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CUZ is an acronym for
Clean Up Zushi.

How to dispose of garbage and recyclable items in Zushi City

As of October 1, 2015, a fee will be charged for household waste collection, and items of waste to be sorted will be changed.

* Put burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage separately in designated collection bags for disposal.

Collection days in your district

* Check collection days in your district according to the garbage collection calendar and write them down.

Garbage will be collected on holidays as well (except for the year-end and New Year holidays).

Designated collection bag

Burnable garbage

Every

and (day of the week)

Non-burnable garbage

PET bottles

Every

(day of the week)

Plastic containers and packaging

Every

Wednesday

Glass bottles

On the

and

Wednesday

Leaves, grass, gardening waste

First, third, and fifth

(day of the week)

Hazardous waste

Small appliances

Second and forth

(day of the week)

Group resource collection

Paper
(5 items)

Fabrics

Aluminum cans

Steel cans

Household metal

(day of the week)

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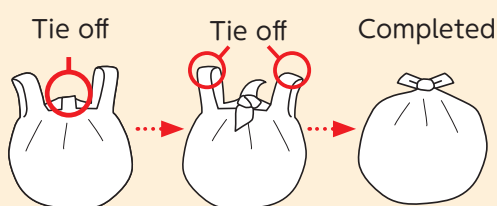
Rules of waste disposal at garbage collection spots

- Be sure to properly sort garbage and put it out to the designated garbage collection spot by 8:30 in the morning on collection days.
- Be sure to use designated fee-charged bags to dispose of burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage. (From October 1, 2015)
- To dispose of recyclable items other than burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage, use transparent or semi-transparent bags (up to 45L) through which the contents can be seen, and sort those recyclable items according to type.
- Any waste disposed of against the waste sorting rules will not be collected.
- Up to three bags (up to 45L each) of waste are acceptable at a time for one household's output. If the number of bags is four or more, ask to collect the waste as bulky waste or directly drop them off at the Environment Clean Center.
- A large amount of waste to be disposed of on a temporary basis due to moving, big cleanups, or pruning of garden trees is not accepted at garbage collection spots. Contact the Environment Clean Center beforehand.
- Waste from businesses is not accepted at garbage collection spots. Business operators that are allowed to dispose of a small amount of waste by using designated collection bags must put the name on the bags. However, industrial waste is not accepted.
- Garbage collection spots in the City are to be managed and maintained by the people who use it. Avoid disposing of waste at undesignated garbage collection spots because it would annoy people residing in that district. Be responsible for waste disposal and cooperate with each other to maintain clean and pleasant living environment.

How to use a collection bag

Securely tie the top of the bag so that whole waste is securely kept inside the bag. If the bag is loosely tied, waste could spill out or be scattered, making the surrounding area dirty and annoying people in the neighborhood.

How to tie off a typical plastic bag from stores



How to tie off a plastic bag with a flat top, one without carrying strap-handles

Fold the top of a bag two or three times, hold both ends, and tie those off.



Example of an inappropriate way

Waste spills out.

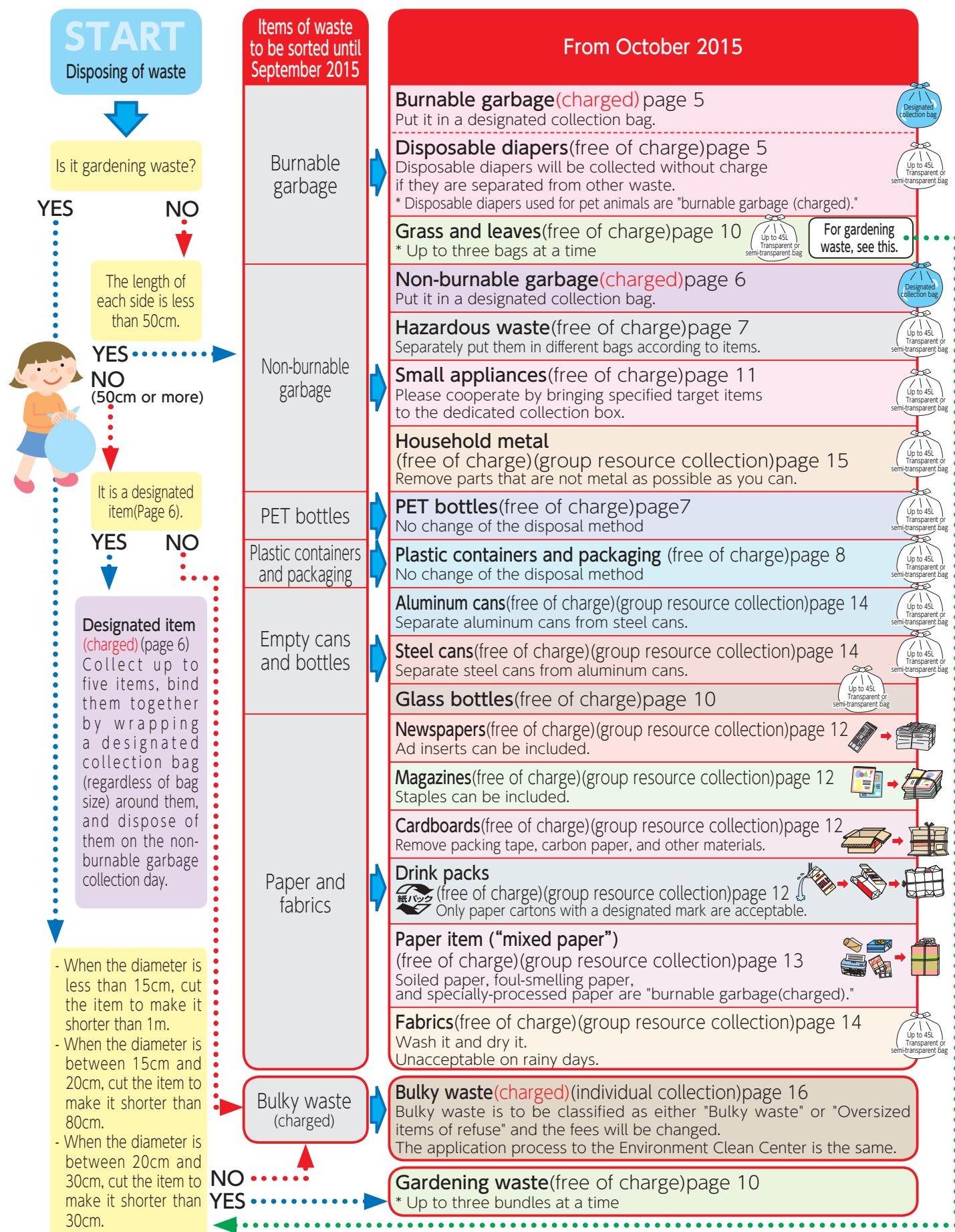


Be sure to follow the rules of sorting waste and disposing of it.

Zushi City investigates the contents of waste that is against the rules and gives guidance about it as necessary.

As the result of an amendment made to an ordinance in September 2014, the City newly prescribed the provisions regarding the improvement recommendation for dealing with violators and the measures for publication of the recommendations.

Process of disposing of garbage and recyclable items



- Products (personal computers, air conditioners, televisions, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, and cloth dryers) which have been made recycling obligatory by laws are not collected.
- Waste collected by voluntary cleanup activities is collected free of charge. See page 4.

Household waste collection fee will be charged starting in October 2015

Reduction of garbage and promotion of recycling

If each person becomes more conscientious about reducing garbage and sorting it, discharge of garbage could be suppressed and the sorting of recyclable items is expected to progress.

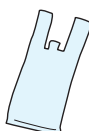


Garbage was reduced as the result of sorting it.

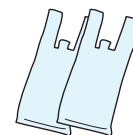
The goal is to reduce burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage by 20%!

Burden of expense becomes fair according to the amount of garbage disposed of (beneficiary liability).

A household that disposes of a bag of garbage pays a garbage collection fee priced at one collection bag.



A household that discharges two bags of garbage pays a garbage collection fee priced at two collection bags.



As the result of reviewing items of waste to be sorted, if garbage is properly sorted, the amount can be reduced and the burden of payment can also be reduced.

"Leaves, grass, gardening waste," "Hazardous waste," "Small appliances" and "Household metal" will be added to the collection. They will be collected free of charge.

Leaves, grass, gardening waste



Hazardous waste



small appliances

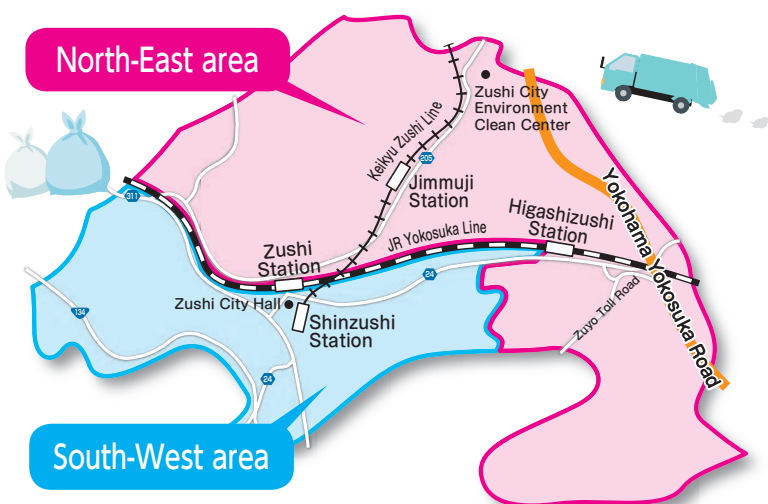


Household metal



Garbage is collected according to two areas of the City.

In addition to the items of waste that are being collected, "Leaves, grass, gardening waste," "Hazardous waste" and "Small appliances" will be added to the collection. Therefore, by considering the number of households and the number of garbage collection spots, the City is divided into two areas for the collection of garbage.



Area	Name of district
North-East area	Hisagi 1-chome to 3-chome, Hisagi 5-chome to 9-chome, Sakurayama 4-chome 14 to 16, Sakurayama 5-chome 5 to 19, entire Numama district, entire Ikego district, and entire Yamanone district
South-West area	Hisagi 4-chome, Sakurayama 1-chome to 3-chome, Sakurayama 4-chome 1 to 13, Sakurayama 5-chome 1 to 4, 20 to 46, and 525 to 526, Sakurayama 6-chome to 9-chome, entire Zushi district, entire Kotsubo district, and entire Shinjuku district

The City is divided into two areas north and south with the JR Yokosuka Line as an axis: "North-East area" that includes a part of Sakurayama 4-chome and 5-chome, and Numama 1-chome, 3-chome and 5-chome; and "South-West area" that includes other districts.

Items of garbage to be collected are different according to the district, the week, and the day of the week.

The same garbage items are being collected on the same day throughout the entire City. However, since the number of garbage items to be collected has increased due to the addition of new items to be sorted, garbage collection days are to be changed. Refer to the "Garbage collection calendar" which will be distributed to each household.

* Collection days for group resource collection are different depending on neighborhood associations, and those days are not listed in the "Garbage collection calendar" distributed by the City. Write down your district's collection days in the column provided on the calendar.







Disposal fee will be charged for burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage.

Use designated fee-charged bags to dispose of burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage, and put it out on the appropriate collection day.

The designated collection bag can be used for burnable garbage and non-burnable garbage.

Size and price of the designated collection bag * Consumption tax will not be imposed.

Bag size	5L-bag (mini)	10L-bag (small)	20L-bag (medium)	40L-bag (large)
Price (A set of 10 bags)	100 yen	200 yen	400円	800 yen
Price per piece (2 yen per L)	10 yen	20 yen	40円	80 yen
The 5L-bag, 10L-bag, and 20L-bag are typical plastic bags from stores, and the 40L-bag is a square flat bag without carrying strap-handles.				

Recyclable items are collected free of charge as before.

Use transparent or semi-transparent bags (up to 45L) for recyclable items. Do not use designated collection bags.

Designated collection bags will be sold at the designated stores from September 1, 2015.

- Designated collection bags are sold as a set of 10 bags.



Outer package

- The sticker and banner serve as indicators for the stores that sell the designated collection bags. See the list of stores that sell the designated collection bags on pages 17 to 18 (stores with the ● mark).

Sticker



Banner



Exemption system

Garbage collection fee should basically be paid equally by all people according to the amount of garbage disposed of. However, the households that meet the following requirements can receive up to 120 20L-designated collection bags (60 20L-bags or 120 10L-bags for single household) free of charge annually (from October to September of the following year). For the application method, etc., contact the Resources Recycling Division.

- Households on welfare
- Residential tax-exempt households in which there is a person who receives Physical Disability Certificate (Class 1 or Class 2)
- Residential tax-exempt households in which there is a person who receives Mental Disability Certificate (Class 1)
- Residential tax-exempt households in which there is a person who receives Rehabilitation Certificate (A1 or A2)
- Households which receive Child Rearing Allowance
- Households which receive Special Child Rearing Allowance

* Even if more than one requirement has been satisfied per household, additional designated collection bags will not be provided.

Waste collected by voluntary cleanup activities

Free of charge

Waste generated as the result of community's cleanup or the voluntary cleanup activities of public areas, such as roads, garbage collection spots etc., is collected free of charge. By advance application, the necessary number of "collection bags for voluntary cleanup activities" will be distributed.

The available size of those bags is two types: 40L and 20L.

For the application method, contact the Resources Recycling Division.

Way of disposal

- Sort generated waste according to types of waste and put it out on the appropriate collection days.
- Do not mix waste collected by voluntary cleanup activities with household waste.
- On occasions, such as simultaneous big cleanups in the community which result in generating a large amount of waste, notify in advance the Environment Clean Center as to the date of the cleanup and location.
- Location of garbage disposal must be a garbage collection spot.



Burnable garbage

Twice a week

Charged

- Put the waste in a designated collection bag and put it out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days.
(Garbage is collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays)
- Drain off the water from raw garbage, put the garbage in a collection bag, and **securely tie off the top** of the bag.

* Other than the designated items listed on page 6, any item having one side that measures 50cm or more is considered to be a bulky waste. For the way to dispose of waste which has the longest side that measures less than 50cm but does not fit in a designated 40L-bag, see page 6.

Typical items

Raw garbage, vegetable waste
Vegetable peelings
(bamboo shoots, corncobs, etc.)



* Drain off the water.

Leather products



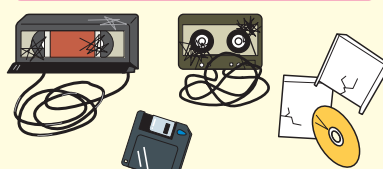
Goods made of
rubber or vinyl



* Cut hoses into pieces shorter than 1m.



Cassette and video tapes, CDs, MDs,
DVDs, vinyl records, floppy disks



* They can be collected at a designated collection base.

Drying agents, refrigerants
Disposable pocket heaters



Wet fabrics, dirty
fabrics and clothes

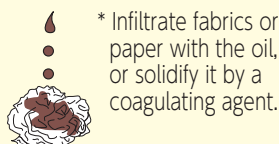


⚠ By washing and drying fabrics, they can be collected free of charge on the fabrics collection day.(page 14)

Stuffed toys,
cushions, Padded clothes

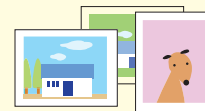


Cooking oil



* Infiltrate fabrics or paper with the oil, or solidify it by a coagulating agent.

Non-recyclable paper
like photos, tissue, etc.



* For details, see page 13.

Manufactured plastic products
(except for plastic containers and packaging)



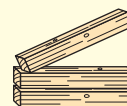
* For plastic containers and packaging, see page 8.

Manufactured grass, leaf and
wooden products such as New
Year ornaments, Christmas trees,
Christmas wreaths, etc.



⚠ They are not collected as leaves, grass, gardening waste.

Lumber, pieces of wood
(Diameter: within 3cm; length within 50cm)



* Up to three bundles at a time
* Construction and demolition waste is not collected.

Composite products made of plastic and metal, etc.



⚠ An item that consists of more metal than plastic is classified as non-burnable garbage or household metal.

Disposable diapers for pet animals, sheets for pet animals

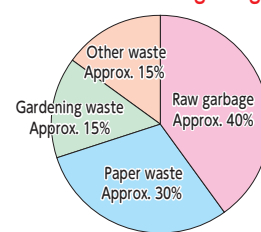


⚠ They are not collected as disposable diapers which are collected free of charge.

If we try to reduce the amount of raw garbage and become willing to sort paper waste, the amount of burnable garbage will be significantly reduced. For the sorting of paper waste, see pages 12 and 13.

By sorting leaves, grass, gardening waste as recyclable items, those items can be collected free of charge from October 2015 (for details, see page 10).

Items of burnable garbage



* These are the data before revisions take effect in October 2015.



Disposable diapers are collected free of charge.

To support child rearing households and households who have a member in need of nursing care, disposable diapers are collected without using designated collection bags.

Item	Way of disposal	Note of caution
Disposable diapers Incontinence pads Those that were used in general households	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Remove bodily waste, and put disposable diapers only in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) for disposal. ● Diapers for children or adults are regarded as the same for disposal. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do not combine other garbage in the same bag that contains disposable diapers. ● If garbage and disposable diapers are contained in the same garbage bag, it will not be collected. ● Use a designated collection bag to dispose of disposable diapers for pet animals. ● Disposable diapers disposed of by hospitals and care facilities are considered to be waste from businesses.

Non-burnable garbage

Once a week

Charged

- Put the waste in a designated collection bag and put it out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days.
(Garbage is collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).

Typical items

China ware



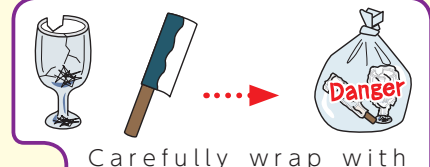
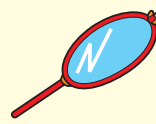
Glass tableware, glass containers



Dirty bottles and cans



Mirrors, sheet glass

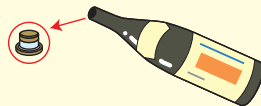


Carefully wrap with paper broken china ware, glassware, or sharp metal objects like a knife, put it in a designated collection bag, and be sure to write "Danger" on the bag.

Small pieces of metal
(screws, clips, etc.)



Bottles or beverage cans' metal caps having
a plastic liner on the back side



Filament bulbs, LED bulbs



* A home electric appliance having the longest side that measures less than 50cm is collected free of charge on the collection day for "small appliances".(page 11)

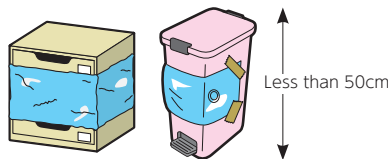
When an item does not fit in a designated collection bag

When an item of burnable garbage or non-burnable garbage is too big to fit the designated collection bag, follow the disposal method described below.

⚠ An item having one side that measures 50cm or more is considered to be a bulky waste.(page 16)

Way of disposal

- Clearly indicate the item by attaching a 40L-designated bag on top of the item.
- Put the item out on the collection day for non-burnable garbage.



Note of caution

- Do not combine it with other garbage.
- Empty containers, such as buckets, garbage boxes, etc., before disposing of them.
- If a bag other than the 40L-designated bag is attached, the garbage will not be collected.

Designated items

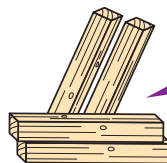
Items designated below, even those longer than 50cm, are collected on the collection days for non-burnable garbage instead of the collection days for bulky waste.

Way of disposal	Item	Note of caution
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collect up to five items, bind them together by wrapping a designated collection bag (regardless of bag size) around them, and put them out for disposal. 	Umbrellas, sticks, brooms, mops, scrubbing brushes, shovels, gardening support rods, stretching rods, floor cleaning wipers, carpet rollers, fishing rods, bamboo swords, wooden swords, tennis or badminton rackets, baseball bats, Japanese croquet sticks, ski poles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only designated items are accepted. Up to five items can be disposed of by combining two or more different types of items. If the waste items can fit in a designated collection bag by folding or bending them, those items can be disposed of together with other garbage. By removing fabrics and vinyl from umbrellas, umbrellas are collected free of charge as household metal (see page 15). Dispose of fabrics and vinyl removed from umbrellas as burnable garbage.

Lumber, pieces of wood

Up to three bundles (bags) of wooden items are collected at the same time per household. Cut them into a size within the designated thickness and length, tie them together with a string, wrap a designated collection bag (regardless of bag size) around them, and put them out for disposal.

* Construction and demolition waste is not collected.



- When the diameter is between 3cm and 15cm, cut the item into pieces shorter than 1m.
- When the diameter is between 15cm and 20cm, cut the item into pieces shorter than 80cm.
- When the diameter is between 20cm and 30cm, cut the item into pieces shorter than 30cm.

Hazardous waste

Every other week

Free of charge

- Put the waste out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days.
(Garbage is collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).

This kind of waste is very dangerous when combined with non-burnable garbage. Please cooperate by sorting these items.

Spray cans,
cassette gas cylinders



- Empty the container and puncture it by using a safe, appropriate device at a safe location.

Fluorescent tubes, bulb-type fluorescent lamps



- Filament bulbs and LED bulbs are considered to be non-burnable garbage.

Dry-cell batteries
(alkaline, manganese)



- Bring button batteries and small rechargeable batteries to the shops that collect recyclable items.

Mercurial
thermometers



Lighters



- Empty it before disposing of it.

- Be sure to use a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) through which the contents can be seen. Sort those waste items according to type, and use one bag for each type of waste items.
- Wrap paper around a fluorescent tube that does not fit in the bag. Be sure to write "Danger" on the paper.
- Fluorescent tubes, bulb-type fluorescent lamps, dry-cell batteries, small rechargeable batteries, and mercurial thermometers are also collected at a designated collection base.

Hazardous waste

PET bottles

Once a week

Free of charge

- Put the PET bottles in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put them out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days.
(Garbage is collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).



This mark is an indicator for sorting!

Only PET bottles marked with  are collected.

Those are containers that were used to contain beverage, alcoholic beverage, soy sauce, processed soy sauce products, sweet cooking rice wine type products, vinegar, seasoning vinegar, and dressing-type seasoning (non-oil).

- * Plastic bottles which are not marked with  are collected on collection days for "plastic containers and packaging." Clean those bottles before disposing of them.

[1] Remove caps and labels.



Dispose of plastic caps and labels on collection days for "plastic containers and packaging."

[2] Empty the PET bottle and rinse it with water.



[3] Flatten the PET bottle by stepping on it with your foot or a similar manner.



[4] Put the PET bottles in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) through which the contents can be seen for disposal.



- * If PET bottles are dirty or still have contents in them, those PET bottles are not collected.
- * If PET bottles have been cut up or altered in some way, dispose of those PET bottles as burnable garbage.

PET bottles

Plastic containers and packaging Once a week (every Wednesday) Free of charge

- Put the waste in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put it out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days.
(Garbage is collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).



This mark is an indicator for sorting!

Only items marked with are collected as "plastic containers and packaging."

Some items have the mark at a location other than on the main body.



Description

A "container" is an item that holds a product in it, and "packaging" is an item that is used to package a product. "Plastic containers and packaging" are those that are no longer necessary after the contents have been taken out or used.

* Business operators pay recycle fees for plastic containers and packaging by affixing an identification mark that indicates they are plastic. (Some nets that contain fruits, styrofoam packaging materials, and plastic wraps used to package groceries may not have that mark due to their shapes, etc.)

Typical items

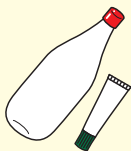
! Carefully remove stains and dirt before disposing of these items.

Plastic bottles for detergent, shampoo, etc.



! Empty the bottle and remove the cap.

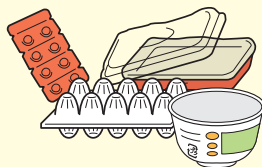
Tubes



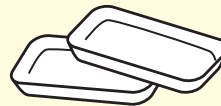
If dirt and stains cannot be removed, dispose of it as burnable garbage.

! Be sure to remove the cap.

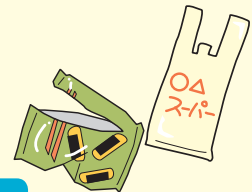
Plastic egg cartons, containers for instant foods



Trays for foods (tray-type containers)

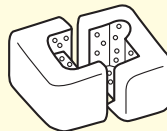
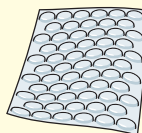


Plastic bags from stores, bags and plastic wraps that packaged products



Cushioning materials

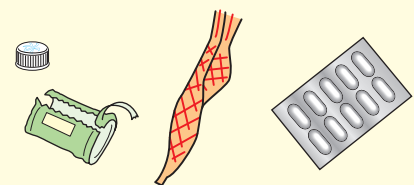
Styrofoam that contained fruits or home electric appliances



* If the item is large, cut it into pieces so that it fits in the bag (up to 45L).

Other items

Labels attached to PET bottles, plastic caps, nets that packaged fruits, etc., and pill-type medication packaging.



Caution Items that are not collected as "plastic containers and packaging" .

Manufactured products or those used as tools

* The mark is not attached.

Buckets, flowerpots, airtight containers, storage bags, toys, pens, sponges, straws, plastic spoons and forks, tooth brushes, CD and DVDs, etc.



Dispose of them as **burnable garbage**.

* CDs and DVDs are considered to be recyclable items and collected at a designated collection base free of charge.

Plastic bottles with the mark attached

Containers that were used to contain beverage, alcoholic beverage, soy sauce, processed soy sauce products, sweet cooking rice wine type products, vinegar, seasoning vinegar, and dressing-type seasoning (non-oil)



Dispose of them as **PET bottles**.

Items that are not acceptable even if the mark is attached.

Dirt or stains cannot be removed.

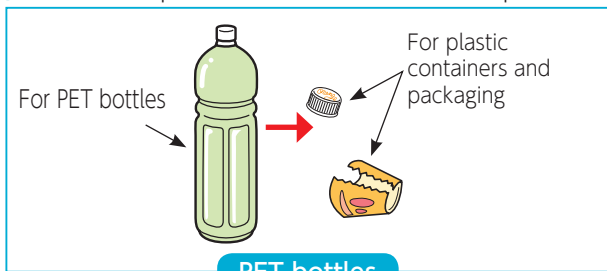
Bags used for home health aid (transfusion bags, urine collection bags, CAPD, nutritional supplement bags, etc.)

* When disposal instructions are indicated by medical institutions, take the item to a medical institution.

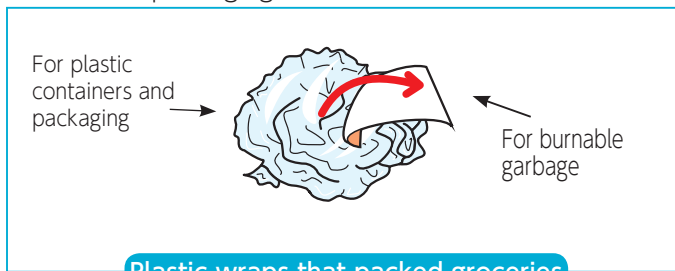
Dispose of them as **burnable garbage**.

Way of disposal of plastic containers and packaging

① Remove caps, labels, and stickers from plastic containers and packaging.

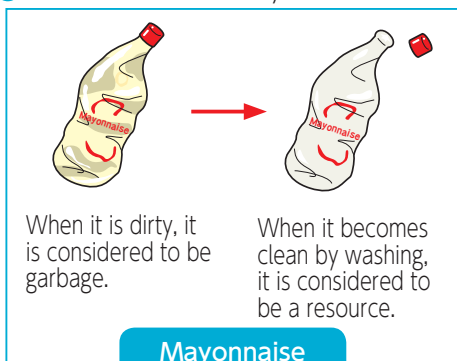


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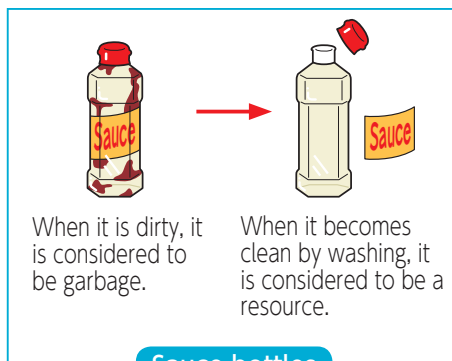


Plastic wraps that packed groceries

② Wash it and carefully remove dirt and stains.



Mayonnaise containers



Sauce bottles



- Wash it and carefully remove dirt and stains before disposing of it.
- Be sure to remove caps and lids.
- If it is difficult to remove labels or stickers, leave them attached.

③ Put the waste in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put it out for disposal.

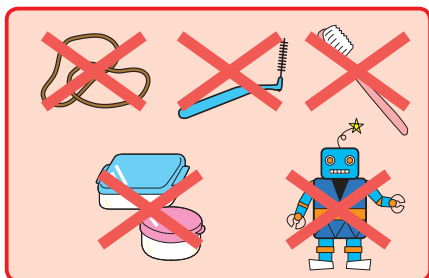


Do not double bag to put a bag within a bag.

Bag opening machines at the disposal facility in the Environment Clean Center are used to inspect items in disposal bags. If two bags are used together, those bags cannot be opened by machines, thereby inhibiting the recycling process. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

Many cases of violating plastic containers and packaging disposal rules have occurred.

Upon inspection, a considerable amount of plastic containers and packaging disposed of at garbage collection spots has been considered in violation according to disposal regulations. If inappropriate items are combined together, recycling operations are inhibited. Be sure to follow the disposal rules.



Rubber bands, tooth brushes, interdental brushes, plastic airtight containers, toy products



PET bottles



Knives, syringes, batteries
Drying agents (quicklime, etc.) that are inserted in a package of seaweed

These are all against the rules. Do not dispose of these items on the collection days for "plastic containers and packaging".

*** Knives, syringes, batteries, and drying agents (quicklime) may cause bodily injuries or fires. Do not include those items for disposal.**

Glass bottles

Every other week (Wednesday)

Free of charge

* Also collected at collection bases.

Bottles that contained alcoholic beverage, vinegar, instant coffee, soft drinks, tonic drinks, jam, bottled foods, and cosmetic products, etc.

- Put the bottles in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put them out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days. (Those bottles are collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).



● Way of disposal

- Empty the bottle, and rinse it out.
- Remove the cap.
- Wrap broken bottles with paper and clearly write "Danger" on top of it. Then, put them out as bottle waste at a garbage collection spot.

Caution

Items that will not be collected

Glass tableware, glass containers, china ware, mirrors, sheets of glass




Put them out on the "non-burnable garbage" collection days.

Fluorescent tubes, bulbs, mercurial thermometers



Put them out on the "hazardous waste" collection days.

⚠ Bottles which still have contents in them or are dirty will not be collected.

Bottles marked with  are reusable bottles that can be washed and reused repeatedly. To promote reuse, return them to the store where they were purchased.





Leaves, grass, gardening waste

Every other week

Free of charge

- Put the waste out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days. (Those waste items are collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays)

Item	Way of disposal	Note of caution
Grass, leaves 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Up to three bags at the same time per household ● Remove dirt and soil, and put the waste items in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do not put soil, stones, paper trash, gardening goods, etc. in the same bag. If items that are not grass, leaves, or tree waste are included in the same bag, it will not be collected.
Gardening waste 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Up to three bundles (bags) at the same time per household ● Cut the waste items into a size within the designated thickness and length, tie them together with a string, and put them out for disposal. - When the diameter is less than 15cm, cut the item into pieces shorter than 1m. - When the diameter is between 15cm and 20cm, cut the item into pieces shorter than 80cm. - When the diameter is between 20cm and 30cm, cut the item into pieces shorter than 30cm. * If the item is larger than the above size, it is considered to be a bulky waste. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Depending on size, boards, lumber, and wooden products are considered to be burnable garbage (page 5), non-burnable garbage (page 6), or bulky waste (page 16). ● Manufactured artificial grass, leaves and wooden products, such as New Year ornaments, Christmas trees, Christmas wreaths, etc., are considered to be burnable garbage or bulky waste depending on their size. ● When tree branches were pruned by a professional, ask the professional to dispose of the branches. ● The size of a bundle is considered to be the quantity that can be carried by one hand.

Leaves, grass, gardening waste generated as the result of voluntary cleanup activities of public areas, such as roads, parks, etc., can be collected free of charge. To do so, use collection bags distributed by the City for waste generated by voluntary cleanup activities.(page 4)

Glass bottles

Leaves, grass, gardening waste

Small appliances

Every other week

Free of charge

- Electrically- or battery-operated home electric appliances having the longest side that measures less than 50cm are considered to be small appliances and collected at the garbage collection spot.
- Put the appliances in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put them out at the designated garbage collection site **by 8:30 in the morning** on collection days. (Those items are collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).
- An appliance having the longest side that measures 50cm or more is considered to be a bulky waste.(page16)

★Specified items that can be collected in a dedicated collection box for small appliances★

Specified items are also collected in a dedicated collection box for small appliances installed at public facilities etc. To efficiently recycle specified items that contain rare metals and rare-earth elements, please cooperate by depositing specified items in a dedicated collection box.

* If a specified item is too large to fit in the slot (30cmX15cm) of the collection box, put it out at a garbage collection spot on the specified item collection day.



★List of locations where dedicated collection boxes for small appliances are installed

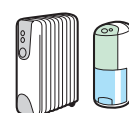
Facility	Access time
City Hall	8:30 - 17:00 (every day except for Saturday, Sunday, holiday, and the year-end and New Year holidays)
Civic Center	9:00 - 21:00 (every day except for the year-end and New Year holidays and facility closed days)
Community Center for the Numama Elementary School district	9:00 - 17:00 (every day except for the year-end and New Year holidays and facility closed days)
Zushi City Commerce and Industry Hall	8:30 - 17:15 (every day except for Saturday, Sunday, holiday, and the year-end and New Year holidays)
Zushi City Senior Center	9:00 - 17:00 (every day except for Sunday, holiday, the year-end and New Year holidays)
Zushi Arena	9:00 - 21:00 (every day except for the year-end and New Year holidays and facility closed days)
Community Center for the Kotsubo Elementary School district	9:00 - 17:00 (every day except for the year-end and New Year holidays and facility closed days)



Dedicated collection box for small appliances

Note of caution

- Once you have deposited an item in the collection box, the item cannot be returned to you.
- If personal information is included on an item, delete personal information.
- Be sure to remove batteries.
- Do not put things like bags or boxes which are not small appliances in the collection box.
- Remove bulbs from lighting equipment.
- Remove oil from oil fan heaters.
- Personal computers, air conditioners, televisions (cathode-ray tube type, liquid crystal type, plasma type), refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, and clothes dryers are not considered to be small appliances.



⚠ Regardless of the size, oil heaters and dehumidifiers are considered to be "bulky waste" because oil or refrigerant gas must be removed.

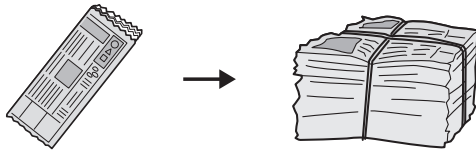
● Put out recyclable items, which are to be collected by group resource collection, at a garbage collection spot designated by the community **by 8:30 in the morning** on the collection day. (Those items are collected on holidays as well except for the year-end and New Year holidays).

⚠ At the garbage collection spot, place recyclable items separately according to the item: newspapers, magazines, cardboards, drink packs, paper item ("mixed paper"), fabrics, aluminum cans, steel cans, and household metal.

Newspapers

Free of charge

Group resource collection



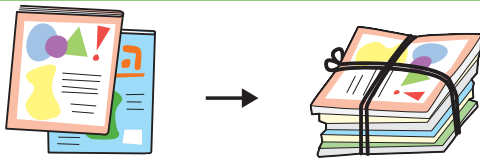
- Securely tie them by a paper string.
- Do not use a vinyl bag.
- Do not use packing tape when tying them.

* Advertisement inserts can be included.

Magazines

Free of charge

Group resource collection



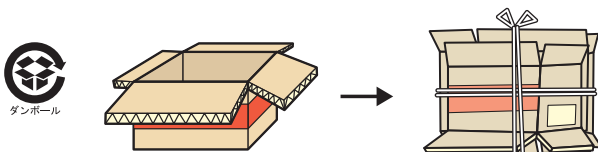
Weekly magazines, paperback books, independent books, catalogs, etc.

- Securely tie them by a paper string.
- Remove supplements made of material other than paper, for example, sample products, ironing print paper, stickers, etc.
- Staples can remain attached.

Cardboards

Free of charge

Group resource collection



- Remove packing tape, carbon paper of invoice receipts, etc. (those removed things can be disposed of as burnable garbage).
- Staples can remain attached.

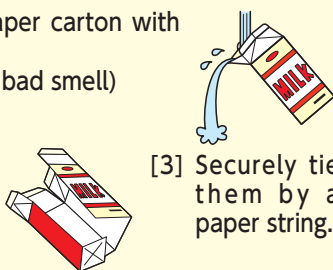
Drink packs

Free of charge

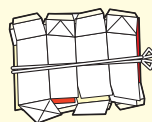
Group resource collection

[1] Rinse the paper carton with water.
(To prevent bad smell)

[2] Cut it to open flat and dry it.
(To prevent molding)



[3] Securely tie them by a paper string.



This mark is an indicator for sorting!

A roll of bathroom tissue can be made from six 1L-paper cartons.



- * Dispose of paper cartons coated with aluminum inside as burnable garbage.
- * Remove the plastic pour spout and dispose of it as plastic containers and packaging waste.
- * Small paper cartons and broken or cut paper cartons can also be recycled.

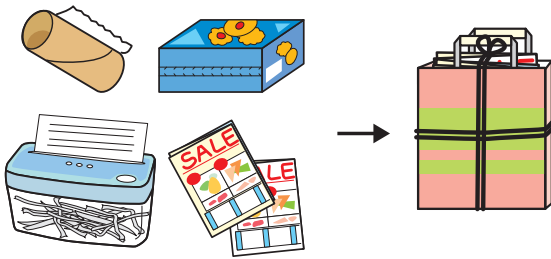
Drink packs like milk cartons marked with the mark have been made such that coating material can be easily removed in the recycling process.

⚠ Paper containers which do not have the mark, such as yogurt containers, ice cream containers, paper cups, etc., have a thick waterproof liner coating inside and the liner coating cannot be easily removed. Those items tend to generate spots after they are made into new products thereby inhibiting recycling operation. Therefore, dispose of those paper containers as burnable garbage. (The mark is attached to paper containers that are also composed of materials other than paper. Therefore, note that the mark is not an indicator for recyclable items.)

Paper item ("mixed paper")

Free of charge

Group resource collection

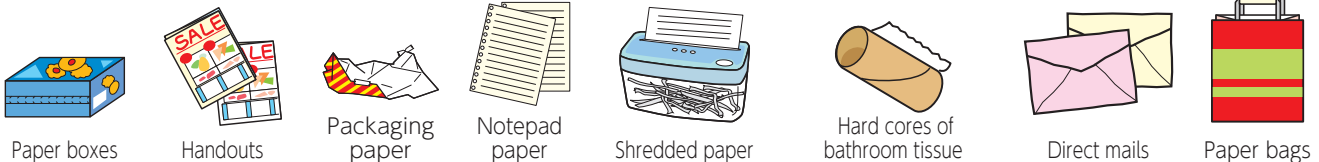


- Flatten paper boxes.
- Put the waste items in a paper bag, securely tie the top of the bag by a paper string, and put it out for disposal.
- * When you do not have a paper bag, use newspaper and make a bag for disposal.
- ⚠ Do not use packing tape or glue which would inhibit recycling operation.
- Staples can be used.**



Items accepted on the paper item collection day

Most paper can be recycled.



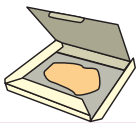
Non-reusable paper (dispose of it as burnable garbage)

⚠ Some paper products are not reusable even if the ♻ mark is attached.

[1] Soiled paper

Paper used to wrap or contain food and has become stained by oil from such food

Boxes for pizza



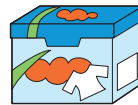
Dirty tissue



[2] Smelly paper

Paper boxes or wrapping paper that were used to contain or wrap products that have a strong odor

Detergent boxes



Boxes for soap



Boxes of incense sticks



[3] Specially manufactured paper

<Waterproof coated paper>

Yogurt cups



Ice cream cups



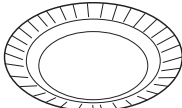
Paper cups



Containers for instant cup noodles



Paper plates

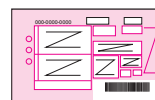


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Receipts (thermal paper)



Invoice receipts of parcel delivery service (carbon paper)



Paper cartons with aluminum liner coating



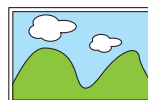
Pressure bonded postcards



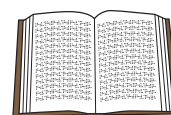
Photographic printing paper



Photo paper



Thermosensitive foamed paper (Braille printed materials etc.)

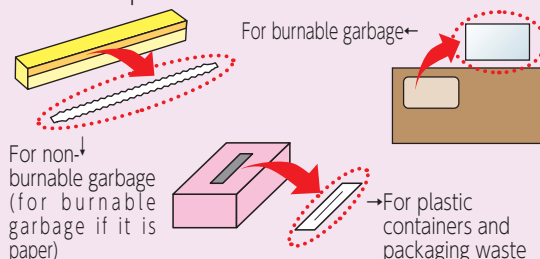


Pressure-sensitive paper



Sublimation transfer paper (printed paper)
Ironing print paper used when pictures are thermally printed on fabric, space filler for bags or shoes that uses sublimation transfer paper

Vinyl attached to tissue boxes, cellophane of window envelopes, and cutters attached to plastic wrap boxes must be removed before disposal.



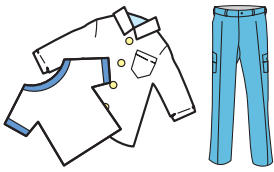
Reasons why these items are not acceptable as paper item

- Soiled or smelly paper
 - Dirt, stain or odor cannot be removed in the recycling process thereby contaminating recycled products.
- Thermal paper
 - This kind of paper reacts with heat in the recycling process thereby generating spots.
- Sublimation transfer paper (printed paper)
 - Red and blue spots will visibly stand out gradually on recycled products.
- Carbon paper, pressure-sensitive paper
 - Ink cannot easily be removed in the recycling process and spots will appear on recycled products.
- Thermosensitive foamed paper (Braille printed materials etc.)
 - This creates irregularities on the surface of recycled products.

Fabrics

Free of charge

Group resource collection



- Put the fabric waste in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put it out at a garbage collection spot designated by the community **by 8:30 in the morning** on the collection day.
- Wash dirty fabrics and dry them out before disposing of them.
- Do not dispose of them on rainy days.
(When fabrics are wet, they become moldy and reuse becomes impossible. Wait until the next collection day even when rain is likely to stop before the collection time.)

Items that are not acceptable as recyclable fabrics

~~Torn fabrics, dirty fabrics, fabrics that contain cotton or feather padding, futon, blankets, cushions, carpets, doormats, stuffed toys, balls of yarn, leather products, shoes, curtains, sheets~~

Dispose of it on the collection day for "burnable garbage."

* Cut a large item into pieces shorter than 1m, and put them in a designated collection bag.
If futon or carpet is disposed of without cutting into pieces, it is considered to be a bulky waste.

Aluminum cans

Free of charge

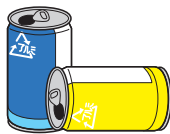
Group resource collection

▲ Separate aluminum cans from steel cans.

- Put the aluminum cans in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put them out at a garbage collection spot designated by the community **by 8:30 in the morning** on the collection day.



This mark is an indicator for sorting!



Soft drink cans, beer cans, beverage aluminum bottles (including aluminum caps) etc.

- Empty the can and rinse it with water.
- Try to flatten the can.



Items that are not acceptable as "aluminum cans"



Yogurt
Inner lid of yogurt cup



Aluminum foil



Cheese packaging paper

Dispose of it on the collection day for "burnable garbage."

Steel cans

Free of charge

Group resource collection

▲ Separate steel cans from aluminum cans.

- Put the steel cans in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put them out at a garbage collection spot designated by the community **by 8:30 in the morning** on the collection day.



This mark is an indicator for sorting!



Food cans (canned food), snack cans, seaweed product cans, powdered milk cans, coffee cans, salad oil cans, tea leaf boxes, etc.

- Empty the can and rinse it with water.
- Remove items contained in snack cans and seaweed product cans, as well as plastic lids or caps and spoons provided in powdered milk cans.

Items that are not acceptable as "steel cans"



Paint cans



Gasoline carrying cans

Dispose of them on the collection day for "non-burnable garbage."



Spray cans

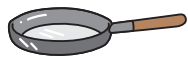


Cassette-type cylinders

Dispose of them on the collection day for "hazardous waste."

- Put the waste items in a transparent or semi-transparent bag (up to 45L) and put them out at a garbage collection spot designated by the community **by 8:30 in the morning** on the collection day.

Typical items



Frying pans

Kitchen metalware such as frying pans, kettles, rice cooker's inner bowl, electric barbecue grill's plate (iron board), etc.



Kettles



Fish grids

Tableware molded with iron, aluminum, stainless steel, etc. (including Teflon-coated or enamel products), tools, metal canteens, etc.



Pots and pans



Ladles



Strainers



Shovels



Wire hangers

Wire hangers, metal framework of umbrellas (remove fabrics)



Umbrellas

- Household items mostly made of metal having **the longest side that measures less than 50cm and weighing less than 15kg**

* **Applicable items are indicated in the list of garbage and recyclable items to be sorted on pages 24 to 35.**

- When discarding metal refuse, remove as much nonmetallic substances attached as possible before discarding.

Way of disposing umbrellas

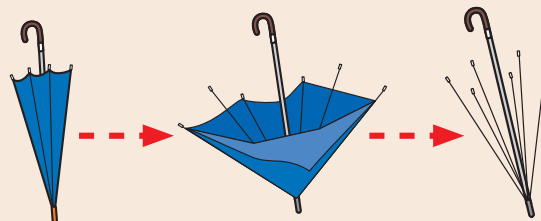
Remove fabrics and vinyl portions.

→ Put out only the framework. (Fabrics and vinyl are burnable garbage.)

* If most of the umbrella is made of wood and plastic, it is considered to be non-burnable garbage.

* Even if the length is longer than 50cm, the umbrella can be collected. If it does not fit in the bag, tie it with a string.

* If fabrics and vinyl portions are not removed, the umbrella is considered to be non-burnable garbage (designated item).(page 6)



Items that are not acceptable as "household metal"

~~Dangerous items (knives, tacks, cutters of plastic wrap boxes)~~



Wrap it up with paper and dispose of it on the collection day for "non-burnable garbage."

~~Home electric appliances (toaster ovens, clothes irons, etc.)~~



Dispose of it on the collection day for "small appliances."

~~Items comprised of more non-metallic substances than metal (ballpoint pens, clothespins, binders, etc.)~~



Dispose of it on the collection day for "burnable garbage."

Group resource collection

In cooperation with neighborhood community associations throughout the whole City, registered recycle business operators collect newspapers, magazines, cardboards, drink packs, paper item ("mixed paper"), fabrics, aluminum cans, steel cans, and household metal disposed of by households, thereby reducing the amount of garbage and promoting recycling.

Collection days are different according to districts. So, contact your district's neighborhood community associations or the Resources Recycling Division of City Hall to confirm the collection days. **Sort recyclable items according to type**, and put them out at a garbage collection spot designated by the community. According to the amount of aluminum cans collected, recycle business operators will pay a purchase price to the neighborhood community associations.

From October 2015, disposal fees will be charged according to two classifications: "Bulky waste" and "Oversized items of refuse."

The application method and the garbage collection method are the same as before.

⚠️ Items of commercial or professional use will not be collected.

Bulky waste	The longest side is between 50cm and 1m.	600 yen per piece
Oversized items of refuse	The longest side is more than 1m.	1,200 yen per piece

* Some items which are larger than 50cm can be collected on the non-burnable garbage collection day as "designated items." (page 6)

① Making arrangements by telephone

Call the Environment Clean Center

☎046-871-7870

Business hours are: Monday to Friday (including holidays except for the year-end and New Year holidays) 8:15-17:00

- You will be asked to identify the type of bulky waste, quantity (size depending on the item), your address, name, telephone number, and a location of disposal in your site.
- You will be informed as to the collection day, the required number of "large refuse item tickets (certificate stamps)" and any other necessary information.

② Purchasing large refuse item tickets (certificate stamps)

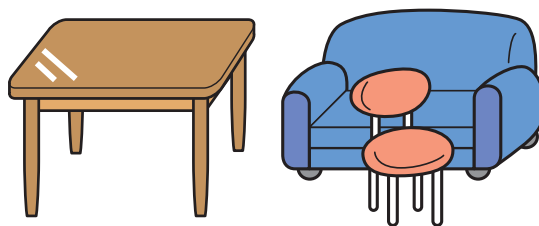
- Purchase the required number of large refuse item tickets at designated stores (stores marked with ■ in the list of stores shown on pages 17 to 18). One large refuse item ticket (certificate stamp) is 600 yen. (The 600-yen large refuse item ticket (certificate stamp) will be sold from October 1, 2015.) Even if the large refuse item ticket (certificate stamp) is not used, money will not be refunded. So, purchase tickets after you have made arrangements for disposal of large items.

③ Put bulky waste out in an outside location where you live.

- Write down your name etc. in the "Name etc." column of the large refuse item ticket (certificate stamp) by using a permanent marker or ballpoint pen, and securely affix the sticker indicating [Bulky waste] to the bulky waste so that it can be easily be seen.
- Collection time cannot be specified. Put the large items out by 8:30 in the morning on the collection day.
- Your presence is not necessary. The items will be collected even when you are absent.
- Bulky waste are also collected on rainy days.

● Note of caution

- It takes a while from when an application is made on the telephone until the waste collection day.
- **Up to five items** can be collected at the same time.
- Do not put the bulky waste in a cardboard box for disposal.
- Keep your applicant copy until the items have been collected.



If you still have 250-yen large refuse item tickets (certificate stamps), use them as soon as possible.

The 250-yen large refuse item tickets (certificate stamps) can be used for application for waste collection made by the end of September, 2015. Note that sales of the 250-yen tickets will end at the end of September. After October 2015 and for a limited period, unused 250-yen large refuse item tickets (certificate stamps) will be refunded at the counter of the Resources Recycling Division (City Hall 2F).

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