Waste & Recycling Fees

Effective 1 July 2026

Sort and drop-off items that can be recycled or reused to reduce waste fees.

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT CENTRES

MITCHELL, Flemington Road
HUME, Mugga Lane

7:30 am – 5:00 pm. Open 7 days.
Closed: Christmas Day and Good Friday.

Household bins are not designed for large items, e-waste, hazardous waste, batteries or white goods.

Drop-off the items listed below to our Resource Management Centres.

Items	Free disposal
Reusable items	Donate items in good condition to Goodies Junction.
Batteries	Household batteries, embedded batteries, car batteries and e-scooters.
Hazardous waste	Gas bottles, fire extinguishers, paints, aerosol cans, x-rays, fluorescent lights and household chemicals**
Televisions and computers	Computers, televisions, gaming consoles and accessories.**
Recyclables	Glass, bottles, jars, rigid plastic containers, steel and aluminium cans.* Household paper, cardboard.
Other items	White goods, scrap metal, and corflute

* Not available at Mitchell.
** Limits apply. Visit **www.act.gov.au/wastesorted** for details.

GREEN WASTE RECYCLING

Drop-off green waste **FREE OF CHARGE**.
Fees apply to oversized residential and commercial green waste.

HUME, SOILCO | Corkhill Brothers, Mugga Lane
7:30 am – 5:00 pm. Open 7 days. *Limits apply

HOLT, Canberra Sand & Gravel, Parkwood Road
7:30 am – 4:45 pm. Open 7 days. *Limits apply

MITCHELL*, Canberra Sand & Gravel, Vicars Street
7:30 am – 4:30 pm. Monday - Saturday. *Fees apply

RECYCLING DROP-OFF CENTRES

Excess household recycling including paper and cardboard, aluminium and steel cans, glass bottles and jars, plastic bottles and containers, and sharps can be taken to these drop-off centres for free.

BELCONNEN, Jolly Street

GUNGAHLIN, O'Brien Place

MITCHELL, Baillieu Court

PHILLIP, Botany Street

TUGGERANONG, Scollay Street

Open 24 hours, 7 days.

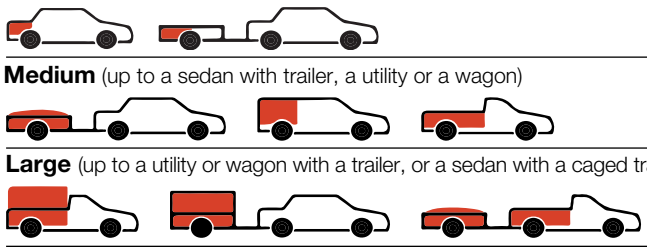
Get 10 cents back for eligible containers through the ACT Container Deposit Scheme. **www.actcds.org.au**

HOUSEHOLD WASTE

Household general waste, as well as construction and demolition waste, that can't be reused or recycled can be taken at the Resource Management Centres, fees apply. A maximum combined vehicle mass of 4.5 tonne applies for the transfer station weighbridge.

* See next page for commercial waste fees

	Charge
Small (up to a sedan boot)	$17.30 per load
Medium (up to a sedan with trailer, a utility or a wagon)	$34.60 per load
Large (up to a utility or wagon with a trailer, or a sedan with a caged trailer)	$48.65 per load
0.5 tonne or over	$121.75 per tonne



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SOME ITEMS HAVE AN INDIVIDUAL COST PER ITEM OR PER TONNE

Type of waste	Charge
Tyres – clean & without rim*	$18.05 per tyre
Tyres – dirty or with rim*	$26.40 per tyre
Carcasses small/medium (e.g., dog/cat/sheep)	$18.25 each
Carcasses large (e.g., horse/cattle)	$236.80 each
Burials requiring special arrangements less than 0.5 tonne (e.g., product destruction, sewage ash or grit, crystalline silica dust, hydrocarbons)**	$132.40 per load
Burials requiring special arrangements less than 0.5 tonne (e.g., product destruction, sewage ash or grit, crystalline silica dust, hydrocarbons)**	$265.00 per tonne

* Limit of 10. Quantities of 10 or more accepted by appointment only.

** Material accepted by appointment only. Conditions apply.

Contact Remondis on 13 73 73 or **canberra@remondis.com.au**

COMMERCIAL WASTE	Charge
Commercial waste less than 0.25 tonne	$53.50 per load
Commercial waste more than 0.25 tonne	$210.90 per tonne
Mixed commercial or industrial waste containing greater than 50% recyclable material.	$399.05 per tonne

General commercial waste	Charge
In the event of a **weighbridge breakdown** at the Mitchell or Hume facilities, **fees and charges** are charged **by the load**.	$210.90 per load

ASBESTOS

The law requires you to engage a licensed asbestos removalist to remove asbestos from your house.

Asbestos material must be double wrapped in 200 micron (min) plastic and sealed (taped up). **Asbestos must be identified to weighbridge operators upon arrival.**

Commercial quantities are accepted by appointment only at the Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre. Contact Remondis on 13 73 73 or **canberra@remondis.com.au**.

Domestic fees	Charge
Domestic 0–60kg: • Max 600mm x 600mm x 200mm • Max 20kg per package (max 3 packages) • **Accepted at Mitchell or Mugga Lane**	Free of charge
Domestic 60–250kg: • Appointment to be made with Remondis • Mugga Lane only	$59.55 per load

Commercial fees	Charge
Commercial less than 0.25 tonne: • Appointment to be made with Remondis • Mugga Lane only	$59.55 per load
Commercial 0.25 tonne or more: • Appointment to be made with Remondis • Mugga Lane only	$236.80 per tonne

WASTE TRANSFER SURCHARGE

Waste delivered to the Mitchell Resource Management Centre by commercial operators and businesses includes a charge for transporting the waste to the Mugga Lane facility. Avoid this transfer charge by delivering waste directly to the Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre.

Mitchell Waste Transfer	Charge
Less than 0.25 tonne	$6.00
0.25 tonne or more	$33.15 per tonne

MATTRESS RECYCLING

Option	Location/Contact	Charge
Collection Bulky waste	Book a Bulky Waste collection visit **www.act.gov.au/bulkywaste**	$46.35 per mattress/ensemble base
Collection Soft Landing	Book a Soft Landing collection (ACT residents only) visit **www.softlanding.com.au** or call 1800 763 852	$77.39 per mattress/ensemble base Each additional item $60.81
Drop-off Soft Landing	John Cory Circuit, Hume 7:30 am – 3:30 pm Monday to Friday.	$48.92 per mattress/ensemble base
Drop-off Hume	Resource Management Centre Transfer Station Mugga Lane, Hume. 7:30 am – 5:00 pm. Open 7 days.	$51.25 per mattress/ensemble base
Drop-off Mitchell	Mitchell Resource Management Centre Transfer Station Flemington Road, Mitchell. 7:30 am – 5:00 pm. Open 7 days.	$51.25 per mattress/ensemble base

No cash accepted at weighbridges. Payment is by card only. Updated 5 November 2026 All charges are inclusive of GST.

If you need assistance please call Access Canberra - 13 22 81 or email no.waste@act.gov.au
For commercial operators please email ced.nowastesystems@act.gov.au