

Kerbside Transition Plan Survey Results

As part of the State Government's Recycling Victoria 2020 policy, council is required to develop a kerbside waste and recycling transition plan, for the implementation of a four-stream household collection.

City of Ballarat asked our community to help us shape the future of our kerbside waste and recycling collections by completing a survey.

This document provides an overview of the responses we received.

What's next?

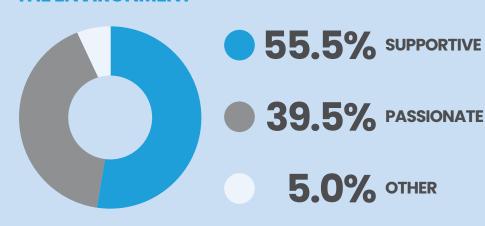
The draft kerbside transition plan is being created and will present several scenarios, providing details about service frequency, costs, landfill diversion and avoided greenhouse gas emissions.

The draft plan will be presented to Council seeking endorsement for public exhibition in early 2023. If endorsed, the draft plan will then go out for additional community consultation before the final Kerbside Transition Plan is presented to Council.



2176 Ballarat residents shared their thoughts on waste collection

95% OF RESPONDENTS ARE PASSIONATE OR SUPPORTIVE OF RECYCLING AND THE ENVIRONMENT



AGE GROUPS	
12-17	0.2%
18-24	6.4%
25-34	26.2%
35-49	29.4%
50-59	13.8%
60-69	14.0%
70-84	9.5%
85+	0.5%

GENDER









HOUSEHOLD TYPES



COUPLE WITH CHILDREN 36.5%

COUPLE WITH NO CHILDREN 32.2%

SINGLE PERSON 15.0%

OTHER 6.0%

SINGLE PARENT 5.9%

GROUP 4.4%





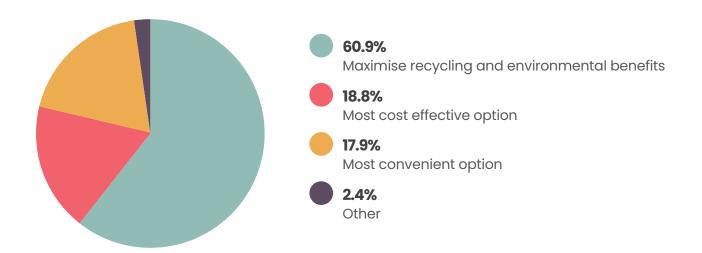






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Priorities for Council to consider



What did we learn?

HOUSEHOLD WASTE

On average how full is your kerbside household waste bin when it is put out for collection?



13.0%



FULL 29.8%



3/4 FULL 27.4%



1/2 FULL 19.9%



1/4 FULL OR LESS 9.9%

MIXED RECYCLING

On average how full is your mixed recycling bin when it is put out for collection?





OVERFULL 20.0%



41.9%



3/4 FULL 27.0%



1/2 FULL 10.3%













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What did we learn?



FOGO (FOOD ORGANICS/GARDEN ORGANICS)



85.7% Currently receive a kerbside garden organics service



77.1% Are likely to use the FOGO kerbside service



42.5% Do not currently recycle their own food organic waste at home



19.2% Recycle all food organics at home



GLASS

83.9% Would prefer a new kerbside bin for glass



61.6% Often or sometimes use the Pass on Glass skip bins

How did we reach the community?



MEDIA

3 x Radio Interviews (3BA and Voice FM) Media alerts through Saturday Courier and Ballarat Times



DIGITAL

Social Media advertising City of Ballarat website



EVENTS

Ballarat Show 12-13 Nov Bridge Mall Farmers Markets 26 Nov & 3 Dec Lucas 10 Year Anniversary Market 3 Dec International day of people with a disability morning tea Morning and Afternoon tea with Aging Well Community









