

Musashino City

Handbook for sorting waste

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Contact us about waste

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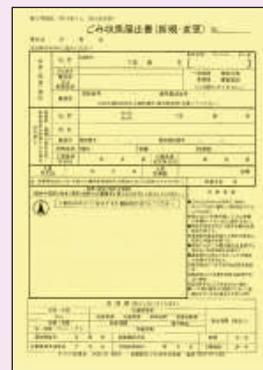
How to put out waste

Musashino city collects waste house-to-house

If you move to a detached house or change the location of the point where waste is put out on the premises, you'll need to submit the "Waste Collection Notification Form".

The "Waste Collection Notification Form" is available for download on the city's website and is also available at the Refuse Management Section and City Branch Offices.

Please submit it to the Refuse Management Section after filling in the necessary information. You can also submit it by mail or fax.



Waste Collection Notification Form



Detached houses

Please put out waste and recyclables in front of your home along the street on the premises.



Apartment buildings

Please put out waste and recyclables in the area designated for the apartment.

Household waste disposal bags

This bag is for both Burnables and Non-burnables. Please put them out on the designated days after separating them. One set contains 10 bags.



One set for 100 yen



One set for 200 yen



One set for 400 yen



One set for 800 yen

Business waste disposal bags

This bag is for people who run a business.



20L → one set for 1100 yen
45L → one set for 2500 yen



30L → one set for 300 yen

Volunteer bags

This bag is for people who voluntarily clean the streets. Separate bags for Burnables and Non-burnables waste.



Hazardous waste bags

Available at Refuse Management Section, Information Desk at the City Hall, City Branch Offices, and Community Centers.

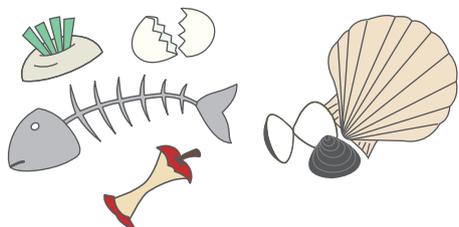


Burnables



Put them out in a designated waste disposal bag with the opening firmly tied.

Food waste



Plastic products



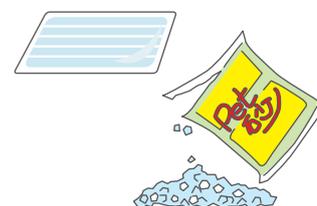
Leather goods



Rubber products

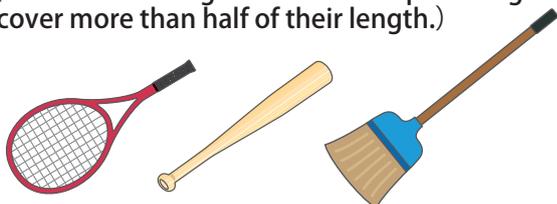


Diapers, dog pee pads and cat's litter

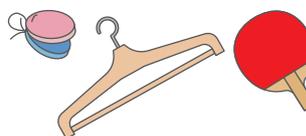


Stick-shaped objects made of wood or plastic

(Put them in designated waste disposal bags and cover more than half of their length.)



Wooden products

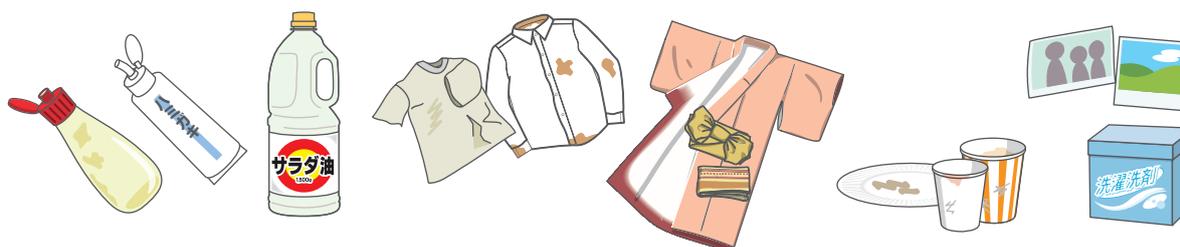


Cling wrap and aluminum foil



Not recyclables

(Soiled PET bottles, plastic containers, old clothes, paper plates, paper cups, and detergent boxes and photos.)



They are handled as household waste and are free of charge.



Tree branches



Diapers

Diapers used by infants and the elderly are collected free of charge on the Burnable days.

Flush excrement at the toilet first, then put them in transparent/semi-transparent bags and write "Diapers" on them.

Put tree branches in transparent/semi-transparent bags of 45L or smaller. Or put them out after bundling them in the default size. (Call Refuse Management Section for details)

Non-burnables



Put them out in a designated waste disposal bag with the opening firmly tied.

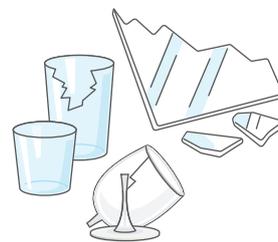
Metal products



Ceramics



Glassware



Soiled cans

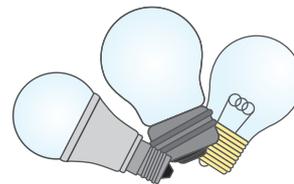


Soiled bottles and jars



Light bulbs (including LED bulbs)

※Fluorescent tubes and bulbs are Hazardous waste



Small home appliances and other



Be sure to put them out as "Hazardous waste" after removing their batteries or rechargeable batteries. Put them out with their lids open after removing their batteries or rechargeable batteries.

Caution

Put out in a designated waste disposal bag that can cover more than half of their length.

Examples: Umbrellas, golf clubs, metal bats

※Up to 5 per bag



Umbrellas in a bag



Golf clubs in a bag

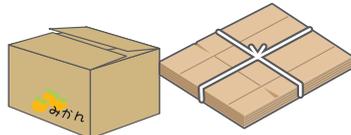
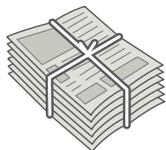
Recyclable used paper

How to put out

- Put them out by bundling them with strings for each of their types or by putting them in transparent/semi-transparent bags (up to 45L). Do not use tape.



Newspapers and flyers



Cardboard boxes



Shredded paper



Books



Magazines



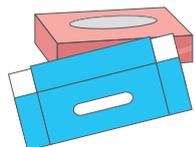
Miscellaneous recyclable paper



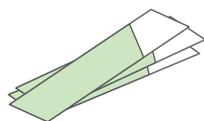
Notebooks



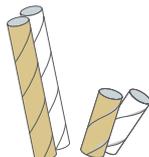
Miscellaneous recyclable paper



Boxes for tissue paper



Chopstick bags



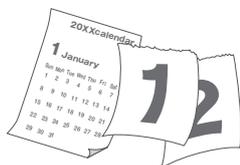
Rolls of food wrap and foil
Toilet paper rolls



Paper bags



Boxes for snacks



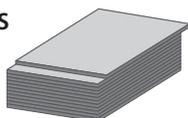
Calendars



Postcards and envelopes



Wrapping paper



Cardboard



Memo and copy paper



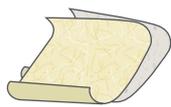
Molded pulp

These are "Burnables"

Dirty paper and Japanese paper



Dirty paper



Japanese paper

Scented paper



Boxes of detergent

Waterproof paper, aluminum processed paper, waxed paper, and thermal paper



Paper plates and paper cups



Receipts



Milk cartons



Lids of instant cup noodles



Yogurt containers

Recyclable old clothes

How to put out

- Put them out after putting them in transparent / semi-transparent bags (up to 45L).



Wash and dry



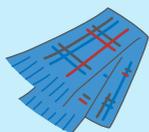
Put them in the bag

- This includes old clothes that is still clean.
- Leave the buttons on them if they have any.

These are "Burnables"



Gloves



Scarves

Old underwear and socks



Linen such as towels and sheets



Kimonos and summer cotton kimonos



Dirty clothes



Hats



Ties

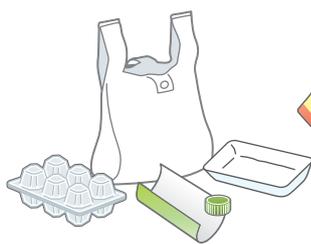
Recyclable plastic containers and packaging

For items marked with



How to put out

- Put it out after lightly rinsing and putting them in transparent / semi-transparent bags (up to 45L).



Plastic bags, bags for snacks, and plastic trays



Shampoo, detergent, and refillable product bags

These are "Burnables"



Styrofoam



Dry cleaning bags



Food wrap for households



Plastic hangers

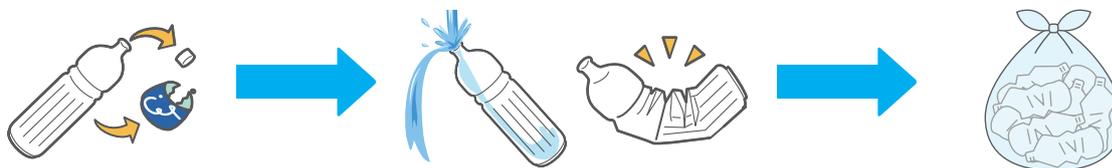


Plastic buckets and toys

PET bottles

- This includes plastic bottles of beverages, liquor, and soy sauce, etc.

For items marked with  PET



Remove lids and labels.
Put out the lids and labels as **plastic containers and packaging**.

Rinse with water.
Flatten the bottles.

Be sure to put them in transparent/semi-transparent bags (up to 45L).

Bottles



Remove lids and stoppers.
Metal lids go to "Non-burnables".
Corks go to "Burnables".
Plastic lids go to "Plastic containers and packaging".

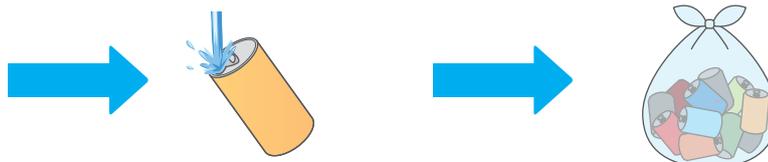
Rinse with water.
Any bottles that aren't emptied won't be collected.

Be sure to put them in transparent/semi-transparent bags (up to 45L).

Soiled bottles and cosmetic bottles are "Non-burnables".

Cans

For items marked with



Make sure the cans are emptied when putting them out.

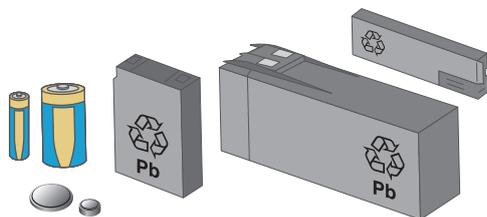
Rinse with water.
They will not be collected unless emptied.

Be sure to put them in transparent/semi-transparent bags (up to 45L).

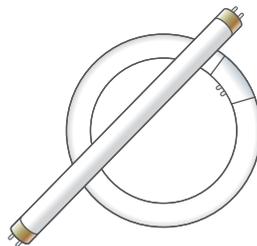
Cans that can't be cleaned are "Non-burnables".

Hazardous waste

- Put it in transparent / semi-transparent bags and write "Hazardous waste" on them.



Batteries and rechargeable batteries



Fluorescent tubes and fluorescent bulbs

Put it out in paper boxes that you can get when replacing new ones. If it's cracked, put it out as "Non-burnables".

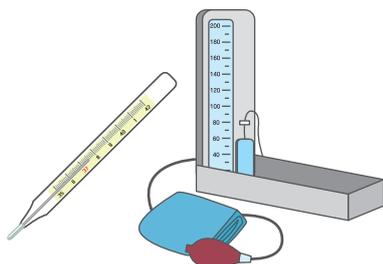
Put it out after completely using it. If it isn't emptied, put out after writing "Not empty" on the bag.



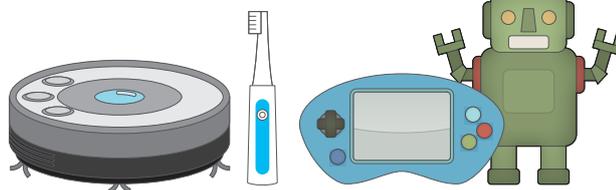
Gas canisters, spray cans and lighters



Heated and electronic cigarettes



Mercury manometers and thermometers



Small rechargeable home appliances

The flowchart for sorting small home appliances

Make sure no batteries or rechargeable batteries are loaded.

It can be put in the 40L bag and the opening can be tied.

YES →

Is it powered by batteries or rechargeable batteries?

YES →

Can the batteries or rechargeable batteries be removed?

YES →

Rechargeable batteries are "Hazardous waste". The appliances themselves are "Non-burnables". Please leave the covers open.

NO ↘

NO ↘

NO ↘

Bulky waste

TEL: 0422-60-1844
Online reservations are also available

Non-burnables

Goes to "Hazardous waste" together with the appliance itself
Write a notice on the bag like "Impossible to remove the batteries".

Bulky waste

What is bulky waste...?

Waste that sticks out of the 40L designated waste disposal bag due to its size.

Examples

Beds (single, semi-double, double, king, and queen size), tables, chairs, electric fans, vacuum cleaners, bicycles, closets, painted shelves, cupboards, iron dumbbells, barbells, dumbbells, oil stoves, health appliances

Reservation: Reception Center for Bulky waste
(English available)

☎ 0422-60-1844

Open: 8:30 to 19:00

Business days: Weekdays, Saturdays and public holidays (Closed on Sundays)

Please make a reservation before you put out bulky waste.

How to get your bulky waste collected

Step1

Call the Reception Center for Bulky waste. Tell the operators about the size (height, width, depth) and quantity. Then they'll inform you of the collection date and cost.

Step2

Buy the ticket at supermarkets and convenience stores in Musashino city.

Step3

Attach the disposal ticket somewhere noticeable on the bulky waste. Put it out at the designated area by 9 o'clock in the morning.

- For any changes or cancellations
Call the Reception Center for Bulky waste by the day before the collection date.
- Be sure to put out the bulky waste by 9 o'clock in the morning.
- Bulky waste will be charged. (Required minimum 1,000 yen)
- Business bulky waste won't be collected.

Business waste (from stores or companies)

The city will collect the waste under the three conditions listed below:

Turn in the Waste Collection Notification Form.

- ① Put it out by 9 o'clock in the morning
- ② It's not more than 10 kg of waste on average for one day
- ③ The premises has enough space for a location where waste is to be put out



waste collectors information

Please ask waste collectors if you can't meet these conditions or when you want to temporarily put out large amounts of waste.

Burnables and Non-burnables

- ▶ Use the designated yellow disposal bags



Recyclables

(bottles, cans, used paper, old clothes, PET bottles, plastic)

- ▶ Use the designated transparent disposal bags



Hazardous waste

(batteries, rechargeable batteries, spray cans, fluorescent tubes, and others)

- ▶ Put in transparent / semi-transparent bags

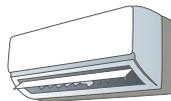


For items that can't be collected

Appliances subject to the Home Appliance Recycling Law



TVs



Air conditioners



Washing machines



Laundry dryers



Refrigerators



Freezers

- Contact the stores where you bought the appliance.
 - Contact the Home Appliance Recycling Reception Center.
- ☎ 042-485-1681 (8:30 to 17:00)

Personal computers (for household use)



Desktop computers



Laptops



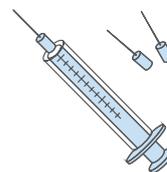
LCD screens

- Check with the manufacturers or stores.
- Contact Renet Japan Recycle, Inc.

☎ 0570-085-800

<https://entry.renet.jp/index.html>

Injection needles for at-home medical care



- Return them to the doctor or pharmacy from where you got them.
- Check with the Musashino Pharmacists Society.

☎ 0422-55-6710

Motorcycles	The Call Center for Bicycle Recycling (050-3000-0727)
Gas cylinders (propane)	The Tokyo LP Gas call center (0120-388-327)
Gasoline, kerosene, waste oil, and oil	Take them to the gas stations or kerosene retailers nearest to you
Construction scrap (check with the city about household sheds and do-it-yourself scrap)	Tokyo Industrial Waste Management (03-5283-5455)

Other waste that is not collectable or disposable



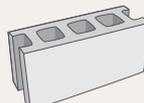
Bowling balls



Batteries



Fire extinguishers



Blocks



Concrete



Fireproof safes



Pianos



Insecticides and pesticides



Soil, sand, and stones

- Tiles, paint, roof tiles, refrigerants, bricks, auto parts, caustic soda, asbestos, etc.