

COMMERCIAL CHARGES

Commercial charges from 1 July 2011:

General commercial waste	CHARGE incl GST
Less than 0.25 tonne	\$30.45 minimum
0.25 tonne or more	\$121.90 per tonne

MITCHELL WASTE TRANSFER CHARGE

There is a transport charge for general commercial waste delivered to the Mitchell Resource Management Centre in addition to other charges. You can avoid this charge by delivering waste directly to the Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre.

Mitchell waste transfer charges	CHARGE incl GST
Transfer charge less than 0.25 tonne	\$3.75 minimum
Transfer charge 0.25 tonne or more	\$15 per tonne

Other charges apply as notified at waste facilities or www.tams.act.gov.au

COMMERCIAL ASBESTOS AND SPECIAL WASTE

Commercial loads of asbestos or special waste are accepted by appointment only at the Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre.

Please contact Thiess Services on 6126 5800 to arrange an appointment.

Asbestos	CHARGE incl GST
Less than 0.25 tonne	\$34.20 minimum
0.25 tonne or more	\$136.80 per tonne
Special burial waste	CHARGE incl GST
Less than 0.5 tonne	\$76.60 minimum
0.5 tonne or more	\$153.20 per tonne

REMEMBER

Littering and illegal dumping attract fines for individuals up to \$11,000 and fines for corporations up to \$60,500. More severe penalties, including up to 5 years imprisonment, can apply for offences involving dangerous substances.

YOU CAN AVOID WASTE CHARGES AND REDUCE WASTE BY SORTING IT AND USING RECYCLING SERVICES

The ACT is running out of landfill space. If we don't 'Sort it Out and Save', the ACT could run out within four years.

SORT IT OUT AND SAVE

WASTE FACILITY OPENING HOURS

- **Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre, Mugga Lane**
Residential waste accepted: 7.30 am to 5 pm
Commercial waste accepted: 6.30 am to 5 pm
- **Mitchell Resource Management Centre, Flemington Road, Mitchell**
Waste accepted: 7.30 am to 5 pm
- Closed Christmas Day and Good Friday

For more information on waste and recycling contact Canberra Connect on 13 22 81 or visit www.tams.act.gov.au



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2011-12 GUIDE TO WASTE DISPOSAL CHARGES

SORT IT OUT AND SAVE

Effective 1 July 2011
Mitchell and Mugga Lane
Resource Management Centres


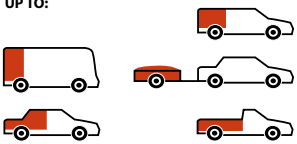
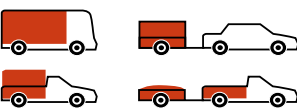
YOUR GUIDE TO WASTE DISPOSAL CHARGES FROM 1 JULY 2011

Waste charges in the ACT are designed to encourage greater use of recycling services by moving to a user-pays system that recognises the true cost of waste disposal.

DOMESTIC CHARGES

How are load sizes calculated?

This diagram is a guide to domestic waste charges. Load sizes are assessed by the operator.

LOAD SIZES	
UP TO: 	SMALL \$10.00
UP TO: 	MEDIUM \$20.00
UP TO: 	LARGE \$30.00
0.5 tonne or more	\$68.67 per tonne

You can minimise or even avoid waste disposal charges by sorting out recyclables and reusables before disposal.

Commercial and business waste will not be accepted as domestic waste

Domestic asbestos waste

Small amounts of asbestos from domestic sources will be accepted at the Mugga Lane and Mitchell Resource Management Centres free of charge.

Asbestos material must be double wrapped and sealed in heavy duty plastic. Plastic packages should be no larger than 80cm x 80cm and must be identified to facility operators.

Asbestos loads greater than 250kg or larger than 80cm x 80cm are only accepted as commercial loads (see commercial charges).

Itemised recycling charges

Computer terminals	\$15 each
Computer monitors and laptops	\$22.50 each
Clean tyres without rims (light vehicle only)	\$3 per tyre
Dirty tyres or tyres with rims (light vehicle only)	\$5 per tyre
Mattresses	\$5 per mattress
Flat panel TV (eg. LCD or plasma)	\$15 each
Non-flat panel TV (eg. CRT) screen less than 46cm diagonally	\$15 each
Non-flat panel TV (eg. CRT) screen 46cm - 54cm diagonally	\$25 each
Non-flat panel TV (eg. CRT) screen greater than 54cm - 69cm diagonally	\$40 each
Non-flat panel TV (eg. CRT) screen greater than 69cm diagonally	\$60 each

SORT IT OUT AND SAVE RECYCLING SERVICES

You can avoid disposal charges by using one of the many recycling services available.

For further information on where to take your recycling materials please refer to the *Guide to Who Recycles What in the ACT* on the website www.tams.act.gov.au

Regional Recycling Centres

You can drop off paper, cardboard, mobile phones, mobile phone batteries, glass bottles and jars, rigid plastic containers, cartons, steel and aluminium cans 24 hours a day at these centres.

- Scollay St, Tuggeranong
- Botany St, Phillip
- Jolly St, Belconnen
- Baillieu Ct, Mitchell

Dumpers of non recyclable waste will be prosecuted

Other free recycling services

Many items are accepted for recycling or reuse for free. Conditions may apply.

Take these to the Mugga Lane or Mitchell Resource Management Centres or Parkwood Recycling Estate.

- aluminium and steel cans
- car batteries
- cartons
- glass bottles and jars
- motor oil
- paper and cardboard
- rigid plastic containers

The Mugga Lane and Mitchell Resource Management Centres also accept the following.

- fire extinguishers
- fluorescent lights
- gas cylinders
- metals, like white goods
- mobile phones
- paint
- secondhand goods (accepted at operator's discretion)

GREEN WASTE

Garden green waste can be dropped off at the Mugga Lane Resource Management Centre or the Parkwood Recycling Estate for free or at Canberra Sand and Gravel, at Vicars Street in Mitchell, for a charge.

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