

What you need to know about waste management at Brunnshög

At Brunnshög, there are two systems for waste management. There are waste inlets attached to a vacuum system with underground tubes for depositing certain types of waste. There are also other waste inlets attached to large underground waste containers for depositing other types of waste. Each waste inlet is clearly marked with the type of waste that you may deposit there.

Vacuum system

The waste inlets connected to the waste vacuum system are located in each courtyard close to the residential building where you live.

The type of waste you may deposit there is:

- food waste
- residual waste
- paper packaging
- plastic packaging

Things to think about when depositing waste into the vacuum system:

Residual waste must be in bags that are a maximum of 15-20 liters each and they must be securely sealed. All recyclable and hazardous material must be removed from the bags containing your residual waste. Glass and metal are materials that cause considerable wear and tear to the underground tubes, so it is very important that all glass and metal has been removed from your residual waste and put in the designated containers for those materials. But if, for example, you have a single item, like a broken glass or mug, you may wrap it in newspaper and put it in the bag to be thrown away with your other residual waste. You must take larger bags of waste to the recycling center.

Food waste are to be put in the paper bags that you get from Lund Waste Management. Roll down the top of the bag so that the opening is securely closed. Only these paper bags are to be used. Plastic bags must never be used for food waste. If the paper bag has become wet or soggy, or, if it is too full to roll down the top, please double-bag it using another paper bag.

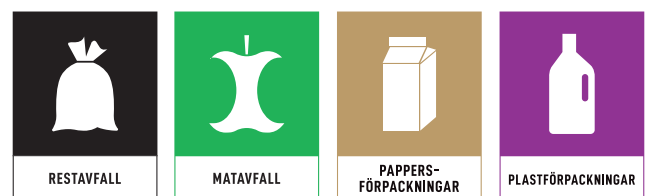
Paper packaging are thrown separately into the waste inlet. Please fold them up. If you have a larger container, like a pizza or shoe box, you will need to tear it into smaller pieces. It is important that you do that so that it does not get stuck in the vacuum tube. Moving/stora-

ge boxes and similar large items must be taken to the recycling center. Large boxes can cause a blockage in the vacuum system.

Plastic packaging are thrown separately into the waste inlet. You must take large plastic containers, more than 5 liters, to the recycling center. Large plastic containers can cause a blockage in the vacuum system.



The waste is sucked into the system at intervals and taken to the right container so that items remain correctly sorted.



Residual waste, Food waste,

Paper packaging Plastic

You will see these symbols on the waste inlets so that you know which type of waste to deposit there.

How do I get new paper bags for food waste?

See the information from your property owner.

These bags are also available at the recycling centers.

Underground containers

The waste inlets where you throw waste into the underground containers are located within 300 meters of your residential building. Please see the map, below.

Item you may throw away here are:

- recycled paper newspapers
- metal packaging
- coloured glass packaging
- clear glass packaging

All bottles, containers, packaging and newspapers are thrown separately into the containers.

Other waste

If you need to dispose of this type of waste:

Electronics:

You can deposit small electronic items, like light bulbs and batteries, in "Samlaren" (The collector) that are available at various types of stores. (see our website) You must take larger electronic items to the Gastelyckan or Gunnesbo recycling center. If you purchase a new appliance, the store where you bought it will typically take the old one away for you, or receive it if you take it to their store.

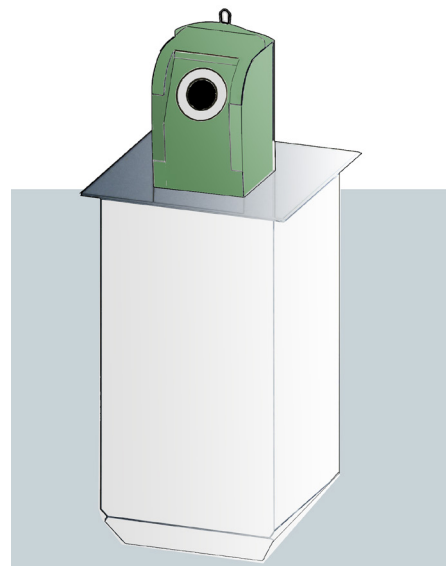
Hazardous waste

Hazardous waste must be taken to the collection area for hazardous waste (miljöstation, in Swedish) at one of the recycling centers. Examples of hazardous waste are:

- Paint, glue and varnish
- Solvents, such as cleaning solvent, acetone, petrol, lighter fluid
- other chemicals

Bulky waste

Bulky waste is large items, such as furniture, baby carriages, bicycles. You must take these to a recycling center. If the item is still usable, consider donating it to charity or a secondhand store. The recycling centers also have areas where you can leave items that can be reused.



The material is kept in the underground containers until they are emptied. Because of their large size, they are emptied less frequently.



FÄRGADE
GLASFÖRPACKNINGAR

Coloured glass, Clear glass
packaging



OFÄRGADE
GLASFÖRPACKNINGAR



TIDNINGAR

Paper
Newspapers/
magazines



METALL-
FÖRPACKNINGAR

Metal packaging

You will see these symbols on the receptacles so that you know which type of waste to deposit there.



This is where the underground containers are located. This is where you deposit colored and clear glass bottles/containers, metal cans/containers and recycled paper. The waste inlets for depositing waste into the vacuum system are located in each courtyard.

THANK YOU!

For recycling.

It conserves both natural resources and energy.



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