

RESOURCE RECOVERY FACILITIES

The Shire of Campaspe operates 8 Resource Recovery Facilities (RRFs) that act as transfer stations for household waste, recyclables and garden organics:

- ⇒ Echuca Environment Centre
- ⇒ Mount Scobie (Kyabram)
- ⇒ Rochester
- ⇒ Rushworth
- ⇒ Gunbower
- ⇒ Lockington
- ⇒ Colbinabbin
- ⇒ Toolleen



Household waste is taken to a nearby landfill located at Patho while recyclables are transferred to various locations, such as Melbourne, for further processing and to be reused/recycled into new products. A local Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) in Echuca sorts some of the recyclable items (paper, co-mingled recycling) from transfer stations.

Garden organics are mulched at transfer stations and used in a number of ways. This mulch is available to residents **FREE OF CHARGE** at all transfer stations except Toolleen. Mulch is loaded for **FREE** on the first Sunday of every month at Mt Scobie (Kyabram) and every day at Echuca.



Services Provided at Resource Recovery Facilities:



Recycled for FREE



Landfill -
Charge Applies



Recycled but Charge Applies:

See Fees and Charges table on page 7

Material	Description	Echuca	Mt Scobie (Kyabram)	Rochester	Rushworth	Gunbower	Lockington	Colbinabbin	Toolleen
Batteries	Automotive Car and truck	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Bricks & Concrete	Clean Under 1m ³	✓\$	✓\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
Cardboard	Waxed and unwaxed	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Chemical Drums (Empty)	DrumMUSTER Program only Must be triple rinsed Up to 20L	✓	✓	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
Clothing	Items in good condition only	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
Co-mingled Recycling	Plastic (recycle symbols 1-7), glass, aluminium, steel (containers/ bottles/jars)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Electrical Devices	Items that can be repaired or materials salvaged are free at Echuca	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
E-Waste	Computers, monitors, laptops, printers, TVs and some accessories (for full list of items accepted see page 8)	✓	✓	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$

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Fencing Wire	<i>Must be bundled tightly to be loaded into steel skips (except at Echuca and Mount Scobie)</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fluorescent Light Tubes	<i>Including CFLs</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Garden Organics (Green Waste)	<i>Grass clippings leaves, small prunings including flowers, weeds, twigs and small branches (up to 300mm)</i>	✓ \$	✓ \$	✓ \$	✓ \$	✓ \$	✓ \$	✓ \$	✗ \$
Gas Bottles/ Fire Extinguishers (Empty)	<i>Up to 9kg Domestic and BBQ</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
General Waste (household quantities only)	<i>Up to 3m³ Items that cannot be reused or recycled</i>	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$
Mattresses	<i>Mattresses only recycled if dropped off at Echuca</i>	✓ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$	✗ \$

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Mobile Phones	<i>Includes batteries and other mobile accessories (for full list of items accepted see page 9)</i>	✓	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
Motor Oil	<i>Up to 20L</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	Not Accepted
Paint Tins (Empty)	<i>Up to 20L</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Paper	<i>Printer paper, newspaper, magazines, books, flyers, etc</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Plastic (Other than Co-mingled Recycling)	<i>Car bumper bars, toys, pots, storage containers, etc</i>	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
Scrap Metal (Ferrous and Non-Ferrous)	<i>Bed frames, bikes, roofing iron, copper, aluminium, brass, etc</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Silage Wrap*		✓	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$

***Silage Wrap** - must be clean and in Plasback Bags to be accepted at Echuca Environment Centre and loose and clean to be accepted at Mount Scobie (Kyabram) Resource Recovery Facility.

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Timber	Most wood pallets and select pieces of timber	✓	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$	✗\$
Tyres*		✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$
Water Tanks	Steel	✓	✓	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	Not Accepted	Not Accepted
Whitegoods**	Including fridges and air conditioners (items that need to be degassed)	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$	✓\$
	Including stoves, washing machines, dishwashers and microwaves	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

*Tyres require disposal through specialised recyclers, there is a cost associated with recycling and transportation. Tyres with steel rims attached or those contaminated with soil or other materials are charged at a higher rate (approx. double).

**Whitegoods (including: stoves, washing machines, dishwashers and microwaves) must be able to be loaded into steel skips at all transfer stations (except Echuca and Mt Scobie) to be accepted.

Note: For materials to be recycled, they must be sorted. Unsorted or contaminated recyclables will attract a fee and will be sent to landfill.

Resource Recovery Facilities Hours of Operation:

SITE	ADDRESS	OPENING HOURS	
Echuca Environment Centre	510 McKenzie Road, Echuca	Monday – Saturday:	8.00 am – 4.45 pm
		Sunday:	10.00 am – 3.45 pm
Mount Scobie	Cnr Curr and Everard Roads, Kyabram	Tuesday – Friday:	8.00 am – 12 noon
		Saturday & Sunday:	8.00 am – 3.45 pm
Rochester	139 High Street, Rochester (Cnr Sullivan St)	Tuesday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
		Thursday:	9.00 am – 12 noon
		Sunday:	9.00 am – 12 noon
Colbinabbin	Cemetery Road, Colbinabbin	Tuesday:	9.00 am – 12 noon
		Sunday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
Toolleen	Cornella Toolleen Road (behind store)	Tuesday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
		Sunday:	9.00 am – 12 noon
Gunbower	Murray Valley Highway (east of town)	Monday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
		Sunday:	9.00 am – 12 noon
Lockington	Cnr Keane & O'Donnell Roads, Lockington	Wednesday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
		Sunday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
Rushworth	Nine Mile Road, Rushworth	Wednesday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm
		Saturday:	9.30 am – 12 noon
		Sunday:	1.00 pm – 4.00 pm

Note: All Resource Recovery Facilities are closed Good Friday, Anzac Day, Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day.



2017/2018 Fees and Charges at Resource Recovery Facilities:

Items	Charge * (Incl. GST)
General Waste (charged per m ³)	\$36.00
Garden Organics (Green Waste) (charged per m ³)	\$14.00
Refrigerators and Air Conditioners (degassing charge)	\$19.00
Mattresses (single)	\$12.00
Mattresses (double, queen and king)	\$16.00
E-Waste (TVs, Computers, etc) (transport fee)	\$10.00
Concrete Tipping (Echuca and Mt Scobie only) -Charged per m ³	\$24.00
Brick Tipping (Echuca and Mt Scobie only) -Charged per m ³	\$24.00
Clean fill soil - Charged per m ³ (Echuca and Mt Scobie only)	\$20.00
Clean Tyres	
Car	\$4.00
Motorcycle	\$4.00
Light Truck	\$7.00
Truck	\$13.00
Super Single	\$44.00
Small Tractor (up to 1 metre in diameter)	\$88.00
Large Tractor (1-2 metres in diameter)	\$146.00

Items	Charge * (Incl. GST)
Clean Tyres (continued)	
Small Earthmover (up to 1 metre in diameter)	\$123.00
Medium Earthmover (1-1.5 metres in diameter)	\$230.00
Large Earthmover (1.5-2 metres in diameter)	\$460.00
Contaminated Tyres (dirt and/or rocks inside tyre)	
Car	\$11.00
Motorcycle	\$10.00
Light Truck	\$23.00
Truck	\$42.00
Super Single	\$88.00
Small Tractor (up to 1 metre in diameter)	\$285.00
Large Tractor (1-2 metres in diameter)	\$475.00
Small Earthmover (up to 1 metre in diameter)	\$400.00
Medium Earthmover (1-1.5 metres in diameter)	\$730.00
Large Earthmover (1.5-2 metres in diameter)	\$1,460.00

* Fees are charged in instances where Council is required to pay to have something processed, disposed of, and/or transported to be processed or disposed of.

Additional Recycling Information

1) Maximise Recycling - Sort Your Load

Campaspe transfer stations accept a wide variety of recyclable materials. By taking a little extra time to sort your load before you leave home, you can save yourself plenty of time by easily disposing of the different materials at each of the designated collection points at the transfer station.

Sorting your load can also save you money 💰 Many items are accepted for free at Campaspe transfer stations, so recycling makes both environmental and economic sense.



By sorting your garden organics (green waste) into one pile and recyclable material like metal and cardboard into another you will spend less time and money at the transfer station.

2) DrumMUSTER

The Shire of Campaspe participates in DrumMUSTER which provides Australian agricultural and veterinary chemical users with a recycling pathway for eligible chemical containers. Permanent DrumMUSTER sites exist at the Echuca Environment Centre, Mount Scobie (Kyabram) and Rochester transfer stations. An annual collection day is organised for Colbinabbin around the months of August/September and is advertised through local media. To participate in a DrumMUSTER collection day, please contact the Waste and Environment Unit at Council on 1300 666 535.

For more information on DrumMUSTER visit: www.drummuster.com.au/.



3) Recycle Shops

The recycle shops at the Echuca Environment Centre, Mt Scobie (Kyabram) and Rochester transfer station recycle your household items (in good condition) for **FREE** back into the community.

Household items must not be broken or missing pieces to be accepted at the recycle shop. Items are then sold to the public to be reused. Be aware that if your item is not in good condition or suitable for resale, it will be sent to landfill and will attract a small fee. If your household item is in good condition, consider giving it to someone in need.

4) E-Waste

The following items are accepted for **FREE** at the Echuca Environment Centre and Mt Scobie transfer station and incur a small fee at all other transfer stations for transportation and processing:

- ⇒ TVs (CRTs, plasma, LCD and projection TVs)
- ⇒ Personal computers (laptops, notebooks, tablets, computer monitors)
- ⇒ Computer parts (internal hard drives, motherboards, cards, internal power supplies, CPUs, DVD and CD drives)
- ⇒ Computer peripherals (keyboards, mice, web cameras, scanners)
- ⇒ Printers (ink jet and laser)



Additional Recycling Information Cont'd

4) Mobile Muster

The following items are accepted for **FREE** at the Echuca Environment Centre and Mt Scobie transfer station:

- ⇒ Mobile phone handsets (including PDAs that are mobiles)
- ⇒ Mobile batteries (all kinds)
- ⇒ Mobile phone chargers
- ⇒ Mobile phone accessories (ear pieces, car kits, cases, etc)
- ⇒ Wireless USB mobile devices



The following items are **NOT** accepted as part of the program:

- ⇒ Non-mobile electronic components or devices
- ⇒ Non-mobile batteries
- ⇒ Pagers, Mp3 players
- ⇒ PDAs (with no phone function)



Additional Waste Disposal Information

1) Items that are prohibited at all Resource Recovery Facilities:

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| ⇒ Asbestos | ⇒ Hazardous or toxic substances | ⇒ Logs and stumps in excess of 300mm diameter |
| ⇒ Car bodies | ⇒ Hot ashes | |
| ⇒ Dead animals and offal | ⇒ Industrial food waste | ⇒ Medical or clinical waste |
| ⇒ Grease trap waste | ⇒ Liquids and chemicals other than clean automotive oils | |



2) Commercial/Industrial Waste

Soil (clean fill), concrete, masonry, rubble and household demolition waste are accepted in residential quantities only (under 1m³). All other materials are accepted in residential quantities only (under 3m³). No commercial waste is accepted at any of the transfer stations.

All waste exceeding 3m³ should be taken directly to a regional landfill. The closest landfills to Campaspe are:

- ⇒ Patho Landfill - Contact Ellwaste: (03) 5456 2500 or visit: www.ellwaste.com.au
- ⇒ Moama Landfill - Contact the Murray Shire Council: (03) 5884 3302 or visit: www.murray.nsw.gov.au/

Please see the EPA Victoria website for the Industrial Waste Resource Guidelines and/or contact a waste contractor for disposal options.

Additional Waste Disposal Information Cont'd

3) Hazardous Waste Disposal

Very few hazardous wastes are accepted at transfer stations in Campaspe, these include: automotive batteries, computers and other e-waste, fluorescent light tubes and motor oil in small quantities.



Please see Campaspe's Hazardous Waste info sheet for more information on correct disposal methods.

For disposal of commercial/industrial hazardous wastes, check Yellow Pages under "Waste Reduction & Disposal Services" and contact a chemical waste disposal service.



For more information contact the Shire of Campaspe's Waste and Environment Unit on 1300 666 535.