

Are your household items still useable?

Join the circular economy! Reusing household goods keeps them out of landfill. Before you book a clean-up, consider these reuse alternatives:

- ✓ Check if friends or relatives want them.
- ✓ Sell or give away items online.
- ✓ Use The Bower's online Collections Tool to see whether your items are accepted in their service and arrange a pickup: [bower.org.au/collections](https://www.bower.org.au/collections)
- ✓ Have a garage sale or book a stall at a local market to sell your wares. For example, Bondi Markets
- ✓ Donate items that are still in good condition to a charity. Call first to check if they will accept your items and ensure you drop them off during business hours.

THE SALVATION ARMY	13 72 58
ST VINCENT DE PAUL	9350 9660
THE SMITH FAMILY	1300 737 166
ABORIGINAL CORPORATION FOR THE HOMELESS	9799 8446
CHAPEL BY THE SEA	9130 3445

- ✗ Do not leave items on the ground outside a charity bin or on a nature strip as this is considered illegal dumping. It creates a safety hazard and may incur a fine.



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Clean-up collection service



Moving out? Broken bulky items?

Do the right thing and book a clean-up in advance by calling **9083 8000**

About Waverley Council's clean-up collection service

Waverley Council offers each household* three free clean-up collection services per year, including one scheduled clean-up and two 'Your Call' collections. These services are funded by the Domestic Waste Charge to help residents dispose of end of life bulky household goods responsibly.

Households are entitled to:

One annual scheduled clean-up

To find out the date of the annual scheduled clean-up collection for your area, check your online Waste and Recycling calendar, visit waverley.nsw.gov.au/waste or call **9083 8000**.

Two 'Your Call' collections

Call **9083 8000** if you need to organise a separate collection to the annual scheduled date. This clean-up collection day will be on the same day of the week as your garbage day, but must be booked in advance.

Find full details at waverley.nsw.gov.au/waste

Do you live in an apartment?

If you live in an apartment, contact your property manager or real estate agent to find out how to store your items prior to collection, and whether they will make the booking for you.

* Available to households that pay a Domestic Waste Charge. Council reserves the right to refuse collections for any reason.



Yes, we can accept:

- ✓ Whitegoods with doors removed to prevent a child safety hazard.
- ✓ Old furniture.
- ✓ Mattresses. Limit of 2 per collection.
- ✓ Small bundles of carpet cut into 1 metre lengths and bundled.
- ✓ Small amounts of green waste cut into 1 metre lengths and bundled.



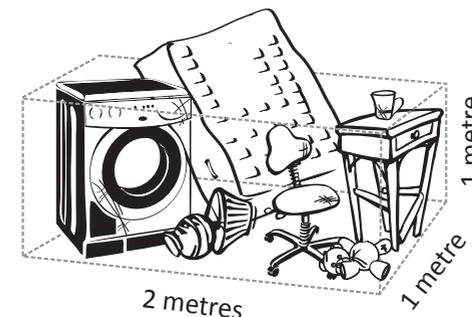
No, we can't accept:

- ✗ General rubbish or recyclables: Items that are small enough to fit into your kerbside bin should be placed in the appropriate bin.
- ✗ Bulky cardboard should be cut to size and placed in the blue recycling bin.
- ✗ Very large items that exceed the allowable pile dimensions of 2 cubic metres (for example, trampolines and gym equipment).
- ✗ Electronic waste.
- ✗ Glass sheets or furniture with more than 400mm x 400mm of glass (for example, mirrors, tabletops).
- ✗ Business or commercial waste.
- ✗ Hazardous waste: including paints, solvents, asbestos, chemicals, cleaners, unwanted medicines and gas cylinders.
- ✗ Building, demolition and mechanical waste including tiles, fencing, bricks, plumbing fixtures, car parts, batteries, tyres and oil.
- ✗ Hot water heaters and oil heaters.
- ✗ Large carpets that cannot be readily handled by two people.

How to prepare your pile for collection day

It is your responsibility to present your bulky goods correctly to avoid rejection by our collection crew.

There is a limit of two cubic metres per collection booked. All items must be neatly and safely stacked. Piles that are too large or contain unacceptable materials will be rejected. When a pile is rejected, it must now be removed at the owner's expense through a private contractor for example.



Place your material on the kerb no earlier than the evening prior to your collection day. If you put items out any earlier, other people may be tempted to dump rubbish around them, making collection difficult and dangerous. Dumped rubbish is illegal and can lead to fines.

Problem waste disposal services

You can help keep hazardous waste out of landfill. Waverley Council provides options for the safe disposal of tricky wastes, including **computers, televisions and printers, mobile phones, household chemicals and paints, sharps, batteries, and more.**



Visit waverley.nsw.gov.au/waste to learn more about how and where to dispose of these items appropriately.