

Welcome to your **NEW** recycling collection



Changes are coming in October 2026

From **October** 2026 you will be able to recycle more items in your green boxes at the kerbside:

- Glass bottles and jars
- Plastic pots, tubs and trays
- Juice cartons (Tetra Pak)
- Toothpaste and food tubes
- Foil trays

Your collections for both black bin waste and recycling remain unchanged.



How your household recycling service works

To find out which week your red and green boxes are collected you can go to the webpage below or scan the QR code



Red Recycling Box

Paper and card will be collected from your red box on one week.



Green Recycling Box

Glass bottles & jars, pots, tubs, trays, tins, cans, plastic bottles, juice and Tetra Pak cartons, foil trays, metal and plastic tubes will be collected from your green box.



Food Waste Caddies

You have two caddies for your food waste. The small caddy is for use in your kitchen and the larger food caddy is for you to keep outside for collection.

What goes in your food waste caddy



Meat, bones,
fat and gristle



Bread, cakes
and pastries



Teabags and
coffee grounds



Rice, pasta, beans
and cereal



All cooked and
uncooked food waste



Fruit, vegetables,
salads and peelings

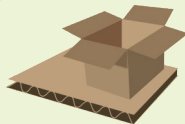


Dairy products
including eggs and
their shells



Fish

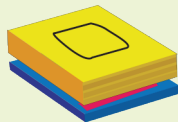
What goes in your red box



Corrugated
cardboard



Mixed paper
including junk mail



Telephone
directories and
shopping catalogues



Cardboard such
as cereal boxes
and egg cartons



Newspaper and
magazines



File and plain paper

What goes in your green box



Aerosol cans



Juice cartons
(Tetra Pak)



Plastic bottles



Pots, tubs, and trays



Food and drink cans



Foil trays



Glass bottles & jars



Toothpaste
and food tubes

Other kerbside collection services

Textile collection service

Working in conjunction with Essex Textiles we also offer a kerbside textile collection service.

Items that can be collected in the blue bags include:

- ✓ Clothes
- ✓ Curtains
- ✓ Shoes
- ✓ Handbags
- ✓ Belts
- ✓ Hats
- ✓ Bedding
- ✓ Towels



Must be clean & reusable

For more information
and to order some free bags visit
www.essextextiles.co.uk/tendring

Items that can not be collected include:

- X Carpets
- X Duvets
- X Pillows
- X Quilts
- X Rugs
- X Soiled, wet & unusable items
- X Rags



Garden waste service

Our popular garden waste subscription service is available to homes across the Tendring district.

The 240 litre brown wheeled bin will be emptied fortnightly, 25 times a year.

You can recycle all your green garden waste at home:

- Grass cuttings
- Hedge trimmings
- Leaves, Twigs & small branches
- Weeds
- Plants and flowers



For more information and to sign up to the service visit
tendringdc.gov.uk/departments/garden-waste



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Recycling centres & reuse services

Tendring benefits from having four Recycling Centres for Household Waste, operated by Essex County Council, throughout the district. These are located at:

- Rush Green Road, Clacton, CO16 7BL
- Malting Lane, Kirby-le-Soken, CO13 0EH
- Greensmill, Lawford, CO11 1UW
- West End Lane, Dovercourt, CO12 3SF

These centres accept a variety of waste materials and recyclables. For opening times and to find out more go to **www.loveessex.org**

If you wish to dispose of bulky waste items, a chargeable service is also provided by Veolia. For enquiries and to book the service please contact Veolia on 01255 431620.

Help to reduce bulky reusable items going to waste. If your item is in good condition whether it's a chair, sofa, bed, wardrobe, dinning table and chairs or a chest of drawers.

Tendring Furniture scheme offers a free collection service for suitable items.

Visit their showroom or telephone 01255 476068 for more information.

**The Tendring Furniture Scheme
Rocket House
43 Stephenson Road Clacton on Sea**

