# Flats Recycling



Please place all recycling and waste into the bins provided. We are unable to collect waste left on the floor of the communal bin area. This may result in bins not being collected if it blocks safe access.

Please advise your management agent if the bins are regularly overflowing before collection day and request they contact us for a bin review.

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Recycling bins are provided to reduce waste sent to landfill. Landfill costs over £100 per tonne, recycling is free.

Please use the general waste bin for non-recyclable items only.

## Plastic bottles, pots, tubs, trays, metal cans, aerosols and foil



household plastic packaging



household metal packaging

- ✓ plastic bottles
- yogurt pots
- margarine and ice cream tubs
- √ foil and foil trays

- meat trays and fruit punnets
- ✓ food/drink cans and tins
- ✓ aerosols

#### No thanks

- crisp packets
- carrier bags

- × cling film
- soft plastic wrapping
- polystyrene

Under section 46, Environmental Protection Act, 1990 North Somerset Council can refuse to collect incorrectly presented recycling and waste.

#### Paper, cardboard and cartons



mixed paper & card

cartons

- newspapers
- ✓ magazines
- ✓ envelopes
- ✓ brochures
- ✓ catalogues

- ✓ junk mail
- ✓ telephone directories
- ✓ cardboard
- ✓ drinks cartons
- ✓ tetrapak

#### No thanks

- \* takeaway pizza boxes \* paper hand towels,
- x paper hand towels, tissues and kitchen roll

#### Glass bottles and jars of any colour



mixed glass bottles & jars

✓ glass bottles

✓ glass jars

#### No thanks

Pyrex dishes

- broken glass
- drinking glasses

### What should I do with recycling?

- Flatten large cardboard boxes
- Rinse and squash bottles, cans, pots or trays before recycling
- Empty carrier bags of recycling into the bins and reuse the bags
- Put the correct items in each bin. Bins with incorrect items in may not be emptied and could result in a charge to get the bins emptied.

### Moving or having a clear out?

Furniture, electrical items and excess waste should be taken to a Household Waste Recycling Centre.

We will not clear these, they may stop us from collecting your bins and the cost to clear may be added to your service

If you would like a bulky waste collection, please contact us. We will pass your details on to Changing Lives, a local charity who run the service.

charge by your Managing Agent.





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