

RECYCLING & WASTE DISPOSAL ROUTES FOR HOUSEHOLDS

The Household Waste Recycling Facility at Longue Hougue only accepts household items. No commercial items please.

Please refer to site opening times at www.gov.gg/wasteopeningtimes

Hazardous items such as flares, fireworks, munitions, gas canisters, batteries should NEVER be placed into general waste or recycling bags. Please go to www.gov.gg/checkb4uchuck for further information on the safe disposal of these items.

Item	Description	Where can it go?
Aerosols	Empty and remove plastic tops, do not puncture	Kerbside recycling– blue bags ¹
Aluminium foil	Clean foil and food trays	Kerbside recycling– blue bags ¹
Asbestos	Bonded or fibrous asbestos	Contact the Health & Safety Executive for advice
Batteries	Household batteries, including small, flat batteries for hearing aids, calculators etc.	Collection tubes in a range of stores and all schools
	Car batteries	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Bicycles	Push-bikes, any condition	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Brita water filters	Brita only, other makes currently non-recyclable	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Bubble wrap	Any clean, clear polythene (including bubble wrap)	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Building materials	Uncontaminated inert waste including rubble, sand, gravel, stone, slate, bricks and blocks (all sizes, including paving slabs)	Up to 6 standard rubble sacks or equivalent volume– Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ²
		Larger quantity– Longue Hougue Land Reclamation
Cardboard	Small items, e.g. cereal boxes, food packaging, egg boxes. No milk/juice/drink cartons- see cartons	Kerbside recycling– clear bags ¹
	Large items, e.g. from TVs, flat pack furniture	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Carrier bags	Single use or longer life plastic bags	Waitrose and CI Cooperative Grande Marche stores
Cars/vans	All Guernsey-registered vehicles	Vehicle disposal scheme– www.gov.gg/bulkrefuse ³
	Vehicles not qualifying for Bulk Refuse Scheme	Guernsey Recycling scrapyard, Bulwer Avenue
Cartons	Milk, juice and other paper-based cartons <i>Please rinse and squash before recycling</i>	Kerbside recycling– blue bags ¹
Carpets	In manageable sizes if possible (e.g. 1m ²)	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
CDs/DVDs	Any, including cases	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Ceramics	Tiles and plates/crockery – good condition	Charity shops / Longue Hougue Reuse Centre
	Tiles and plates/crockery – old/broken/damaged	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ²
Clothing and shoes	Unwanted clothes, household linen, curtains, shoes in pairs, etc. <i>Any clothing not in reusable condition, please mark as “rags”</i>	Charity shops
		Shoe & clothing bring banks
		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Coffee pods	Nespresso only	Drop-off point at Guernsey Post, Envoy House
Computers	Computers, laptops and printers	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Currency	Unwanted coins/notes (e.g. foreign, pre-decimal)	Guernsey Friends of Air Search
Electrical items	Small: e.g. irons, toasters, kettles, TVs, cables, etc.	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Fire extinguishers	All types and sizes	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Flower pots	All types and sizes	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Food waste	Any food waste	Weekly food waste collection
	Uncooked fruit and vegetables	Home composting ⁷
Furniture	Any furniture in good, reusable condition	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
		Charity shops
	Damaged or not accepted for reuse	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴

Gas cylinders	Butane, propane, camping gas		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
			Guernsey Gas will collect their old/unused cylinders
General rubbish	General non-recyclable household rubbish		Place in general rubbish for kerbside collection
			Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
Glass	Bottles and jars – <i>please ensure items are clean</i>		Kerbside collection– glass bag ¹
	Drinking glasses, vases, pyrex etc. (good condition)		Charity shops / Longue Hougue Reuse Centre
	Broken drinking glasses, vases, pyrex etc. Plate glass – window or greenhouse		Up to 6 standard rubble sacks or equivalent volume– Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ²
			Large quantity - Longue Hougue Land Reclamation Site
Granite	Stone, lintels, quoins, setts, cubes, paving, etc.		Vaudin Stonemasons, Fontaine Vinery
Green waste	Garden & horticultural (including cuttings) <i>No diseased crops or pesticides</i>		Home composting ⁷
			Green Waste Site - Chouet Headland
			Le Friquet Garden Centre– <i>small charge per bag</i>
Hand tools	Hammers, saws, etc.		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Hazardous waste	Garden chemicals, solvents, thinners, etc.		Contact Hazardous Waste Officer (States Works)
Household appliances	Cookers, washing machine, fridges, freezers etc.		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁵
			Bulk refuse collection– www.gov.gg/bulkrefuse ⁷
Light bulbs	Fluorescent tubes, low energy light bulbs		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
	Old style		Place in general rubbish for kerbside collection
Mattresses	For mattress recycling		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
Metal	Scrap, metal furniture (all types)		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Milk and juice cartons	Milk, juice and other paper-based cartons <i>Please rinse and squash before recycling</i>		Kerbside recycling– blue bags ¹
Mobile phones	All unwanted handsets		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) - hand to a member of staff
			Online take back schemes
Nails, screws, etc.	Boxed, bagged, or loose		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Oils	Motor oil and vegetable oils		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Oil tanks	Plastic		Waste Oil Recycling
	Metal		Guernsey Recycling scrapyard, Bulwer Avenue
Paint	All types		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
Paper	Newspapers, magazines, envelopes, printer paper, books, wrapping paper (<i>no glitter or foil</i>)		Kerbside recycling– clear bags ¹
Plasterboard	Dry and relatively clean (without insulation, wallpaper, screws and tiles attached)		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ²
Plastic (rigid)	Large toys, plastic garden furniture etc.		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Plastic packaging	Clean bottles, tubs, trays, pots and packaging No black plastic, carrier bags or thin film (e.g. crisp packets, bread/cereal bags, coal sacks etc.)		Kerbside recycling– blue bags ¹
Polystyrene	Polystyrene packaging		Place in general rubbish for kerbside collection
			Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
Polythene	Any clean, clear polythene (including bubble wrap)		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
Print cartridges	Toner and inkjet cartridges		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)

Soil	Substantially free of vegetation	Up to 6 standard rubble sacks or equivalent volume - Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ²
		Larger quantity– Longue Hougue Land Reclamation
Spectacles	Unwanted spectacles	Specsavers, Market Street (charity donation)
		Guernsey Blind Association (shipped to Africa)
Suitcases	In reusable condition	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
	Any types not suitable for reuse	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
Televisions	Any type, including computer monitors	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁵
Tins and cans	<u>Clean</u> tins and aluminium drinks cans	Kerbside recycling– blue bags ¹
Tyres	Car, bicycle and motorcycle tyres	Target Auto Parts / Pistop
uPVC	Windows and doors	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue)
VHS tapes		Place in general rubbish for kerbside collection
		Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴
Wood	All wood, including laminated wood (kitchen worktops), and wooden doors of all types	Household Waste & Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) ⁴

¹ Kerbside materials (clear bag, blue bag, glass and food waste) are also accepted at the Household Waste & Recycling Centre free of charge

² Charges apply based on equivalent volumes in increments of 90 litres - £3.59 per 90 litres or equivalent (no charge for inert waste volumes below 90 litres)

³ Only available for registered owners

⁴ Charges apply – more information at www.gov.gg/HWRC

⁵ Fridges/freezers/air conditioning units/dehumidifiers - £30 per item;
 Large domestic appliances (dishwashers, clothes washers and dryers) - £20 per item;

TVs and computer monitors/screens - £10 per item

⁶ £10 home composting kits from RH Gaudion, Earlswood Garden Centre, Le Friquet Garden Centre, Queux Plant Centre, Stan Brouard

⁷ Collection charge of £30, with per item charge dependant on the type of item – more information at www.gov.gg/bulkrefuse

Service/Organisation	Telephone	Email
Bulk Refuse	221234	bulkrefuse@gov.gg
Green Waste Site (<i>Chouet Headland</i>)	221234	recycle@gov.gg
Guernsey Gas	728894	www.gsygas.com
Guernsey Blind Association, Le Four Cabot, St Andrew	239633	debbie@gba.org.gg
Guernsey Friends of Air Search	241182	dhugobsc@yahoo.com
Health & Safety Executive	224567	hse@gov.gg
Hazardous Waste Officer (States Works)	226263	hazardouswaste@gov.gg
Longue Hougue Land Reclamation Site	249586	recycle@gov.gg
Household Waste Recycling Centre (Longue Hougue) – contact Guernsey Waste	221234	recycle@gov.gg
Island Waste	235300	recycle@islandwaste.gg
Pitstop	245501	
Specsavers	723530	
Target Auto Parts	720986	target@cwgsy.net
Waste Oil Recycling	241133	admin@wasteoil.gg
Vaudin Stonemasons	248316	vaudinstone@cwgsy.net

For more information on waste and recycling services contact Guernsey Waste

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