

recycling & garbage guide

Kitsap County

Kitsap County Public Works

The Kitsap County Public Works Solid Waste Division is responsible for solid and hazardous waste management throughout Kitsap County. The Division oversees the contractor operations at the Olympic View Transfer Station and recycling and garbage facilities in Olalla and Silverdale. The Division also operates the Hansville Recycling and Garbage Facility, the Poulsbo Recycle Center, and the Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Facility.

The Division works with the local Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) to develop programs and policies concerning solid waste handling and disposal. The public is welcome at all SWAC meetings. Call 360-337-5777 for meeting information.



Don't see the information you want?

Try one of these easy ways to get more information:

Send Us An E-mail

solidwaste@co.kitsap.wa.us

You can expect a prompt answer Monday-Friday when you e-mail us.



Kitsap 1 Customer Support Program

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
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curbside services

Recycling and Garbage

Designated companies provide residential and commercial recycling and garbage collection. Different trash can sizes and frequency of collection are available in all areas. To start, stop, or change service, contact the company for your area. Please have your garbage, recycling, and yard waste at the curb by 6:30 a.m. on your pickup day.

Place containers:

- Two feet apart
- With lids opening toward the street
- At least three feet from cars, trees, and mailboxes
- With wheels as close to the curb as possible.

Haulers

City of Bremerton
Waste Management, Inc.
www.wmnorthwest.com
800-592-9995



City of Port Orchard
Waste Management, Inc.
www.wmnorthwest.com
800-592-9995



City of Poulsbo
Garbage – City of Poulsbo
Public Works
www.cityofpoulsbo.com
360-779-4078
Recycling and Yard Waste –
Bainbridge Disposal
www.bainbridgedisposal.com
800-531-1918



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Unincorporated Areas of Kitsap County
Unincorporated Kitsap County includes the following communities:
Hansville
Kingston
Manchester
Olalla
Silverdale
Suquamish



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www.wmnorthwest.com
800-592-9995

Holidays

Waste Management and Bainbridge Disposal do not operate on New Year's Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. Bainbridge Disposal also does not operate on the Fourth of July. When a normal pickup day falls on or after any of these holidays, pickup will occur one day later, with Friday's collected on Saturday. For City of Poulsbo, normal daily schedules apply on all holidays. All other holidays are regular workdays. For City of Poulsbo residents receive pickup service daily year-round.

Inclement Weather

If road conditions make it unsafe to operate collection vehicles, Waste Management will pick up recycling and garbage **on your next regularly scheduled collection day**, and twice as much will be collected at no charge. Remember that recycling is picked up every other week, so your next regular day will be in two weeks. For Bainbridge Disposal and City of Poulsbo, please call for information.

Yard & Vegetative Waste Collection

Curbside yard waste collection is an optional service available to Kitsap County residents in burn ban areas. Contact your recycling service company for cost and collection information. To see if you live in the burn ban area, visit www.kitsapgov.com/dcd/gis/maps/BurnBan/index.html.

Recycling Exemption Program

Low-income senior and low-income and disabled residents of unincorporated Kitsap County may qualify for the recycling exemption program. Qualifying citizens neither receive nor are billed for curbside recycling service. Contact Kitsap 1 at **360-337-5777** for additional information about this program.

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recycling and garbage facilities

Recycling and Garbage Facilities Grid

Facility	Glass	Aluminum/Tin Cans	Plastic Bottles, Dairy Tub	Corrugated Cardboard	Mixed Paper	Newspaper	Yard Waste (fee)	Scrap Metal	Appliances (fee)	Household Batteries	Car Batteries	Antifreeze*	Used Motor Oil*	Garbage	Sharps	TVs/Computer Monitors	Fluorescent Tubes*	Fluorescent Bulbs*
Hansville Recycling & Garbage Facility 7791 NE Ecology Rd. 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Closed Tuesday, 360-638-2710	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
Poulsbo Recycle Center (Recycle only) 21868 Viking Wy. NW 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Closed Sun-Mon, 360-779-1044	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X
Bainbridge Island Recycling & Garbage Facility 7215 Don Palmer Ave. NE 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Closed Mon-Tue, 206-842-0962	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X				X
Silverdale Recycling & Garbage Facility 8843 NW Dickey Rd. 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Open everyday, 360-692-5900	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
Olympic View Transfer Station 9300 SW Barney White Rd., Port Orchard 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Open everyday, 360-674-2297	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X
Olalla Recycling & Garbage Facility 2850 SE Burley-Olalla Rd. 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Closed Wed-Thu, 253-857-5034	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X

*Volume and size limits apply

Electronics Recycling

Computer monitors, televisions, computers (CPUs), and laptops can be recycled for free at locations with the E-Cycle Washington logo. For a complete list, go to www.kitsapgov.com/sw and click on E-Cycle. Other electronics are recyclable at alternate locations and may require a fee. To find locations and what is accepted, go to www.kitsapgov.com/sw and click on "What Do I Do With It?"



Sharps

Sharps cannot be disposed of in the garbage. Residents may bring needles, syringes, lancets, and IV tubing with needles attached. Package sharps in plastic, puncture-resistant containers with screw-capped lids (e.g., soda, bleach, or detergent bottles) or containers purchased from a pharmacy. Label with a free biohazard sticker from the facility.

Big, Bulky Items

Items such as mattresses, box springs, unusable furniture, broken chairs, etc. may not be placed at curbside for disposal. They may be disposed of at the Olympic View Transfer Station or any recycling and garbage facility for a fee.

Holidays

The Olympic View Transfer Station and recycling and garbage facilities are closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day. In addition, recycling and garbage facilities are also closed Memorial Day, Fourth of July, and Labor Day. They may also close due to inclement weather or close early on Christmas Eve or New Year's Eve. Please call ahead to verify.

Residents may bring their garbage and recyclables to conveniently located recycling and garbage facilities. A fee is charged based on volume. Disposal costs are determined by weight at the Olympic View Transfer Station. Common household materials can be recycled at no charge.

Appliances

Appliances may not be placed at the curb for disposal. Appliances are recyclable for a fee at any Recycling and Garbage Facility or Olympic View Transfer Station.

Fluorescent Tubes/Bulbs

These energy saving light bulbs/tubes contain mercury and may not be put into the garbage. Residential customers may take up to 10 tubes to the Poulsbo Recycle Center or the HHW Collection Facility. Up to 10 compact fluorescent bulbs are accepted at all facilities above except Olympic View Transfer Station. Contact the facility for restrictions on the number and size of bulbs/tubes accepted.

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Olympic View Transfer Station

Olympic View Transfer Station (OVTS) processes all solid waste generated in Kitsap County and parts of surrounding counties. OVTS is open to both commercial and residential customers.

At OVTS, waste is pushed into a compactor that creates a bale of garbage weighing approximately 30 tons. Using a semi-automated system, these bales are then placed into transport containers and moved from the compactor directly onto a railcar before proceeding to the Columbia Ridge Landfill (in Arlington, Oregon) for final disposal.

Contact Information

Olympic View Transfer Station (OVTS)
 9300 SW Barney White Rd.
 Bremerton, WA
 360-674-2297

Hours of Operation

Everyday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
 Closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day. OVTS may close early on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve and during inclement weather. Call ahead to verify.

Rates

The fee is based on the weight of garbage disposed, determined when vehicles drive over scales on their way in and as they exit. A minimum fee of \$10 plus tax is charge for up to 300 lbs. for regular garbage. Fees are subject to change. For rate information, visit our website at www.kitsapgov.com/sw and choose Olympic View Transfer Station in the Recycling and Garbage Facilities section. For additional disposal/recycling sites for materials, choose the "What Do I Do With It?" heading on our website.

Accepted Materials

- Municipal solid waste (garbage)
- Construction, demolition and land clearing debris
- Yard waste
- Bulky wastes (furniture, mattresses, etc.)
- Wood waste
- Creosote-treated lumber
- Contaminated soils*
- Asbestos*
- Coal ash*
- Biosolids*
- Dredge spoils*

**These materials require prior approval.*



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Other public and private recycling and garbage facilities may accept some of these items. For a complete list, visit www.kitsapgov.com/sw and choose the "What Do I Do With It?" heading. You may want to call ahead to find the lowest price.

Separate charges are applied to the following items:

- Refrigerators
- Washers/dryers
- Water heaters
- Air conditioners
- Tires

OVTS also provides Free recycling of many common household items. See page 27 for details.



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Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

Items with these signal words can't go in your trash.

Caution-Warning-Danger-Flammable-Corrosive-Poison-Toxic-Explosive-Reactive

These items are accepted from residents:				These items are not accepted:
 Pool & Spa Supplies	 Automotive Products	 Household Cleaners	 Contaminated Motor Oil	 Ammunition
 Lawn & Garden Products	 Solvents	 Hobby Supplies	 Fluorescent Tubes & Bulbs	 Empty Paint Cans
 Road Flares	 Flammable Liquids	 Paints & Stains	 Motor Oil	 Marine Flares
 Mercury Thermometers	 Batteries	 Sharps (call for packaging instructions)	 Antifreeze	 Explosives
				 Fireworks
				 Large Propane Tanks
				 Televisions & Monitors

The average family generally has more than 60 hazardous products in their home. Kitsap and Mason County residents may bring them to the Kitsap County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility. There is no charge for residential disposal. If you have waste in a 55-gallon drum or more than 50 gallons of waste for disposal please call ahead for an appointment.

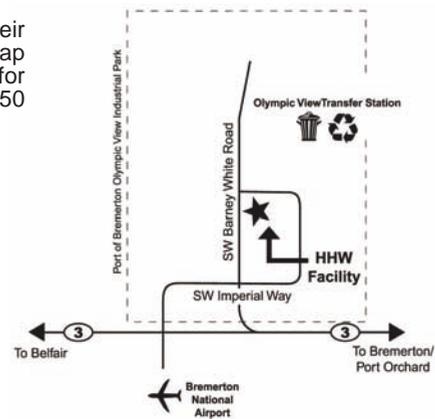
Open Thursday through Saturday 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Residential customers only please!

Business customers call for an appointment.



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what goes in curbside recycling carts?

Yes Empty, clean containers/Empty and discard plastic bags

- Plastic bottles (no caps)
- Milk-style cartons
- Glass—no lids
- Mail, magazines, mixed paper and catalogs
- Metal cans (no lids—labels ok)
- Phone books
- Aluminum cans
- Newspaper & inserts
- Plastic dairy tubs (no lids)
- Paper boxes (no liners)
- Cardboard—flattened (must fit in cart)
- Paper or frozen food boxes (no food residue)

No DO NOT recycle these in cart

- Plastic bags
- Shredded paper (OK in yard waste cart)
- Styrofoam
- Glassware & plate glass
- Batteries
- Plastic cups
- Clear clamshell containers
- Video Tapes
- Amber colored prescription vials
- Frozen food or snack bags
- Ceramics
- Foil
- Light bulbs
- Sharps
- Metal hangers
- Juice boxes (foil lined)
- Plastic plant pots
- Aerosol cans
- Food contaminated paper plates, napkins and pizza boxes
- Toxic product containers

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recycling & garbage pick-up calendars

Curbside Recycling Service

What goes in: See page 30. Remove clean recyclables from boxes and bags. Call Waste Management (800-592-9995) or Bainbridge Disposal (800-531-1918) to sign up for curbside services.

Curbside Yard Waste Service

What goes in: Weeds, grass clippings, leaves, fruit and vegetable matter, twigs, brush up 4" diameter by 3' long, shredded paper
What stays out: Sod, dirt, rocks, treated/painted lumber, cat litter, animal manure, meat, fish, poultry, dairy products.
 See www.kitsapgov.com/dcd/gis/maps/BurnBan/index.html for map showing availability of curbside yard waste collection.



City of Poulsbo

Garbage – City of Poulsbo Public Works
 360-779-4078

Recycling and Yard Waste – Bainbridge Disposal 800-531-1918

2009	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	2010	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	
Jul	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Jan	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Aug	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	Feb	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Sep	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	Mar	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Oct	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	Apr	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	
Nov	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	May	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2
Dec	30	1	2	3	4	5	6	Jun	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	



City of Bremerton

Brem-Air Disposal
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 Holiday (collection day occurs the next day)

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Jul	W	1	2	3	4	5		Jan	W						
Aug	W	27	28	29	30	31	1	Feb	E	1	2	3	4	5	6
Sep	E	31	1	2	3	4	5	Mar	E	1	2	3	4	5	6
Oct	E	28	29	30	1	2	3	Apr	E	29	30	31	1	2	3
Nov	E	26	27	28	29	30	31	May	E	26	27	28	29	30	1
Dec	W	30	1	2	3	4	5	Jun	W	31	1	2	3	4	5

Recycling Pick-up week
 Yard Waste Pick-up week
 Clean Recyclables Collection Week (collected on garbage day)
 Yard Waste Collection Day
 Holiday (collection day occurs the next day)



City of Port Orchard

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See City of Bremerton calendar; recycling weeks are the E weeks.



Unincorporated Kitsap County

Look on your recycle cart lid for the A or B.
 Look inside your lid for the calendar.

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special programs

Clean Kitsap

The Clean Kitsap Program is a coordinated effort of several agencies to keep the county clean.

Illegal Dumping

Report illegal dumping at **360-337-5777**.

Clunker Cleanup

Call Kitsap 1 at **360-337-5777** to request assistance with junk vehicle disposal.

Adopt-A-Road, Trail, or Beach

This program is designed for businesses, organizations, and service clubs, as well as individuals out on their usual walks, to do something positive in their neighborhood—clean up litter. For more information or to fill out an application, visit www.kitsapgov.com/sw and select the “Adopt A Road” heading.

Business Programs

Our team of experts will do a free site visit, answer your questions, and provide referrals on:

Solid waste, including:
Waste reduction
Recycling
Environmentally preferred purchasing

Hazardous materials, including:
Regulations
Proper storage
Safer alternatives
Disposal

**For more information, call Kitsap 1
360-337-5777**

Small Quantity Generator Collection Program

Most businesses generate or store some type of hazardous materials and the regulations governing how to dispose of them can be confusing. The Solid Waste Division helps businesses by:

- Providing safe, responsible and cost-effective options for excess hazardous materials
- Offering technical assistance on waste management and disposal of hazardous waste.

For disposal, pre-qualified SQG businesses must schedule an appointment at the HHW Collection Facility. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call Kitsap 1 at **360-337-5777**, or visit www.kitsapgov.com/sw.

The smoke from burning garbage can cause cancer and asthma.

You burn it, you breathe it.

Report garbage burning.

Kitsap County Health District
(360) 337-5285



2Good2Toss

2good2toss.com is a great resource to save you money and time while keeping valuable items from going to the landfill. This online marketplace provides Kitsap County residents a convenient way to exchange reusable household items and used or surplus building materials that would otherwise be disposed of. There are no registration costs or seller fees! Listings for live animals, hazardous materials, or sexually-explicit materials are not accepted.

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