

2026–2027 Waste Charges

FACTSHEET 2 | COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL OPERATORS

GENERAL WASTE	CAR	CAR AND TRAILER	TRAILER ONLY	VAN OR UTILITY	VAN OR UTILITY AND TRAILER	LIGHT COMMERCIAL VEHICLE < 4.5GVM	PER TONNE CENTRAL FACILITY ONLY
Commercial (*inc. Waste levy)	\$21.00*	\$100.00*	\$80.00*	\$80.00*	\$160.00*	\$301.00*	\$391.00*

GREEN WASTE DISPOSAL	CAR	CAR AND TRAILER	TRAILER ONLY	VAN OR UTILITY	VAN OR UTILITY AND TRAILER	LIGHT COMMERCIAL VEHICLE < 4.5GVM	PER TONNE CENTRAL FACILITY ONLY
Commercial	\$15.00	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$40.00	\$59.00	\$157.00

PLEASE NOTE: All Commercial disposal at Central Landfill is Per Tonne ONLY

TYRE RECYCLING (ALL CHARGES PER TYRE)	CAR/MOTORCYCLE	LIGHT TRUCK/4WD	TRUCK	OTHER TYRES
Charges From	\$8.00	\$18.00	\$42.00	POA

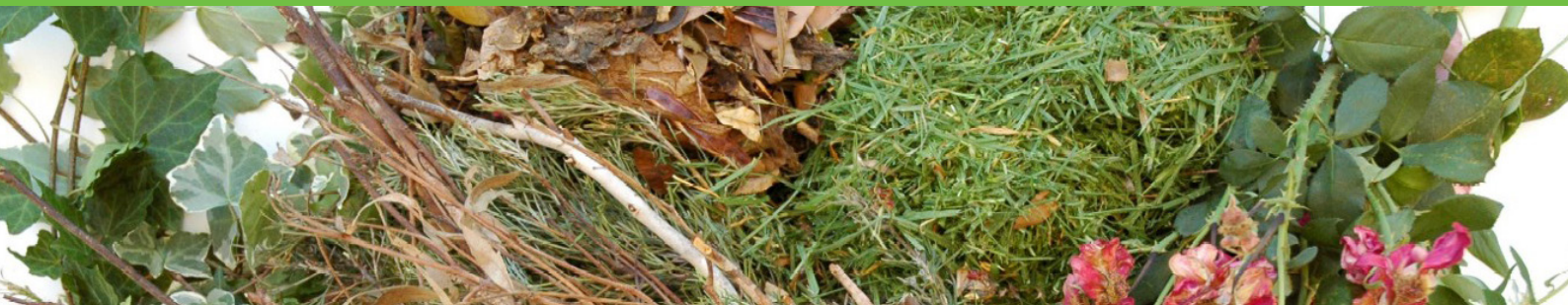
CONCRETE	PER TONNE	\$70.00
CLEAN EARTH (ON APPLICATION WITH COUNCIL)	PER TONNE	\$218.00
SPECIAL BURIAL (Dead Animal)	PER TONNE	\$424.00
REFRIGERATION & FREEZER DEGASSING	PER UNIT	\$18.00
AIR CONDITIONING DEGASSING	PER UNIT	\$24.00

FREE RECYCLING

Steel, metals, vehicle batteries, oil (<25ltr), DrumMuster (plastic drums), E-waste, paint, paper/cardboard, glass, hard plastics, mobile phones. Not all recycling is available at all sites. Please see our website or call Council on **5540 5111** to check recycling for each facility.

NOTES - WASTE MANAGEMENT CHARGES

- Receipt of all waste is subject to both Council and Dept. of Environment and Science acceptance criteria and licence conditions.
- Commercial waste of 2 cubic metres or more, or any vehicle with a GVM of 4.5 tonnes or more must only dispose at Central Landfill. Tree stumps will only be accepted at Central Landfill.
- Council reserves the right to refuse to accept waste at any of its facilities, or direct waste to be taken to a designated facility, or to request that recyclable materials are separated from general waste or to request that the waste is presented in an acceptable manner for disposal e.g. bagged or wrapped.
- Regulated waste types and dead animals can only be disposed of at Central Landfill. Any other waste type requiring a non-typical disposal method will be charged at the Regulated Waste tonnage rate. Acceptance and charges will be assessed on a case by case basis. Small dead animals may be disposed of at Central landfill as general waste if they are sealed in double-wrapped, strong plastic bags.
- Fees must be paid prior to disposing of any waste.
- A receipt will be issued for all transactions requiring payment.
- It is a condition of entry to Council's waste facilities that users will abide by the above criteria and obey all directions of Council's waste facility staff.
- Waste types are determined by the Waste Services Officer upon inspection.
- Co-mingled recycling disposal in commercial quantities should be pre-arranged with Council prior to disposal. Charges will be discretionary and determined in accordance with disposal locations.
- SRRC Resident are those that reside within Councils designated region and can show proof of residency at the time of disposal. Without proof of residency, non-resident and commercial charges will apply.
- For disposal of weighed items, if the weighbridge is not operational, fees and charges will be determined on deeming weights per vehicle as per the Waste Reduction and Recycling (Waste Levy) Amendment Regulation 2019.
- State Government and Council approved waste fee and waste levy exemptions will only apply when relevant certificates are presented at waste facilities
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- All non resident, non levy zone, commercial and residents >4.5t GVM/GCM presented at Central Landfill, must be weighed using the weighbridge, unless the weighbridge is out of ordered, the default fees for all sites will be charged.



What is a commercial/ industrial source?

Any waste from business activities that are carried out for fee or reward, for example hotel, motel, caravan park, café, food store, school, childcare centre, showground, racecourse, an office, shop, construction/demolition business, manufacturing, food processing, motor vehicle repairs, garden/property maintenance, rural industries, commercial farms etc.

What is General Waste from commercial/industrial sources?

Solid waste generated from commercial/industrial business activities, including food scraps, plastics, fabrics, fiberglass, plasterboard, carpet, furniture, tiles, appliances, domestic waste (including cleanup/ renovation waste) collected and transported by a commercial operator, or other waste items that are not identified separately in Council's disposal charges.

At Central landfill, charges are by the tonne where listed, however Council reserves the right to charge by the cubic metre for large bulky items of little weight e.g. foam, polystyrene, wool, clothing.

NOTE: Large, bulky or heavy loads of waste or large loads of green waste will not be accepted at Council's transfer stations. These loads must be taken to Central Landfill.

SEPARATE AND SAVE

Council encourages businesses to separate recyclable items from their general waste for recycling. To find out what can and can't be recycled, visit [Council's Recycle Right webpage](#) for more information on what can be recycled at your local waste facility. The more you separate your recyclables, the lower waste disposal fee you pay! Most recyclables are free.

What is Green Waste?

This includes:

- grass cuttings and garden clippings
- bushes, shrubs
- tree branches, stumps, trunks or root balls (less than 40cm diameter)

HINT: Please separate your green waste items from other wastes so they can be stockpiled separately and mulched.

Tree Stumps

Tree branches, stumps, trunks or tree root balls greater than 40cm diameter will only be accepted for disposal at Central Landfill. These need to be placed separately to the green waste and will be charged as general waste. Please see the weighbridge officer.

Clean Earth

What is clean earth? — Clean earth means natural material such as clay, gravel, sand, soil and rock that is not contaminated with waste or a hazardous contaminant. If earth contains or is mixed with waste, including concrete, bricks or other types of waste it does not meet the definition of clean earth and additional charges may apply.

SITE RULES FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY

To ensure everyone's health and safety, Council reminds you of the general rules that apply when you use our waste facilities:

- Follow directions of site staff at all times including requests for inspection of loads.
- Obey all signs including speed limits and be alert for other vehicles and pedestrians on site.
- Always wear covered footwear.
- No smoking on-site.
- Children under 16 and animals should remain inside vehicles at all times.
- Cover or restrain all loads while traveling to and from the facility.
- Do not scavenge from the site, including from waste bins, tip face or scrap metal piles.

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More information and resources are available at: www.scenicrim.qld.gov.au/Council-Services/Waste-and-Resource-Recovery