours)

If glass is mixed in with paper, paper mills can refuse to recycle it as glass shards damage their equipment. Glass not separated is also not recycled.

To make sure we recycle all your paper and glass, please only put glass in the glass bin.

Mixed recycling communal bin

Cardboard

Food tins, aerosols & drink cans

Plastic bottles

Paper

Please don't put any plastic which isn't a plastic bottle into the mixed recycling communal bins.

We only collect plastic bottles as we can guarantee they will be recycled. Other plastics such as yoghurt pots, food trays and margarine tubs are made with lower quality plastic, and there is less demand for them by plastic recyclers so we can't guarantee they will be recycled.

Special recycling points

Small electrical items

Cartons

Clothes, textiles & shoes

Look out for our special recycling points across the city, where you can recycle even more! You can recycle everyday electrical appliances, juice cartons, old clothes, and toys.

Find out where your nearest special recycling point is and what you can take there by visiting www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/recyclingpoints

Community composting points

Fruit and vegetable peelings, card & tea bags

Working with the Brighton & Hove Food Partnership, we've helped communities set up composting sites for residents to compost their fruit and vegetable peelings, cardboard and tea bags. Check www.bhfood.org.uk/community-composting to see if you can join a local scheme.

Even more reason to reduce waste and recycle more!

You can help raise cash for local community groups and charities by producing less rubbish and recycling more of it.

To see how much has been raised or to find out who can bid for the community rewards please visit our webpage below.

By using the new communal recycling bins, recyclers can also be in with a chance to get hold of voucher booklets packed with special offers for local shops, attractions and restaurants.

We'll be surprising recyclers with the rewards at the bins, at your homes and in the street…

www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/recycling-rewards

Translation? Tick this box and take to any council office.

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অনুবাদ? বক্সে টিক চিহ্ন দিয়ে কাউন্সিল অফিসে নিয়ে যান।	Bengali ❑
需要翻译？请在这方格内加剔，並送回任何市议會的辦事處。	Cantonese ❑
ترجمه؟ لطفا این مربع را علامتگذاری نموده و آن را به هر یک از دفاتر شهرداری ارائه نمائید.	Farsi ❑
Traduction? Veuillez cocher la case et apporter au council.	French ❑
需要翻译？请在这方格内划勾，并送回任何市议会的办事处。	Mandarin ❑
Tłumaczenie? Zaznacz to okienko i zwróć do któregokolwiek biura samorządu lokalnego (council office).	Polish ❑
Tradução? Coloque um visto na quadrícula e leve a uma qualquer repartição de poder local (council office).	Portuguese ❑
Tercümesi için kareyi işaretleyiniz ve bir semt belediye burosuna veriniz	Turkish ❑
	other (please state) ❑

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Your new communal recycling service

Information about where the bins are and how to use them.

We've also got the latest news about our new recycling rewards scheme

Consultation results

In June we wrote to you letting you know that 80% of respondents to our consultation said yes to using new communal recycling bins, and 65% agreed with the locations.

We've gone through your comments and have made some changes based on your feedback.

What happens next?

We will install all the recycling bins by **4 July.**
Some of the bins may be installed before this date.

You can use them immediately and can take your recycling to the bins whenever it is convenient for you. Your last recycling box collection will be in the week beginning the **7 July.**

If you would like to keep your old recycling boxes for storing your recycling please do. If you do not want to keep them, please leave out the empty box after your last collection. We will collect the boxes and reuse them in other parts of the city.

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Where will the bins go?

The map shows where the recycling bins will go. Where possible, we have tried to ensure that:

- the new bins are next to the existing communal refuse bins so they avoid taking up parking spaces
- they are away from windows on residential properties
- there is sufficient access for pedestrians and collection vehicles

We have also made sure that they do not cause safety and other transport issues.

Have there been any changes to the original map?

Yes. We have been through all your comments, and changed some of the bin locations based on your good ideas. Thank you for your help.

We have also reduced the number of parking spaces that will be lost.

Further information

For more information about the communal recycling service please visit:
www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/communalrecycling
www.facebook.com/recyclingandrefuse
www.twitter.com/recyclingrefuse
email: communalrecycling@brighton-hove.gov.uk
or telephone: 01273 292929

You can also visit your local customer service centre in Bartholomew Square Brighton, Hove Town Hall or Victoria Road Portslade.

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Frequently asked questions

Will my black recycling boxes be taken away?

If you do not want to keep your old recycling boxes please leave out the empty box after your last collection for reuse elsewhere in the city,

How often will the recycling bins be emptied?

This will depend on how full they get, but is likely to be at least three times a week.

I currently receive help with my recycling collection, will this change?

No, if you have an assisted collection now, this will continue. If you are unable to use the new service, please call us on 01273 292929 or email cityclean@brighton-hove.gov.uk to arrange an assisted collection.

How many properties are included in the area?

Approximately 32,000.

I don't currently have a recycling collection at all, can I use the new recycling bins?

Yes, please use the bins as soon as you see them.

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Key

- Existing communal refuse bin
- New mixed recycling bin
- New glass recycling bin
- Existing recycling point

Please note: This map is for illustration purposes only and the communal bins are not drawn to scale.

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