

## Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands 2023/2024 SCHEDULE OF FEES & CHARGES

### WASTE MANAGEMENT FEES

All fees and charges imposed by the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands are effective 1 July 2023.

#### Transfer Station - OPENING HOURS

<b>Home Island</b>	
Tuesday	11am to 12pm
Friday	10:30am to 11:30am
Sunday	3pm to 4pm
<b>West Island</b>	
Monday and Thursday	11am to 12pm

#### Shire Office - OPENING HOURS

Home Island			West Island
Monday to Thursday	7am to 4pm		Monday
Friday	7am to 12pm		Wednesday
			Friday
			TBA
			8am to 2.30pm
			TBA

#### Phone 9162 6649

**Gate Fees must be paid in advance and receipt taken to the Transfer Station for acceptance of Waste**  
Payment can be made in person at the Shire Office or over the Phone (receipt will be emailed)

BIN COLLECTION SERVICE - Fees & Charges	Explanatory Comment	Cost Methodology	Private Residential Waste	Private Commercial Waste	Cost Methodology	Public Agency Waste
<b>Charged on Annual Rates Notice</b>						
General Petruscible Waste	per Bin	Subsidised Price	580.00	2,962.00	Cost Recovery	4,938.00
General Petruscible Waste - Pensioner Discounted (Single) * Conditions apply - Dependant on Household income	per Bin	Subsidised Price	380.00	N/A		N/A
General Petruscible Waste - Pensioner Discounted (Couple) * Conditions apply - Dependant on Household income	per Bin	Subsidised Price	392.00	N/A		N/A
General Recycling Waste - (Glass & Cans only)	per Bin	Subsidised Price	NIL	NIL	Subsidised Price	NIL
Additional or Replacement Bin (Bin supply only, collection fees apply per above)	per Bin	Full Cost Recovery	70.00	70.00	Cost Recovery	70.00

\* additional bin fee also applies for replacement bin where vandalism or intentional damage caused.

Above rates include 1x pre-cyclone verge pickup of non-petrusible waste per year (m3 limits and exclusions apply).

Small Business Grants to become available to subsidise businesses that directly service the Cocos Community (Conditions will apply)

TRANSFER STATION - Gate Fees & Charges	Explanatory Comment	Cost Methodology	Private Residential / Not for Profit Waste	Cost Methodology	Commercial & Public Agency
<b>General Waste</b>					
General Waste (Petrusible Waste)	per Bin minimum charge	Subsidised Price	NIL	Cost Recovery	29.00
General Recycling Waste - (Glass & Cans only)		Subsidised Price	NIL	Subsidised Price	NIL
Greenwaste		Subsidised Price	NIL	Subsidised Price	NIL
E-Waste	per unit	Subsidised Price	7.00	Cost Recovery	71.00
Scrap Metal	per m3	Subsidised Price	65.00	Cost Recovery	791.00
Construction & Demolition Waste	per m3	Subsidised Price	132.00	Cost Recovery	1,600.00
The Shire is not currently accepting any asbestos containing materials. All asbestos containing materials must be appropriately shipped off island at owners expense.		Subsidised Price	16.00		
<b>Whitegoods</b>					
Fridge / Freezer (bar fridge = 1/2 unit)	per unit	Subsidised Price	16.00	Cost Recovery	874.00
Air Conditioner	per unit	Subsidised Price	16.00	Cost Recovery	386.00
Washing Machine / Dryer	per unit	Subsidised Price	22.00	Cost Recovery	386.00
Oven	per unit	Subsidised Price	74.00	Cost Recovery	386.00
Dishwasher	per unit			Cost Recovery	386.00
Solar Panel	per unit			Cost Recovery	87.00
Solar Tank	per unit			Cost Recovery	297.00
<b>Vehicles / Motorcycles</b>					
To be accepted all glass, tyres, batteries must be removed and oil drained.		Subsidised Price	235.00		
2 wheeled motorbike	per unit	Subsidised Price	482.00		
Quadbikes / Buggies / Vessels <1 tonne	per unit	Subsidised Price	940.00		
Vehicles/Vessels >1tonne, < 2 tonne	per unit	Subsidised Price	1,866.00	Cost Recovery	693.00
Vehicles/Vessels > 2 tonne, < 5 tonne	per unit	Subsidised Price	3,371.00	Cost Recovery	4,354.00
Vehicles/Vessels > 5 tonne	per unit			Cost Recovery	4,976.00
* includes trailers		Subsidised Price	6.00	Cost Recovery	12,439.00
<b>Tyres</b>		Subsidised Price	84.00	Cost Recovery	18,659.00
Passenger car tyres & car/boat trailer tyres	per unit	Subsidised Price	127.00		
Truck tyre	per unit	Subsidised Price	225.00	Cost Recovery	70.00
Truck tyre - large	per unit			Cost Recovery	415.00
Tractor / plant tyre	per unit	Subsidised Price	1.00	Cost Recovery	625.00
<b>Other</b>		Subsidised Price	5.00	Cost Recovery	1,111.00
Engine oil	per litre			Cost Recovery	3.00
Battery	per unit			Cost Recovery	54.00

#### Illegal Dumping

The illegal dumping of Waste is an offence under the *Environmental Protection Act 1986 (WA) (EPA)*.  
Upon conviction, the offence carries a maximum penalty of \$125,000 for a company and \$62,500 for an individual.

Anyone who witnesses or has information regarding illegal dumping may call the Pollution Watch Hotline on 1300 784 782 or email [pollutionwatch@dwer.wa.gov.au](mailto:pollutionwatch@dwer.wa.gov.au)

#### Public Waste Collection Sheds/Bins/Containers Permit and Clean up of Council Reserves, Streets or Public Places from Associated Littering or Illegal Dumping.

Unauthorised use of reserves, streets and street verges. Clean up fee for any residual matter, waste or unwanted materials including soils, tyres, oils, solid or liquid chemicals, household hazardous waste, asbestos, any light globe, chemicals of any nature, sand, vegetative materials, plastics, metals, furniture, bedding, clothing, household products, white goods, electronic products, cardboard, newspaper and magazines and any other product whatsoever left on any reserves, streets including verges, or other public places without approval of Council shall be charged a fee for the full cost of a clean up including treatment and any disposal costs. Does not preclude any other charges/penalties that may apply in accordance with other legislation.

Where a culprit can be identified, Private Works fees and charges will apply for the collection and processing of illegally dumped waste as well as the applicable Transfer Station Gate Fee.

The Private works Fee will be based on staff and employees time and equipment to clean the site and treat and dispose of the matter as required.

A minimum fee of 2 hours will apply.

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DEFINITIONS

Private Residential

Predominant use of property is for long term accommodation including privately owned houses and long-term rentals to private residents.

Private Commercial

Privately owned commercial business properties, includes short-term/holiday accommodation.

Public Agency

Includes properties owned by or used by a Commonwealth or other Public Agency. This covers both residential and commercial properties

Putrescible waste

General solid waste that contains organic matter capable of being decomposed