

Resource Recovery Centres



Within the Murrindindi Shire Council, residents and non-residents can utilise the services provided by 5 Resource Recovery Centres (Transfer Stations). For those residents who aren't located within an area serviced by our kerbside garbage/recycling collection, Resource Recovery Centres (RRCs) are the primary solution for waste disposal. The Shire operates RRCs in:

- Alexandra – Mt Pleasant Rd, Alexandra
- Yea – Ghin Ghin Rd, Ghin Ghin
- Kinglake – Watsons Rd, Kinglake West
- Eildon – Jersusalem Creek Rd, Eildon
- Marysville – Sunds Mill Crt, Marysville

The Shire also operates a landfill in Alexandra, which is where residual waste from the resource recovery centres is disposed. Commercial waste can also be taken directly to the landfill.

Resource Recovery Centre opening hours


	Alexandra	Yea	Kinglake	Eildon	Marysville
Monday	10am – noon				1pm – 3pm
Tuesday		10am – 4 pm		10am – 1pm	
Wednesday	1pm – 4pm		10am – 4pm		10am – noon
Thursday				Noon – 3pm	
Friday	10am – noon				1pm – 3pm
Saturday	10am – 4pm	9am – 4pm	9am – 4pm	9am – 4pm	9am – 4pm
Sunday	10am – 4pm	9am – 3pm	10am – 3 pm	10am – 4pm	10am – 4pm

*Resource Recovery Centres are close on Good Friday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Years Day and during the fire season are closed on days declared Code Red

Waste disposal locations and charges

Material	Item	Alexandra	Yea	Kinglake	Eildon	Marysville	Fee
General Waste	Commercial waste*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$100/m ³
	Municipal/residential waste**	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$40/m ³
Green Waste	Prunings, leaves, bark, branches – domestic shire residents	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	FREE
	Prunings, leaves, bark, branches – all businesses, domestic non-shire	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$14/m ³
	Re-usable mulched green waste***	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	FREE (if available)

Recyclable

Commercial Commingled recyclables	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$7/m ³
Residential Commingled (mixed) recyclables	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	FREE
Scrap Metal	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	FREE
Fridges and freezers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$10 each
Car Batteries	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	FREE
Electronic waste (TV's computers, appliances etc)	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	FREE
Motorcycle Tyre****	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$4 each
Car Tyres****	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$9 each
4WD / Light Truck Tyres****	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$12 each
Truck Tyre****	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$27 each
Large Truck Tyre / Super Single****	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$27 each
Tractor Tyre <1m, >1m	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$80/115 each
Earthmover Tyre	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$165 each
Mattresses / couches (all sizes)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	\$25 each
Waste motor oil	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	10¢/L & \$1/container
Gas Bottle S/M/L (must be empty)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$6/\$8/\$13 each
Fluorescent Light Tubes	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	FREE
Clean Plastic chemical containers < 20L	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	\$6/unit
Clean Plastic chemical containers > 20L	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	\$8/unit
 drumMUSTER <small>rise them out, round them up and run them in.</small>	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗	FREE

- * A maximum of 1m³ of commercial waste will be accepted at RRCs. All loads exceeding 1m³ will be directed to dispose directly into landfill.
- ** A maximum of 3m³ of municipal/residential waste will be accepted. All loads exceeding this limit will be directed to dispose directly into landfill.
- *** All green waste disposed at Council's RRCs is processed into a coarse grade mulch that can be collected from the RRC free of charge by any ratepayers or local businesses (on availability). Council does not warrant the quality of the mulch - it is an uncomposted woody mulch and may contain live weeds, weed seeds and litter.
- **** Tyres on rims and dirty tyres not accepted

Unacceptable wastes at Murrindindi's RRCs:

- Loads of unrecyclable material exceeding 3m³
- Asbestos
- Chemicals and solvents (see fact sheet on Detox your Home for chemical disposal options)
- Prescribed waste
- Hazardous or contaminated waste (including medical waste and syringes)
- Dirty chemical containers – all containers must be triple rinsed and will be checked for residue.
- Any liquid waste except motor oil

Where can I dispose of unacceptable wastes?

Asbestos:

For more information on asbestos disposal, and a full list of certified licensed asbestos removalists can be found on our website at:

http://www.murrindindi.vic.gov.au/Your_Property/Garbage_and_Recycling/Asbestos

Syringes:

Council offers a free disposal service for used hypodermic needles and syringes. Contact a council office to obtain a sharp safe container. Once the container has been filled, it can be returned and swapped for another. This service is not available to commercial operators.

For further information contact council's environmental health department on (03) 5772 0377.



What can I do to make my waste drop off as easy and efficient as possible?

Sorting your load out when loading your trailer can help you to save time when you reach your local RRC, but it can also **save you money**. As quite a number of recyclable items can be dropped off free of charge, if these items are sorted into separate piles in your load, they are easily identifiable and measurable by our RRC operators.

Materials should be sorted according to the "Materials" Column in the table above. Where recyclables are concerned, it is best if these can be sorted into piles of each individual item where possible, as this will make it easier for you to drop the items off in separate areas of the RRCs.

For more information:

<http://www.sustainability.vic.gov.au/detox-your-home>

www.drummuster.com.au

<http://www.getitrightbinnight.vic.gov.au/>

Or call Murrindindi Shire Council on **5772 0333**