

PERTH & KINROSS COUNCIL

Changes to Waste and Recycling Collection Dates and Closures over the Festive Period



DOMESTIC WASTE / RECYCLING (Blue/ Grey) COLLECTIONS There will be no domestic or commercial collections on 25 and 26 DECEMBER 2024 or 1 and 2 JANUARY 2025

Unless notified directly by letter, the following will apply:

Collections due on Wednesday **25 DECEMBER** will take place on Saturday **28 DECEMBER** Collections due on Thursday **26 DECEMBER** will take place on Sunday **29 DECEMBER** Collections due on Wednesday **1 JANUARY** will take place on Saturday **4 JANUARY** Collections due on Thursday **2 JANUARY** will take place on Sunday **5 JANUARY**

There are no scheduled garden and food waste collections after Sunday **22 DECEMBER.** Collection dates will return to normal from Monday **6 JANUARY.**

Please note that Perth & Kinross Council does not collect excess waste which is not in wheeled bins. Waste should only be presented for collection inside your wheeled bin with the lid closed by 07:30am on the day of collection. Scheduled collection dates can be found online at www.pkc.gov.uk/bindates.

Real Christmas trees can be chopped up and added to your home compost bin, chopped up and placed in your brown-lidded bin (if you have a Garden Waste Permit) or taken to your local Recycling Centre. Real or artificial Christmas trees presented as excess waste will not be uplifted.

SEVERE WINTER WEATHER

In the event of severe winter weather conditions, it may not be safe for refuse vehicles to visit all areas of Perth and Kinross. If your bin is missed due to severe weather, please leave it out for 48 hours and the Council will attempt to return for it. If the Council is unable to return, please return bins to the usual storage point and re-present on the next scheduled collection day. For further information www.pkc.gov.uk/servicedisruptions

If snow and ice prevent heavy vehicle movements in your area, regular collections will resume within five working days of the return of less hazardous weather conditions. If you have excess waste or recycling, please use local Recycling Centres or Recycling Points www.pkc.gov.uk/recyclingcentres.

RECYCLING CENTRES

All Recycling Centres will be **CLOSED** on **25 and 26 DECEMBER 2024** and **1 and 2 JANUARY 2025.** Opening hours otherwise remain the same over the festive period.

SPECIAL UPLIFTS

The last special uplift collection will be Thursday **19 DECEMBER 2024.** Normal collections resume on Monday **6 JANUARY 2025.**

PUBLIC TOILETS/COMFORT SCHEMES

All public toilets will be **CLOSED** on **25 and 26 DECEMBER** and **1 and 2 JANUARY**. Toilets under the Comfort Scheme may be available - please check <u>www.pkc.gov.uk/wcmap</u>

PERTH CREMATORIUM AND GREYFRIARS CEMETERY

will be closed 25 and 26 DECEMBER 2024 and 1 and 2 JANUARY 2025.