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Dear Householder

### **Important changes to your waste and recycling collections**

Your kerbside recycling service is changing to deliver savings, comply with future policy and legal requirements, and help tackle climate change.

#### **What is changing for everyone?**

**Blue bin:** you will receive a new bin for paper and card, collected every four weeks.

**Grey bin:** now only for plastic bottles and containers, cans and cartons, collected every four weeks.

**Purple bin:** recyclable items can no longer go in the non-recyclable waste bin.

**Glass:** should now be recycled at our expanded network of glass recycling points. Find your nearest one at [angus.gov.uk/recycling](https://angus.gov.uk/recycling).

The booklet enclosed with this letter tells you more about the new service and the collection calendar overleaf shows your new bin collection days. Collections are as usual until your blue bin is delivered; please start separating your recyclables from then.

#### **What other changes might apply in my area?**

- Food waste service: weekly collections will be extended to households outwith villages and towns, with caddies delivered inside the blue bin. Caddies are not provided at private roads however a 140 litre brown bin can be requested for communal use.
- Existing communal collections: new blue-lidded bins will be delivered and grey-lidded bins stickered to show the accepted items.
- Private roads: blue bins will be delivered to the end of the road/collection point.

#### **When are these changes happening?**

Your new blue bin will be delivered on **XXXXX** on your grey bin collection day. Please leave your grey bin out until it has been stickered to show the updated accepted items. Purple bins will be stickered on a purple bin collection day.

To find out more about the changes, please visit [angus.gov.uk/recycling](https://angus.gov.uk/recycling).

Yours faithfully

Environmental Services Team