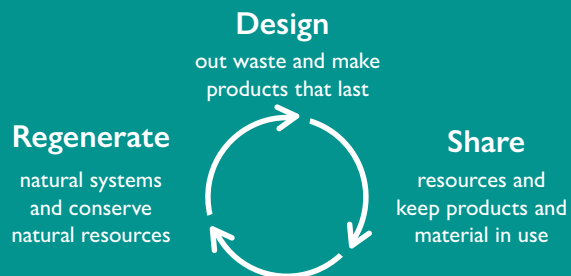


## Creating a circular Glen Eira

Many countries are moving towards a circular economy, where waste is avoided from the start through better design.

Resources are kept in use for as long as possible.

### Circular economy



## We're all part of the solution

Our individual actions add up to make a big difference.

It's always best to avoid waste, reuse what we can and then recycle or dispose correctly.



For further information, visit [www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/low-waste](http://www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/low-waste)

## Hard rubbish, bulk cardboard and bundled branch collections

Every year, residential households can book:

- three hard rubbish collections
- three bundled branch collections
- three bulk cardboard collections



Please check your items for collection meet our guidelines before booking.

[www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/booked-collection](http://www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/booked-collection)

## E-waste recycling stations

Recycling is available at Glen Eira Libraries and Moorleigh Community Village in Bentleigh East for:

- phones, cords, cameras
- x-rays
- household batteries
- CDs, videos, cassettes
- light globes



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## Other waste disposal options

### Recycling and waste transfer stations

- Recycling and waste transfer stations accept a range of materials for recycling and disposal. Always check current guidelines and fees before visiting.

### Household chemicals

- *Detox Your Home* events are held around Victoria to safely dispose of household chemicals.

### Sharps and syringes

- Our free needle and syringe container program allows residents to dispose of containers of sharps at our Service Centre.

# Making the most of our resources

Your quick guide to recycling  
and waste services in  
Glen Eira.

[www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/waste](http://www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/waste)



Use a magnet to keep me on the fridge

# GREEN BIN

## FOOD AND GARDEN WASTE



Kitchen caddies are available to collect from the Service Centre at Glen Eira Town Hall.



✓ All food waste



✓ Meat and seafood scraps including bones and shells



✓ Paper towel, tissues and newspaper



✓ Food waste wrapped in newspaper



✓ Garden waste



✓ Dairy leftovers and egg shells

### No thanks

- ✗ Plastic bags
- ✗ Compostable or biodegradable bags
- ✗ Compostable packaging
- ✗ Coffee pods
- ✗ Coffee cups



You can wrap food waste in newspaper, paper towel or small paper bags



# YELLOW BIN

## RECYCLING



- ✗ No plastic bags
- ✗ Do not bag recycling



✓ Cardboard, paper, newspaper and envelopes



✓ Plastic bottles



✓ Aluminium and tin cans



✓ Plastic containers (clean and empty)



✓ Cartons (not long-life)



✓ Glass bottles, jars and metal lids (empty and lids separated)

### No thanks

- ✗ Plastic bags
- ✗ Soft plastics and wrappers
- ✗ Food
- ✗ Clothes and fabric
- ✗ Drinking glasses
- ✗ Ceramics and crockery
- ✗ Pots and pans
- ✗ Aerosol cans
- ✗ Coffee cups and lids
- ✗ Disposable plates and cutlery
- ✗ Polystyrene and foam
- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Toys
- ✗ Light globes

### Tips for recycling

Put recycling into the bin loosely so items are separate



✗ No food or liquids in recycling

Empty bottles and containers before putting in recycling



# RED BIN

## GENERAL WASTE



- ✗ No appliances or electronics
- ✓ Recycle at a transfer station, drop-off point or in hard rubbish



✓ Foam and polystyrene packaging



✓ Plastic bags, wrappers and soft plastics



✓ Nappies and pet waste (wrapped)



✓ All takeaway coffee cups and lids



✓ Disposable cutlery and plates (any material)



✓ Ceramics, crockery and glassware

### Items not accepted



✗ No electronics or batteries



✗ No chemicals or hazardous waste

### Yes please

- ✓ Compostable packaging
- ✓ Kitty litter
- ✓ Pet waste
- ✓ Empty aerosol cans
- ✓ Long-life cartons
- ✓ Broken ceramics, mugs and drinking glasses
- ✓ Clothes and fabric\*
- ✓ Coffee pods\*
- ✓ Pots and pans\*



\*Check for recycling, reuse or donation options

Can't see what you're looking for? Search for an item in our A-Z Recycling Guide at [www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/recycling-az](http://www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/recycling-az)