



# RECYCLING GUIDE



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## Opening hours:

Maren has four manned recycling stations:

- **BRENNEVINSMYRA:** Monday, 07:30-19:00, Tuesday – Friday, 07:30-16:00
- **HEDDELAND:** Tuesday in even weeks, 14:00-18:00 (19:00 April–September)
- **VIGELAND:** Every Thursday, 14:00-18:00, and Saturday in even weeks, 10:00-14:00 from April – September

## Garbage collection

- Bins and bags must be ready for pick-up no later than 06:00 a.m. on the collection day. Bags must be tied.
- Overflowing or incorrectly sorted bins will not be emptied. Objects placed beside the bin will not be collected.
- Max pickup distance from the road to bin is 5 meters. Bins placed too far from the road will not be collected (can be ordered at extra cost in your subscription).
- Remember to remove snow and keep the area safe.

## Out of bags?

- We deliver bags for paper, plastic and food waste (every year in October).
- Extra bags for food waste: tie a bag around the bin-handle, and the renovator will leave a new roll of bags for you on your pick-up day.
- Extra paper or plastic bags can be picked up at our manned recycling stations or at the municipal service centers.
- Non-recyclable waste that you cannot place in your bin is to be delivered at our recycling stations at a fee, or you can buy labeled bags, which you can place beside your bin at the regular pick up day.

Remember – most goods are labeled how to sort (paper, plastic, food, non-recyclable). At [www.sortere.no](http://www.sortere.no) you can easily search how to sort any item.

## Food waste



Food waste, or biowaste, is waste that is organically degradable.

### YES

Leftovers – peelings – carcasses – vegetables – fruit – bread – eggshell – nutshell – coffee grounds – teabags – kitchen paper (degradeable) – small amount of flowers

### NO

Food waste with packaging – diapers – ash – cigarette butts – chewing gum – sand/soil/stone – garden waste

## Residual waste



Residual waste is what is left when you have sorted out everything possible. Items too big for your bin shall be delivered to our recycling stations.

### YES

Soiled paper and plastic – glossy giftwrapping – vacuum cleaner bags – ash (packed in bag) – cigarette butts – styrofoam – rubber – diapers and sanitary napkins – dog bags – cat litter – bandaid and bandages – worn out shoes

### NO

Recyclable waste – electronic equipment – hazardous waste

## Glass and metal packaging



Glass and metal packaging made to contain food or drinks.

Exceptions are recyclable bottles and cans that you return to grocery stores (check label for the return amount).

### YES

Soda and beer bottles not returnable to stores – canned boxes for food – lids and caps in metal – metal tubes for mayonnaise – aluminum foil – jars for jam, baby food, pasta sauce etc. – glass bottles

### NO

Drinking glass – refractory glass – pots/frying pans – lightbulbs – mirror – pottery and porcelain – spray cans – paint cans

## Cardboard and paper



Cardboard and paper can be put directly in the paperbags or paperbins. Beverage cartons (tetra packs) must be rinsed and folded. Do not put in plastic bags.

### YES

Cardboard and paper – newspapers and magazines – egg carton – pizza boxes – envelopes – beverage cartons (removal of plastic caps is not necessary)

### NO

Glossy gift paper – diapers – cardboard and paper containing leftovers from food – napkins and wipes – bake paper

## Plastic packaging



Plastic packaging made to contain and wrap food or beverages. Rinse in cold water and put it in the plastic bag delivered to you.

### YES

Plastic cans and tubs – plastic wrapping – plastic bags – plastic bottles – plastic tubes

### NO

Bags made from both paper and plastic – styrofoam – greasy plastic packaging – plastic cans which have contained hazardous waste – foam – toothbrush – firewood bags – strapping – toys – garden hoses – tarpaulin – garden furniture

## Other and hazardous waste



To be delivered directly to one of our recycling stations:  
wood and garden waste – pottery – textile and shoes for reuse – electronic appliances – furniture – windows – marine waste – car tires

**Hazardous waste can be delivered for free to our recycling stations:**

Paint – oil – varnish – frying oil – lightbulbs – car battery – spray cans – fluorescent lights – electronic appliances – batteries