

Recycling for Businesses

Please ensure that all members of staff are aware of the products that can be recycled, and also those items considered non-recyclable. Failure to follow these guidelines may see your recycling contract terminated and an invoice raised to cover the cost of disposal to the Council. Please remember – contaminated recycling will not be treated as recyclable and will be disposed of with the general waste.

PUT THESE IN YOUR RECYCLING CONTAINER OR ORANGE SACK



Paper, cardboard and envelopes (unshredded)



Glass bottles and jars (no lids)



Food and drink cartons



Plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays (no lids)



Tins, cans and empty aerosols

For special items like printer cartridges, batteries and fluorescent tube lights, please refer to our website or check with your products supplier.

KEEP EVERYTHING ELSE OUT



Food waste



Disposable cups and cutlery e.g. plastic, paper, wooden



Sweet and crisp packets



Protective packaging e.g. bubble wrap, polystyrene



Plastic bags and other packaging



Shredded paper and card

The revised EU Waste Framework Directive sets out five steps for dealing with waste defined as the Waste Hierarchy: prevention, preparing for re-use, recycling, other recovery and disposal. For more information and guidance on what you can recycle and the Waste Hierarchy visit our website www.rbkc.gov.uk/commercialwaste. Alternatively call us on **020 7341 5106** or send an email to commercial.waste@rbkc.gov.uk.

