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Childcare Centre

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# **GLOSSARY AND ABBREVIATIONS OF TERMS**

TERM DESCRIPTION

Bin-Carting Route Travel path for transporting bins from their allocated storage location to

the nominated collection point

Bin Hoist A device used for lifting or lowering bins between different levels

Bin Lifter A device used to mechanically lift bins for the purpose of emptying them

into larger bins and/or compactors.

Bin Mover Either a handheld device (commonly referred to as a bin tug) or a ride-on

device (typically a tractor or Class C vehicle with an attached bin trailer) used to facilitate the movement of bins across long distances or up ramps

Bulk Bins Containers with a capacity greater than 1100L designed to be collected by

a front-loading vehicle

Bulky Waste Recycling items that are too large to be deposited into bins, including

furniture, whitegoods, electronics and mattresses

Collection Designated area or point where bins are loaded onto the collection vehicle

Area/Point for servicing

Comingled Recycling Waste stream for the recycling of plastic bottles, other plastics, paper,

glass and metal containers

Communal Bin Room A central, shared bin room accessible to all residents or staff to dispose of

their waste stream

DA Development Application

DCP Development Control Plan

EPA Environment Protect Authority

FOGO Food Organics and Garden Organics

General Waste All non-recyclable and non-hazardous waste that is sent to landfill

HRV Heavy Rigid Vehicle

Kerbside Collection A collection arrangement whereby bins are presented in a single row along

the kerb and serviced by a collection vehicle on the street.

L Litre

LEP Local Environmental Plan

Mobile Bins Containers with a capacity up to and including 1100L designed to be

collected by a rear-loading vehicle

MRV Medium Rigid Vehicle

Onsite Collection A collection arrangement whereby all bins are serviced by a collection

vehicle within the property boundary, either in the building's basement or

at grade and off-street.

Owners Corporation An organisation or group of persons that is identified by a particular name

and that acts, or may act, as an entity



Paper/ Cardboard

Recycling

Waste stream for the recycling of paper and cardboard only.

Recycling Waste stream that combines all recycling, including comingled recycling,

paper/cardboard and metals.

Source Separation

Receptacles

Communal containers used throughout the development for the day-to-day

disposal of different waste streams

SRV Small Rigid Vehicle

Waste Stream A classification used to describe waste of a particular type (eg. food waste

stream)

WHS Workplace Health and Safety

Wheel-Out Wheel

Back

A collection arrangement whereby a collection vehicle parks on the street and collection staff exit the vehicle to wheel each bin from a designated

storage area to the vehicle for servicing and returns them upon completion.



# 1.0 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Elephants Foot Consulting (EFC) acknowledges that every project we work on takes place on First Peoples land. We recognise Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People as Traditional Custodians of this land. We pay respect to ancestors and Elders, past and present.

#### 2.0 INTRODUCTION

Elephants Foot Consulting (EFC) has been engaged to prepare the following Operational Waste Management Plan (OWMP) to satisfy the conditions of the Development Application Canterbury-Bankstown Council requires for the Childcare Centre development located at 1A Truman Avenue, Riverwood, NSW.

Robust waste management strategies are required for new developments to support the design and sustainable performance of the building. It is EFC's belief that a successful waste management strategy contains three key objectives:

- *i.* **Promote responsible source separation** to reduce the amount of waste that goes to landfill by implementing convenient and efficient waste management systems.
- *Ensure adequate waste and recycling provisions and procedures* are established that will cater for potential changes during the operational phase of the development.
- iii. **Comply** with all relevant council codes, policies, and guidelines.

To achieve these objectives, this OWMP identifies and details the following components:

- Waste streams expected to be generated onsite and anticipated volumes;
- Suitable bin sizes and quantities;
- Waste and recycling disposal procedures;
- Bin room size estimations and equipment recommendations; and
- Waste collection strategies, locations and frequencies.

It is vital that this OWMP is integrated into the overall management of the building and is clearly communicated to all relevant stakeholders.

#### 2.1 SCOPE OF REPORT

This OWMP only applies to the **operational** phase of the proposed development; therefore, the requirements outlined in this OWMP must be implemented during the operational phase of the site and may be subject to review upon further expansion of, and/or changes to the development.

The waste management of the **construction** and **demolition** phases of the development are not addressed in this report. A construction and demolition WMP will need to be provided separately.



#### 2.2 REPORT CONDITIONS

The purpose of this report is to document an OWMP as part of a development application, which is supplied by EFC with the following limitations:

- Drawings, estimates and information contained in this OWMP have been prepared by analysing the information, plans and documents supplied by the client and third parties including Council and other government agencies. The assumptions based on the information contained in the OWMP is outside the control of EFC,
- The figures presented in the report are an estimate only the actual amount of waste generated will be dependent on the occupancy rate of the building/s and waste generation intensity as well as the building management's approach to educating residents and tenants regarding waste management operations and responsibilities,
- Building Management will adjust waste management operations as required based on actual waste volumes (e.g. if waste is greater than estimated) and increase the number of bins and collections accordingly,
- The report will not be used to determine or forecast operational costs or prepare any feasibility study or to document any safety or operational procedures,
- The report has been prepared with all due care; however no assurance is made that
  the OWMP reflects the actual outcome of the proposed waste facilities, services, and
  operations, and EFC will not be liable for plans or results that are not suitable for
  purpose due to incorrect or unsuitable information or otherwise,
- EFC offer no warranty or representation of accuracy or reliability of the OWMP unless specifically stated,
- Any manual handling equipment recommended in this OWMP should be provided at the recommendation of the appropriate equipment provider who will assess the correct equipment for supply,
- Design of waste management chute equipment and systems must be approved by the supplier,
- EFC cannot be held accountable for late changes to the design after the OWMP has been submitted to Council.
- EFC will provide specifications and recommendations on bin access and travel paths
  within the OWMP, however it is the architect's responsibility to ensure the architectural
  drawings meet these provisions,
- EFC are not required to provide information on collection vehicle swept paths, head heights, internal manoeuvring or loading requirements. It is assumed this information will be provided by a traffic consultant,
- Council are subject to changing waste and recycling policies and requirements at their own discretion.
- This OWMP is only finalised once the draft watermark has been removed. If the draft watermark is present, the information in the OWMP is not confirmed.



# 3.0 LEGISLATION & GUIDANCE

Waste management and resource recovery regulation in Australia is administered by the Australian Constitution, Commonwealth laws, and international agreements. State and territory governments maintain primary responsibility for controlling development and regulating waste. The following legislation has been enacted in New South Wales, and provides the lawful underpinnings of this OWMP.

- NSW Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979
- NSW Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
- NSW Waste Avoidance & Resource Recovery Act 2001

At the local level, councils or Local Government Areas (LGAs) require OWMPs to be included in new development applications. This OWMP is specifically required by:

- Canterbury-Bankstown Development Control Plan 2023
- Canterbury-Bankstown Local Environmental Plan 2023

The primary purpose of a Development Control Plan (DCP) is to guide the planning process according to the aims of the corresponding local environmental plan (LEP). The DCP must be read in conjunction with the provisions of the relevant LEP.

Information provided in this OWMP comes from a wide range of waste management guidance at the local, state, and federal levels. The primary sources of guidance include:

- Waste Design for New Developments Guide F Commercial and Industrial Development June 2023
- NSW Better Practice Guide For Resource Recovery In Residential Developments 2019
- NSW Better Practice Guidelines for Waste Management and Recycling in Commercial and Industrial Facilities 2012
- NSW Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery (WARR) Strategy 2014-2021
- NSW Waste Classification Guidelines 2014
- Australia's National Waste Policy 2018



#### **DEVELOPMENT OVERVIEW** 4.0

The proposed development falls under the LGA of City of Canterbury-Bankstown Council, and consists of a Childcare Centre with 2 levels that caters for 60 Children.

All figures and calculations are based on area schedules as advised by our client and shown on architectural drawings.

#### SITE LOCATION 4.1

The site is located at 1A Truman Ave, Riverwood, NSW as shown in Figure.1 (boundaries are indicative only). The site has frontages to Truman Avenue and Belmore Road North, with vehicle access via Truman Avenue.



Figure 1: Site Location



Source: Google Maps 2024



# 5.0 CHILDCARE WASTE MANAGEMENT

The following section outlines best practice waste management for the development, including waste generation estimates and waste disposal and collection procedures.

#### 5.1 CHILDCARE WASTE GENERATION ESTIMATES

The NSW EPA's Better Practice Guide for Resource Recovery in Residential Developments (2019) has been referenced to calculate the total number of bins required. Calculations are based on generic generation rates. Actual volumes of waste and recycling generated in operation differ according to the staffs' actual waste management practice

The following table shows the estimated volume (L) of general waste and recycling that will be generated by the childcare tenants.

The following estimates are based on a five-day operating week.

Table 1: Estimated General Waste and Recycling Volumes - Childcare

#Children	General Waste Generation Rate	Generated General Waste  (Lovely)  Recycling Generation Rate		Generated Recycling
	(L/child/day)	(L/week)	(L/child/day)	(L/week)
60	5	1500	5	1500
TOTAL		1500		1500
	Bin Size (L)	240	Bin Size (L)	240
	Bins per Week	7	Bins per Week	7
Bins and Collections	Collections per Week	2	Collections per Week	2
	Total Bins Required for Collection	4	Total Bins Required for Collection	4

#### 5.2 CHILDCARE BIN SUMMARY

Based on the estimated waste and recycling volumes generated by the childcare, the recommended bin quantities and collection frequencies are as follows:

General Waste: 4 x 240L bins collected 2 x weekly

Recycling: 4 x 240L bins collected 2 x weekly

FOGO: 1 x 240L bins collected weekly

Bin sizes, quantities, and/or collection frequencies may be modified by the childcare manager once the proposed development is operational. Childcare management will be required to negotiate any changes to bins or collections with the collection service provider. Seasonal peak periods should also be considered.

#### 5.3 CHILDCARE WASTE DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

Waste generated by childcare centres typically consists of soiled nappies, wipes, food scraps, other general waste, and recyclables. Receptacles for general waste, disposable nappies and recyclables will be placed throughout the childcare facility where required. These bins should be place in locations only accessible to staff.



Childcare staff will be responsible for storing the waste and recyclables back of house throughout the day. General waste and recycling receptacles should be paired next to each other in convenient locations such as offices, kitchens, and playrooms. The receptacles should be kept in locations that cannot be accessed by the children. Indoor garbage containers should also:

- Be waterproof and have a tight fitting lid;
- Garbage containers should be fitted with bin liners;
- Emptied a minimum of once daily; and
- Garbage and recycling receptacles should be cleaned weekly.

On completion of each trading day or as required, nominated staff or contracted cleaners will transport all general waste and recycling to the Childcare Bin Room and place into the appropriate collection bins.

#### 5.4 CHILDCARE WASTE COLLECTION PROCEDURES

A private waste contractor will be engaged to service the childcare general waste and recycling bins as per an agreed collection schedule. This report assumes that general waste and recycling will be collected twice weekly, and FOGO is collected weekly.

Based on the information provided the client, it is understood that the contractor will utilise a 6.34m long and 2.1m high waste collection vehicle, which has properties similar to those of a Standard Small Rigid Vehicle (SRV).

To assess the driveway configuration, a Traffic and Parking Impact Assessment was undertaken by ParkTransit. The swept path analysis concluded that the waste collection vehicle will require access to the turning bay, as well as a small portion of the adjacent visitor parking space, in order to exit the site. It is understood that waste collection will occur outside of designated pick-up and drop-off periods, ensuring that visitor parking spaces remain unoccupied and accessible for waste vehicle manoeuvring.



#### 5.5 OTHER CHILDCARE WASTE MANAGEMENT CONSIDERATIONS

Based on the types of operations for this development, the following waste management practices are recommended.

#### 5.5.1 WASHROOM FACILITIES

Washroom facilities should be supplied with collection bins for paper towels (if used) and dedicated bins for soiled nappies. Sanitary bins for female restroom facilities must also be arranged with an appropriate contractor.

#### **5.5.1 FOOD WASTE**

Kitchens, tearooms, and service and food preparation areas will be provided with a dedicated receptacle to collect food waste. Staff or cleaners will be responsible for monitoring these receptacles and emptying them as required.

#### 5.5.2 BULKY WASTE

Any bulky waste generated by the childcare centre will be stored back of house until building management can arrange for a collection service. It is recommended that bulky items in useable condition are first donated where possible.

#### 5.5.3 LIQUID WASTE

Liquid wastes as such cleaning products, chemicals, paints, solvents, and motor and cooking oil will be stored in a secure room and enclosed by a low wall intended to contain any liquid spillage or inundation to other areas. Liquid waste will be drained to a grease trap, in accordance with legislation and the requirements of State government authorities and agencies. Further information can be provided by the Services Consultant

#### 5.5.4 PROBLEM WASTE

The building manager is responsible for making arrangements for the disposal and recycling of problem waste streams with an appropriate contractor. Problem wastes cannot be placed in the general waste stream as they can have adverse impacts to human health and the environment if disposed of in landfill. Childcare staff must liaise with the building manager when disposing of problem waste streams.

Problem waste streams include:

o Chemical Waste

Liquid wastes

Toner cartridges

Lightbulbs

o eWaste

Batteries



# 6.0 STAKEHOLDER ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

The following table outlines the primary roles and responsibilities of the respective stakeholders:

Table 2: Stakeholder Roles and Responsibilities

Roles	Responsibilities
Childcare Management/Waste Caretaker	<ul> <li>Ensure all waste service providers submit monthly reports on all equipment movements and waste quantities/weights;</li> <li>Organise internal waste audits/visual assessments on a regular basis;</li> <li>Purchase any on-going waste management equipment or maintenance of equipment once building is operational; and</li> <li>Manage any non-compliances/complaints reported through waste audits.</li> <li>Coordinate general waste, FOGO and recycling collections;</li> <li>Clean and transport bins as required;</li> <li>Organise replacement or maintenance requirements for bins;</li> <li>Organise, maintain and clean the waste holding area;</li> <li>Organise bulky goods collection when required;</li> <li>Investigate and ensure prompt clean-up of illegally dumped waste materials.</li> <li>Prevent storm water pollution by taking necessary precautions (securing bin rooms, preventing overfilling of bins);</li> <li>Abide by all relevant WH&amp;S legislation, regulations, and guidelines;</li> <li>Provide staff/contractors with equipment manuals, training, health and safety procedures, risk assessments, and PPE to control hazards associated with all waste management;</li> <li>Assess any manual handling risks and prepare a manual handling control plan for waste and bin transfers;</li> <li>Ensure site safety for staff, visitors and contractors; and</li> <li>Ensure effective signage, communication and education is provided to occupants, tenants, maintenance staff, and cleaning contractors.</li> </ul>
Childcare Staff	<ul> <li>Manage the back of house storage of generated waste, FOGO, and recycling during daily operation.</li> <li>Correctly separate waste and recycling streams; bag general waste and ensure recyclables are not bagged.</li> <li>Flatten cardboard within the recycling bin.</li> <li>If required, arrange for storage of used and unused cooking oil in a bunded area,</li> <li>Ensure the suitable storage for chemicals, pesticides and cleaning products waste back of house.</li> </ul>
Waste Collection Contractor	<ul> <li>Provide a reliable and appropriate waste collection service;</li> <li>Provide feedback to building managers/ tenants regarding contamination of recyclables; and</li> <li>Work with building managers to customise waste systems where possible.</li> </ul>
Gardening/ Landscaping Contractor	Remove all garden organic waste generated during gardening maintenance activities for recycling at an offsite location.
Developer	Purchase all equipment required to implement this OWMP prior to the occupation of the building to be provided to the strata.



# 7.0 SOURCE SEPERATION

Better practice waste management includes the avoidance, reuse, and recovery of unwanted items, which can be achieved through source separation. The table below outlines what is typically included in various waste streams and how they can be managed. Refer to your local council for a list of accepted materials. Planet Ark can be accessed online to find other facilities that recover unwanted items.

Table 3: Operational Waste Streams

Waste	onal Waste Streams	Typical	
Stream	Description	Destination	Waste Stream Management
General Waste	The remaining portion of the waste stream that is not recovered for re-use, processing, or recycling. May include soft plastics, food scraps, polystyrene, etc.	Landfill	General waste should be bagged before placing in in designated general waste bins.
Recycling	A mixture of items that are commonly recycled usually segregated through a MRF. Typically include food and beverage containers (e.g. aluminium, glass, steel, hard plastics, cartons). Also included cardboard and paper products.	Resource Recovery Centre	Recycling must not be bagged, and instead should be placed loosely in the designated recycling bins.  Cardboard should be flattened before placing in the designated recycling bin.
Food Waste	Food waste consists of unwanted or uneaten kitchen scraps that are easily compostable/biodegradable (e.g. vegetable peels, fruit rinds, coffee grounds).	Compostin g facility or Landfill	Food waste can be disposed of in the FOGO bin.
Garden Waste	Garden organics consists of unwanted organic materials that are easily biodegradable and/or compostable (e.g. lawn clippings, branches)	Resource Recovery Centre	Landscape Maintenance Contractors will remove the garden organics from site during scheduled maintenance.
Secure Documents	Secure documents are printed paper materials that contain sensitive information.	Recycling Facility	Secure documents are placed in allocated secure document bins. Private contractor removes bins from site.
Electronic Waste	Discarded e-waste, electronic components and materials such as computers, mobile phones, keyboards, etc.	Resource Recovery Centre	Childcare tenants arrange for recycling of their own ewaste.
Bulky Waste Items	Items that are to too large to place into general rubbish collection. This includes disused and/or broken furniture, mattresses, white goods, etc.	Resource Recovery Centre or Landfill	Childcare tenants are responsible for removal of their bulky items.
Sanitary Waste	Feminine hygiene waste generated from female bathrooms.	Incineration or Landfill	Sanitary bins are serviced by sanitary waste contractor.
Other	Other recyclable items that require special recovery may include ink cartridges, batteries, chemical waste, fluorescent tubes, etc.	Resource Recovery Facility	Childcare management arranges collection by appropriate recycling services when required.



#### 8.0 EDUCATION

Educational material encouraging correct separation of general waste, recycling and FOGO must be provided to all childcare staff members. This should include the correct disposal process for bulky waste such as unwanted furniture, large discarded items, and other materials including electronic and chemical wastes. It is recommended that building management ensures that information is provided in multiple languages to support correct behaviours, and to minimise the possibility of contamination in communal bins.

Education and communication must be provided consistently on a regular basis to encourage behaviour change and account for transient building personnel such as new tenants, or cleaning staff. Information should include:

- Descriptions of items accepted in the general waste and recycling streams (refer to Council guidance);
- How to dispose of bulky waste and any other items that are not general waste or recycling;
- Tenants' obligations to health and safety as well as building management; and
- How to prevent cross contamination among waste streams.

#### 8.1 SIGNAGE

Signage and education are essential components to support best practice waste management including resource recovery, source separation, and diversion of waste from landfill.

Signage should include:

- Clear and correctly labelled bins,
- Instructions for separating and disposing of waste items. Different languages should be considered,
- Locations of, and directions to, the waste storage areas with directional signs, arrows, or lines,
- The identification of all hazards or potential dangers associated with the waste facilities, and
- Emergency contact information should there be issues with the waste systems or services in the building.

Building management is responsible for waste room signage including safety signage. Appropriate signage must be prominently displayed on doors, walls and above all bins, clearly stating what type of waste or recyclables is to be placed in each bin.

All signage should conform to the relevant Australian Standards.

#### 9.0 POLLUTION PREVENTION

Building management shall be responsible for the following to minimise dispersion of site litter and prevent stormwater pollution to avoid impact to the environment and local amenity:

- Promoting adequate waste disposal into the bins
- Securing all bin rooms (whilst affording access to staff/contractors)
- Prevent overfilling of bins, keep all bin lids closed and bungs leak-free
- Taking action to prevent dumping or unauthorised use of waste areas
- Require collection contractor/s to clean up any spillage when clearing bins



# 10.0 BIN WASHING

The bins will be cleaned by the building manager and or cleaners periodically to ensure hygiene and minimise odour.

Bin washing can occur within the bin room, using the room clean down facilities (i.e tap connection and drain). Alternatively, a specialist bin washing contractor can be engaged to clean the bins to an agreed schedule. The specialist bin contactor would collect the bins from the bin holding area and clean the bins with their specialised vehicle.

# 11.0 BIN MOVING PATHS (BINS MOVED FOR COLLECTION)

Any movement of bins should minimise manual handling where possible, as bins become heavy when full. The building manager must assess manual handling risks and provide any relevant documentation to key personal.

The routes along the bin moving path should;

- Allow for a continuous route that is wholly within the property boundary.
- Be free from obstruction and obstacles such as steps and kerbs.
- Be constructed of solid materials with a non-slip surface
- Be A minimum of 300mm wider than the largest bin used onsite.
- If bins are moved manually, the route must not exceed a grade of 1:14.
- If a bin moving device is used, the route cannot exceed the maximum operating grade of the device. This is typically a grade of 1:4, however this will vary depending on the model of bin moving device acquired for the site.

If the distance of the bin moving paths exceeds 10m, a bin moving device will be required to aid the movement of full bins. The developer is responsible for supplying all equipment required for moving bins, which includes any bin lifters, bin moving devices and waste transfer bins. This equipment must be new and appropriate for the site. The developer should contact a bin-tug, trailer or tractor consultant to provide equipment recommendations.

Once the site is operational (and the developers is no longer involved) the building proprietors/strata will be responsible for maintaining, repairing and replacing waste management equipment.



# 12.0 WASTEROOMS

The areas allocated for waste storage and collection areas are detailed in the table below and are estimates only.

Table 4: Waste Room Areas

Level	Waste Room Type	Equipment	Estimated Area Required (m²)
GF	Bin Room	4 x 240L Bins (General Waste) 4 x 240L Bins (Recycling)	> 8
		1 x 240L Bin (FOGO)	

EFC recommends bins sizes, collection frequencies and/or equipment for best practice waste management at this site, however EFC also acknowledges there are a range of other suitable options that may alter waste room requirements (e.g. floor area, accessibility, head height, etc.)

The waste room areas have been calculated based on equipment requirements and/or bin dimensions with an additional 70% of bin GFA factored in for manoeuvrability.

In addition, all doorways and passageways facilitating the movement of bins and/or bulky waste items must be at least 1500mm wide.

The following table provides further waste room requirements.

Table 5: Waste Room Requirements

Waste Room Type	Waste Room Requirements
Bin Room	<ul> <li>Bins should be arranged so that all bins are accessible. Bins are not to be placed in front of one another or in such a way as to restrict access to the other bins for use.</li> <li>Rooms must be well ventilated either naturally or mechanically in accordance with AS1668.4.2012</li> <li>Cleaning facilities such as hose hock and drainage for odour and hygiene control must be provided.</li> <li>It is recommended a dustpan and broom is provided in this room for staff and cleaners to clean up unexpected spillages when using bins.</li> </ul>



# 13.0 CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

Waste room construction must comply with the minimum standards as outlined in the *Canterbury-Bankstown Development Control Plan 2023,* in order to minimise odours, deter vermin, protect surrounding areas, and make it a user-friendly and safe area.

The NSW Better Practice Guide For Resource Recovery In Residential Developments (2019) also states that better practice bin storage areas should achieve more than the minimum compliance requirements, which are as follows:

- Ensuring BCA compliance, including ventilation. Where required, ventilation system must comply with AS1668.4-2012 The use of ventilation and air conditioning in buildings.
- Ensuring storage areas are well lit (sensor lighting preferred) and have lighting available 24 hours a day.
- Provision of bin washing facilities, including taps for hot and cold water provided through a centralised mixing valve. The taps must be protected from bins and be located where they can be easily accessed even when the area is at bin capacity.
- Floor constructed of concrete at least 75mm thick.
- Floor graded so that any water is directed to a sewer authority approved drainage connection to ensure washing bins and/or waste storage areas do not discharge flow into the stormwater drain.
- Provision of smooth, cleanable and durable floor and wall surfaces that extend up the wall to a height equivalent to any bins held in the area.
- Ensuring ceilings are finished with a smooth-faced non-absorbent material capable of being cleaned.
- All surfaces (walls, ceiling and floors) finished in a light colour.

#### 13.1 ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Waste room floor to be sealed with a two-pack epoxy;
- All corners coved and sealed 1,200mm up, this is to eliminate build-up of dirt;
- Hot and cold water tap height and light switch height of 1.6m;
- Storm water access preventatives (grate);
- All walls painted with light colour and washable paint;
- Equipment electric outlets to be installed 1700mm above finished floor level;
- Optional automatic odour and pest control system installed
- If 660L or 1100L bins are utilised, 2 x 820mm (minimum) double-doors must be used;
- All personnel doors are hinged, lockable and self-closing;
- Conform to the Building Code of Australia, Australian standards and local laws; and
- Childproofing and public/operator safety shall be assessed and ensured
- Waste and recycling rooms must have their own exhaust ventilation system either;
  - Mechanically exhausting at a rate of 5L/m² floor area, with a minimum rate of 100L/s minimum. Mechanical exhaust systems shall comply with AS1668.4.2012 and not cause any inconvenience, noise or odour problem; or
  - Naturally permanent, unobstructed, and opening direct to the external air, not less than one-twentieth (1/20) of the floor area.



# 14.0 USEFUL CONTACTS

EFC does not warrant or make representation for goods or services provided by suppliers.

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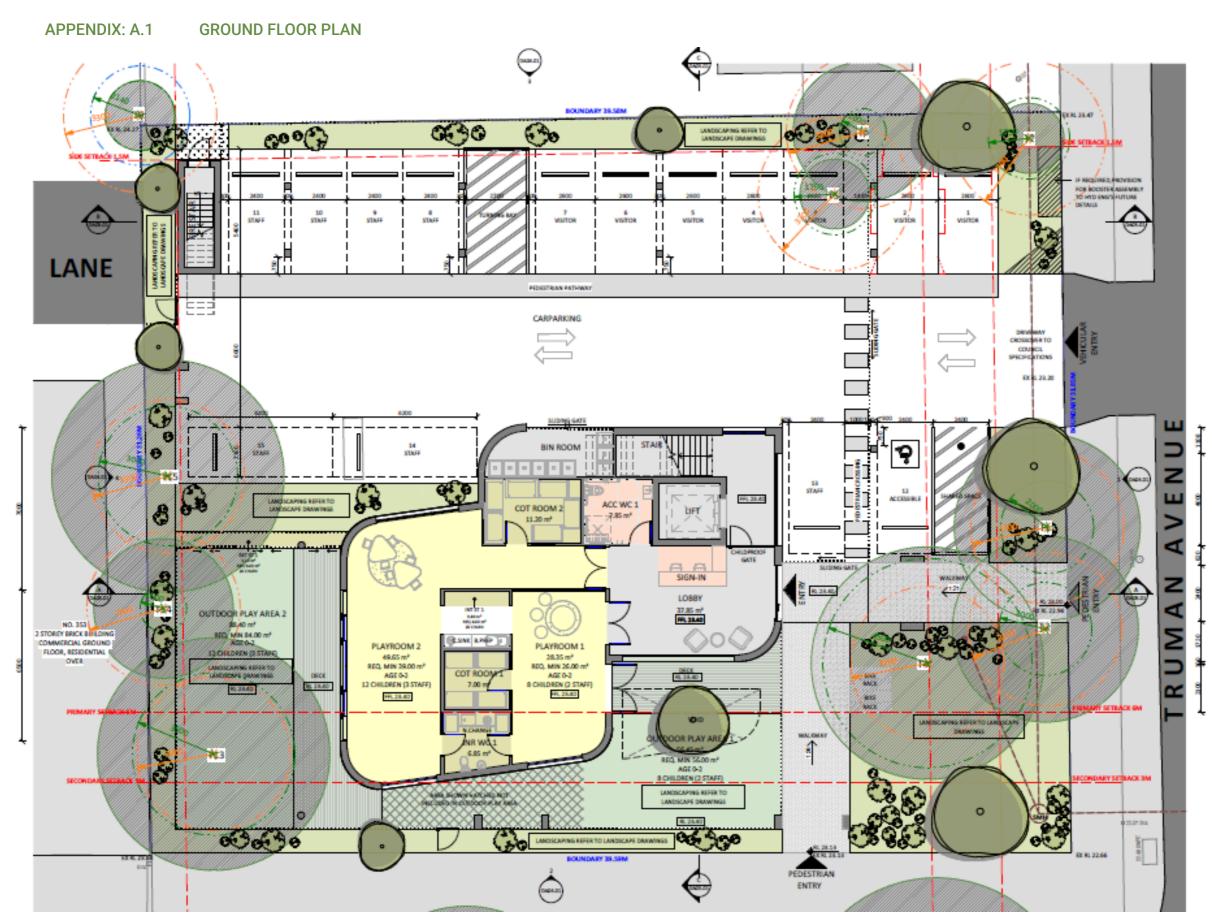
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APPENDIX A: PRIMARY WASTE MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS



#### APPENDIX: A.1 TYPICAL BIN SPECIFICATIONS

#### **Mobile bins**

Mobile bins come in a variety of sizes and are designed for lifting and emptying by purpose-built equipment.

Mobile bins with capacities of up to 1700L must comply with AS4123.6-2006 Mobile waste containers which specifies standard sizes and sets out the colour designations for the bodies and lids of mobile waste containers indicating the type of materials they are used to collect.

The most common bin sizes are provided below, although not all sizes are shown. The dimensions are a guide only and differ slightly between manufacturers. Some bins have flat or domed lids and are used with different lifting devices. Refer to *AS4123.6-2006* for further details.

Table G1.1: Average dimension ranges for two-wheel mobile bins



Wheelie bin

Bin capacity	80L	120L		140L		240L	360L
Height (mm)	870	940	1065	1080	1100		
Depth (mm)	530	530		540		735	820
Width (mm)	450	485		500		580	600
Approximate footprint (m²)	0.24	0.26-0.33	3	0.27-0.33		0.41- 0.43	0.49
Approximate weight (kg)	8.5	9.5		10.4		15.5	23
Approximate maximum load (kg)	32	48		56		96	Not known

Sources include Sulo, Single Waste, Cleanaway, SUEZ, just wheelie bins and Perth Waste for two-wheel mobile bins

Table G1.2: Average dimension ranges for four-wheel bulk bins



Bin capacity	660L	770L	1100L	1300L	1700L
Height (mm)	1250	1425	1470	1480	1470
Depth (mm)	850	1100	1245	1250	1250
Width (mm)	1370	1370	1370	1770	1770
Approx footprint (m²)	0.86-1.16	1.51	1.33-1.74	2.21	2.21
Approx weight (kg)	45	Not known	65	Not known	Not known
Approx maximum load (kg)	310	Not known	440	Not known	Not known

Dome or flat lid container

Sources include Sulo, Signal Waste, Cleanaway, SUEZ, Just Wheelie Bins and Perth Waste



#### APPENDIX: A.2 SIGNAGE FOR WASTE AND RECYCLING BINS

# Waste signs

Signs and educational materials perform several functions including:

- · informing residents why it is important to recover resources and protect the environment
- · providing clear instructions on how to use the bins and services provided
- alerting people to any dangers or hazards within the bin storage areas.

All waste, recycling and organic bins should be Australian Standard colours and clearly and correctly labelled, such as by a sticker on the lid and/or the body of the bin.

Communal bin storage areas should be clearly signposted with signs outlining how to correctly separate waste into the bins provided. The local council responsible for waste services may be a good source of signs and posters and can advise on what signs are suitable.

Information on who to contact to find out more about the recycling and/or other resource recovery services in the building should also be displayed in communal areas, such as on a noticeboard.

The Planet Ark website also has resources available free of charge for use by businesses and councils. These signs can be found at <a href="mailto:businessescycling.com.au/research/signage.cfm">businessescycling.com.au/research/signage.cfm</a>

Figure I1.1: Examples of waste wall posters (EPA supplied)



Figure I1.2: Examples of bin lid stickers (EPA supplied)





# **Problem waste signs**

The EPA has also produced a range of images and signs that can be used for problem wastes, such as fluoro globes and tubes, household and car batteries, e-waste and smoke detectors. To access these resources, contact the NSW EPA. Some examples are shown below.

Figure I2.1: Problem waste signs



# Safety signs

The use of safety signs for waste resource recovery rooms must comply with AS1319 Safety signs for occupational environments. Safety signs must be used to regulate and control safety related to behaviour, warn of hazards and provide emergency information, including fire protection information. Suitable signs should be decided for each development as required.

Figure I3.1: Example safety signs





#### APPENDIX: A.3 EXAMPLE COLLECTION VEHICLE INFORMATION

#### General

Appropriate heavy rigid vehicle standards should be incorporated into the road and street designs in new developments where onsite collections are proposed. Road and street designs must comply with relevant Acts, regulations, guidelines, and codes administered by Austroads, Standards Australia, NSW Roads and Maritime Services, WorkSafe NSW and any local council traffic requirements.

Applicants and building designers should consult with councils and other relevant authorities before designing new roads or streets and access points for waste collection vehicles to establish specific design requirements.

Table H4.1: Australian Standards for turning circles for medium and heavy rigid class vehicles

Vehicle class	Overall length (m)	Design width (m)	Design turning radius (m)	Swept circle (m)	Clearance (travel) height (m)
Medium rigid vehicle	8.80	2.5	10.0	21.6	4.5
Heavy rigid vehicle	12.5	2.5	12.5	27.8	4.5

Source: Better Practice Guide For Resource Recovery In Residential Developments 2019, NSW Environmental Protection Authority

#### Large collection vehicles

Waste collection vehicles may be side-loading, rear-loading, front-lift-loading, hook or crane lift trucks. Vehicle dimensions vary by collection service, manufacturer, make and model. It is not possible to provide definitive dimensions, so architects and developers should consult with the local council and/or contractors.

The following characteristics represent typical collection vehicles and are provided for guidance only. Reference to AS2890.2 Parking facilities: off-street commercial vehicle facilities for detailed requirements, including vehicle dimensions, is recommended.

Table B2.1: Collection vehicle dimensions

Vehicle type	Rear-loading	Side-loading*	Front-lift- loading	Hook truck	Crane truck
Length overall (m)	10.5	9.6	11.8	10.0	10.0
Width overall (m)	2.5	2.5	2.5	3.0	2.5
Travel height (m)	3.9	3.6	4.8	4.7	3.8
Operational height for loading (m)	3.9	4.2	6.5	3.0	8.75
Vehicle tare weight (t)	13.1	11.8	16.7	13.0	13.0
Maximum payload (t)	10.0	10.8	11.0	14.5	9.5
Turning circle (m)	25.0	21.4	25.0	25.0	18

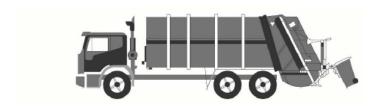
<sup>\*</sup> The maximum reach of a side arm is 3 m.

Sources: JJ Richards, SUEZ, MacDonald Johnson, Cleanaway, Garwood, Ros Roca, Bingo and Edbro. Figures shown represent the maximum dimensions for each vehicle type.



#### Rear-loading collection vehicles

These vehicles are commonly used for domestic waste collections from MUDs and RFBs and sometimes for recycling. They can be used to collect waste stored in mobile bins or bulk bins, particularly where bins are not presented at the kerbside. They are also used for collecting bulky waste.



Rear-loading waste collection vehicle

# Side-loading collection vehicles

This is the most commonly used vehicle for domestic waste, recycling and organics collections. It is only suitable for collecting mobile bins up to 360L in capacity.



Side-loading waste collection vehicle

#### Front-lift-loading collection vehicles

These vehicles are commonly used for collecting commercial and industrial waste. They can only collect specially designed front-lift bulk bins and not mobile bins.



Front-lift-loading waste collection vehicle

#### Small collection vehicles

Typically, councils and their contractors operate with large collection vehicles (heavy rigid class vehicles) because they carry greater payloads and allow for more cost-effective collection services. Some councils, or their contractors, may have smaller collection vehicles in their fleet. Early discussion with the council is important to confirm this, but it should not be assumed that the council will have access to small collection vehicles.

The waste management systems and the location of the collection point should always be designed so that the council can provide the standard domestic waste service.



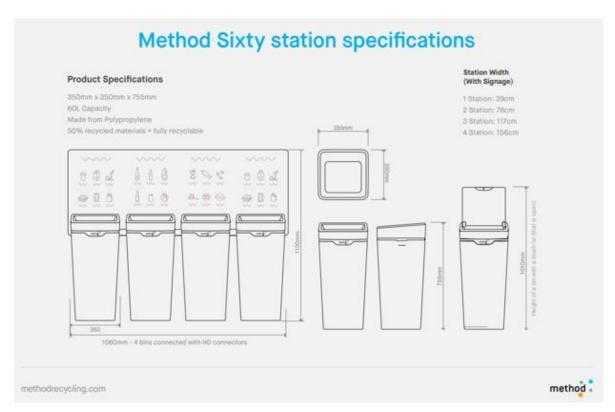
# APPENDIX B: SECONDARY WASTE MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS



## APPENDIX: B.1 EXAMPLE SOURCE SEPARATION RECEPTACLES







Source: Method Recycling - www.methodrecycling.com