

Fact Sheet

Recycling at the Market

Recycling isn't just good for the environment, it's also good for your business.

We're working to increase recycling so that we:

- ▶ have a cleaner, greener Market
- ▶ minimise the cost of operating the Market – and therefore the cost to Market tenants, increasing cost effectiveness and competitiveness.

What is changing?

A new pre-paid, user-pays system will be in place at the new Market, making recycling and waste management fairer for everyone.

IKON Services Australia has been appointed by the MMA to manage recycling and waste collection at the new Market.

This means that there will be a disposal charge for the following types of waste and recycling:

- ▶ General waste and contaminated organic waste needs to go to landfill and will cost \$0.19 per kilogram for recycling
- ▶ Uncontaminated organic waste will cost \$0.075 per kilogram for recycling
- ▶ Unsorted waste delivered to the Recycling Transfer Centre will be charged at the landfill disposal rate. Dumped waste will be charged at landfill disposal rates and will incur demerit points under the Market Operating Rules. Associated cleaning charges will also be charged at \$200 per incident of dumping.

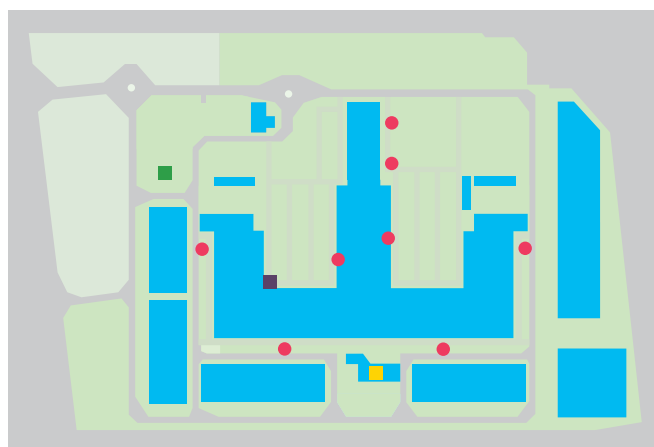
- ▶ Organic product that is fit for human consumption can continue to be donated to Foodbank and is tax deductible. Contact Foodbank on 03 9362 8300.
- ▶ All other sorted recyclables including cardboard and paper, polystyrene and plastic can be recycled for free.

What do I need to do?

1. Separate your waste at your stand, store, or place of work:

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| ▶ Organic | ▶ Plastic/shrink wrap |
| ▶ Cardboard and paper | ▶ Timber |
| ▶ Polystyrene | ▶ General/mixed. |

2. Find your nearest recycling station – there are eight Satellite Recycling Stations located around the Market.



- Satellite Recycling Stations
- Permanent Recycling Transfer Centre
- Temporary Recycling Transfer Centre
- Foodbank



3. Put the separated waste into the right depository at the Satellite Recycling Station. Look for the signs.

4. Bulk or palleted goods can be delivered directly to the Temporary Recycling Centre until the Permanent Recycling Transfer Centre is complete.

Fees must be paid before waste or recycling will be accepted at the Recycling Transfer Centre.

On the spot payments can be made to IKON at the Recycling Transfer Centre, with Debit Card and Credit Card with Paywave facilities available. Note: all credit card transactions will attract a 2.5% transaction fee.

Interim arrangements will be in place to accept cash payments.

Transfer Station fees

Schedule of rates	Fee
Cardboard only	No Charge
Plastic only	No Charge
Polystyrene only	No Charge
Organic waste	\$0.075 per kg
General waste	\$0.19 per kg
Timber disposal	\$50 per pallet
Contaminated waste	Per general waste

Bins and pallets

There will be no general waste bins on the trading floor. However, store leaseholders and warehouse leaseholders can obtain tote bins from IKON for general waste, cardboard and organic produce for use in their leased area.

These bins will be digitally tracked to the tenancy through a state of the art radio frequency identification system. IKON will collect fees for the delivery, collection and emptying of these bins.

All Market users should have an account with Loscam or Chep for their pallets. Disposal of other pallets will incur a fee of \$50 per pallet, if delivered to the Recycling Transfer Centre or left on the market floor.

1.1m tote bin fees

Schedule of rates	Fee
Delivery Fee	\$18.50
Daily Hire Fee	\$12.00
7 day Hire Fee	\$35.00
Pickup Fee	\$23.00
Tipping Fee (per kg)	\$0.18
Minimum Tipping Fee	\$27.00

240 litre bin fees (Tenants only)

Schedule of rates	Fee
Rental (per annum)	\$29.50
Pick up (each)	\$19.75

For recycling and waste management enquiries, contact the Help Desk between 7am - 4pm on 03 9258 6149 or speak with a Market Relations Officer.

Reduce landfill waste and feed the hungry.



Traders at Melbourne Market have a long history of donating food to Foodbank, which is now more than one million kilograms of food a year. Donations of produce are tax deductible - at the Market price of the produce.

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