



# OFF ISLAND COMMERCIAL WASTE DISPOSAL

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The Council of the Isles of Scilly requires that the following are carried out at all times to avoid waste brought to the waste site being refused:

- Your rubbish is your responsibility until it is accepted at the waste site.
- All waste from your business **MUST** be contained within the **pre-paid commercial waste sacks** and these **MUST** be tied at the top.
- **DO NOT** put Glass Bottles or Cans in sacks for collection. Until a full Recycling service is implemented later in 2015, these **MUST** be taken to Porthmellon or an Off Island Waste Site for recycling (currently free of charge).
- Our Waste & Recycling team on the off-islands and St Marys will often have to handle your waste by hand. Sharp objects can cut through refuse sacks and injure them. Please wrap these items carefully and put them in an e.g. solid, labelled box to be accepted separately.

## **Is there rubbish which can't be put in the new Commercial Waste Sacks?**

We can't accept sacks that contain hazardous waste, bulky waste, electrical items, building waste or garden waste. These should be disposed of separately at Porthmellon or Off-Island Waste Sites or by contacting local hauliers. Fees and Permits apply to the disposal of **all** commercial waste at the Waste Sites.

## **How do I report a problem?**

You can report a problem by calling 01720 424000

**For more information on Waste & Recycling services, please contact us on**

**Tel: (01720) 424000 or email: [Infrastructure@scilly.gov.uk](mailto:Infrastructure@scilly.gov.uk)**