



Things to know when visiting Waste Management Facilities

Rockhampton Regional Waste and Recycling (RRWR) is committed to the provision of cost effective, innovative and environmentally responsible waste management practices. RRWR manages a range of waste management facilities and kerbside bin collection services throughout the Rockhampton Region.

What do you need to know when visiting a waste management facility?

Please note the conditions of entry when visiting any waste management facility:

- No smoking
- Children and pets are not permitted to leave vehicles
- Enclosed footwear must be worn
- Follow instructions given by staff - please note that abuse to staff will not be tolerated
- Adhere to site signage - please ask a staff member if you are unsure of direction

How can you dispose of Asbestos?

All customers wishing to dispose of Asbestos Containing Material (ACM) must adhere to strict guidelines to protect the health and safety of themselves, the public and onsite staff. Asbestos is only accepted at the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility and requires a booking with 48 hours notice.

Please note the disposal of asbestos can require a Waste Transport Certificate to be presented onsite. For more information or to make a booking please phone Customer Service on (07) 4932 9000 or 1300 22 55 77.

For further information on how to dispose of asbestos safely please visit the Qld Health website:
<https://www.health.qld.gov.au/public-health/industry-environment/environment-land-water/asbestos>.

Looking for quality second hand goods?

Quality second hand and repurposed items at bargain prices are located at the Trendy Trash store at the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility. The Trendy Trash store is open from 8am to 4pm on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

Want mulched green waste for your garden?

Mulched green waste is available free of charge to residents to improve the quality of their gardens. Free mulched green waste is limited to a large trailer load or up to five tonnes per project. Please note the mulch must be self loaded and is subject to stock levels and availability.

Mulched green waste may be collected at the following waste management facilities:

- Bouldercombe Waste Transfer Station
- Gracemere Waste Transfer Station
- Mount Morgan Waste Transfer Station
- Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility

Top tips to reduce your waste disposal costs

Everybody can reduce the amount of waste they create and dispose of in landfill by making use of the free recycling drop off areas at waste management facilities.

What you can drop off option varies at each of the waste facilities, so if you are unsure ask a friendly staff member onsite or visit our website: www.rockhamptonregionalwaste.com.au.

Below are some top tips to reduce your disposal costs.

Tip 1 – Use the FREE Recycling Drop off area

Check with staff before dropping off the following items for free:

- Commingled recyclables (glass bottles, cans, plastic containers, paper)
- Bulk cardboard
- Paint (architectural paint, undercoats, deck coatings, stains, varnishes)
- Domestic cooking or motor oils (20L quantity or less)
- Fire extinguishers (water, CO₂ and powder only)
- Flares and EPIRBs
- Gas bottles and cylinders
- Vehicle batteries
- E-waste: Desktop and laptop computers, monitors, keyboards, cables, drives, printers, scanners and televisions
- drumMUSTER approved clean Ag and Vet chemical containers

Tip 2 - Drop off pre-loved household items

If it is in reusable condition, make sure it gets a second chance!

To drop off for free your pre-loved household items or to buy a bargain, visit the Trendy Trash store in Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility or Gracemere and Mount Morgan Waste Transfer Stations. Items can include; clothing, sports equipment, kitchenware, furniture, tools, building supplies, gardening or boating supplies, refurbished computers and lawn mowers. Acceptance is at the discretion of onsitestaff.

Tip 3 - Use the FREE scrap metal area

Ask staff onsite where to drop off scrap metal items for free.

Light metals or white goods can include; fridges, air conditioners, stoves, freezers, microwaves, fence panels, roller doors, metal off cuts and car parts.

Tip 4 - Clean green waste loads are FREE

Clean loads of green waste (hedge trimmings, branches, palm fronds, tree trunks and stumps, leaf litter, lawn clippings) are free to dispose. Green waste is accepted at all waste management facilities including; Lakes Creek Road, Alton Downs, Bajool, Bouldercombe, Gracemere and Mount Morgan.

Council conducts inspections of all incoming green waste loads.

Customers identified as attempting to dispose general waste including timber with a green waste load may be charged at a general waste rate for the entire load with possible exclusion from the waste facility for an extended period.



Waste Management Facility Fees and Charges 2019/2020

GENERAL WASTE - SPECIFIED VEHICLES	DOMESTIC	COMMERCIAL
Minimum charge per delivery at all sites	\$5.00	\$11.00
240L wheelie bin, Car boot - sedan, SUV or station wagon (seat up)	\$11.00	\$233.00 per tonne
Trailer (6'x4')/ ute/ van/ SUV or station wagon (seat down)	\$20.00	\$233.00 per tonne
Trailer (6'x4') or ute using load enhancer or larger trailer	\$23.00	\$233.00 per tonne
Truck	\$92.50	\$233.00 per tonne
Truck volume (domestic) and commercial fee if weighbridge is not available	\$70.00 per m ³	POA
Special Burials	\$282.00 per tonne	\$364.00 per tonne

If the weighbridge is not available the commercial fee will be charged by waste stream as per the deemed weights listed in the Regulation. Disposal is limited to the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility for all special burials and commercial waste.

INERT WASTE	
Clean soil (free of contaminants such as concrete, timber, green waste, bitumen)	No charge
Inert waste (soil, concrete, bricks, asphalt, reinforcing steel mix) separate or mixed	\$99.00 per tonne
Construction Demolition	\$233.00 per tonne

If the weighbridge is not available the inert waste fee will be charged by the waste stream as per the deemed weights listed in the Regulation. Disposal is limited to the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility.

APPROVED NOXIOUS OR HAZARDOUS WASTE	
Asbestos or other approved hazardous waste	\$282.00 per tonne
Regulated Waste (Category 2)	\$397.00 per tonne
Regulated Waste (Category 1)	\$452.00 per tonne
Contaminated Soil (Used for cover or operational use)	\$150.50 per tonne
Hazardous or Acid Sulphate Soil (Buried in landfill)	\$364.00 per tonne

If the weighbridge is not available regulated waste will not be accepted. Disposal is limited to the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility.

Please visit our website for information on prohibited wastes: www.rockhamptonregionalwaste.com.au

TYRES	
Car or motorcycle tyre	\$8.50 per unit
Car or motorcycle tyre on rim	\$16.50 per unit
Truck, 4WD, bobcat or skidsteer tyre	\$28.00 per unit
Small tractor tyre	\$102.00 per unit
Large tractor tyre	\$204.00 per unit
Other tyres e.g. loader tyres, specialist tyres	POA

Disposal is limited to Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility or Gracemere Waste Transfer Station.

MATTRESSES	
Single mattress or ensemble base	\$6.00 per unit
Double, queen, king mattress or ensemble base	\$11.00 per unit

All items below can be dropped off at the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility.

Drop off options vary at each Waste Management Facility, so if you are unsure ask a friendly staff member onsite or visit our website: www.rockhamptonregionalwaste.com.au.

RECYCLABLES ITEMS AND LIGHT METALS	
Paper, cardboard, glass bottles and jars, aluminium and steel cans, milk and juice cartons, plastic containers (with recycling symbol numbers 1 - 7)	No Charge
Light metals (including fridges, air conditioners, fence panels, roller doors or metal off cuts)	No Charge

GREEN WASTE	
Green waste only	No charge
MULCHED GREEN WASTE (SELF LOAD)	
Up to 5.0t/10m ³ per project	No charge
Greater than 5.0t/m ³ per project	POA

REUSABLE ITEMS AND SPECIALITY PROGRAMS	
Pre-loved household items <i>Drop off is limited to the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility with the acceptance of items at the discretion of Trendy Trash staff.</i>	No Charge
E-waste <i>Drop off is limited to the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility and Gracemere Waste Transfer Station.</i>	No Charge
Paint >1L or <20L containers and <100L per drop off <i>Paint acceptance is restricted to architectural and decorative (oil and water based) paint at the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility.</i>	No charge



Eftpos facilities are available at the Lakes Creek Road Waste Management Facility and Gracemere Waste Transfer Station. All other Waste Transfer Stations accept cash only payments. All fees and charges are inclusive of GST.

The Waste Management Facility Fees and Charges 2019 /2020 are valid from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020, unless otherwise notified by Council. Adopted fees and charges are available on Council's website.

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