

Recommended Policy	Element	New Policy	Existing Policy	Summary of changes
Policy One Standard Container Policy	<b>Residual waste container</b>		✓	The application of the collection of one bin per household
	<b>Mixed dry recycling container</b>		✓	No change
	<b>Garden waste</b>	✓		For new chargeable service
	<b>Levy a charge</b>		✓	No change
Policy Two Exemption from Wheeled bin Policy		✓		The criteria for exemptions have not changed however it has not historically been detailed in a policy document.
Policy Three Exceptions Policy			✓	No change
Policy Four Contamination Policy			✓	Historically residents could use the capacity in their residual bin for any items they wanted to dispose of. The new policy changes this to capacity only for non-recyclables waste (including garden waste).  If residents continuously contaminate their recycling bin we can remove their recycling bin away (no additional residual capacity will be given).
Policy Five Side Waste Policy			✓	No change
Policy Six Use of container Policy			✓	The only significant change is the closed bin lid policy – which is a recommendation from the HSE to reduce the likelihood of injury to operatives.
Policy Seven Access Policy		✓		The access policy now reflects the Health and Safety Executives' guidelines for risk assessing the manual handling issues associated with crews pulling bins over long distances.
Policy Eight Flats & Communal Collections Policy		✓		No change

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