Your commercial waste collection is changing



From **7 December**, we'll be providing timed refuse and recycling collections in your area to make it cleaner and more pleasant for everyone.

Please read on to see what your business needs to do.





At the moment, many businesses and flats don't have enough space to store their refuse and recycling, meaning sacks of waste are often left on the pavement. Set times to put your waste on the pavement, after which the waste is promptly collected, mean that for most of the day, there will be no waste on the pavement.

All businesses that produce any amount of waste are required by the Environmental Protection Act 1990, Section 34 to ensure that their waste is disposed of in an appropriate and legal manner. This is called 'duty of care'. Failure to comply with duty of care can result in prosecution. Whoever provides your commercial waste collections will also need to observe the new local timed collection arrangements, or you will be fined and could be prosecuted.

What do I do?

Help us make your neighbourhood a cleaner, more enjoyable place to live and work. If your business is on one of the streets where the scheme is operating:

- You need to place your waste out and arrange for it to be collected within specified time slots so that for the rest of the day the street is clear of waste.
- Please place your waste out for collection by the kerb in front of your business to the side of any pedestrian crossing points.
- Place waste out only during the time slots shown and arrange for your collection contractor to remove it within one hour.
- If sacks are left out on other streets or at other times enforcement action may be taken.
- If you have a commercial waste bin it must be kept on your premises. You can place it out for collection at the same times permitted for waste sacks, but it must be returned to your premises when the timed collection slot ends. If you are unable to keep your bin on your premises you must make arrangements for it to be removed and make alternative arrangements for your commercial waste storage.

Timed collection details

Put your waste out only during the time slots shown below and arrange for your collection contractor to remove it during the timed collection time slots



Morning	Put waste out Between 8am to 9am	Arrange collection Between 9am to 10am
Evening	Put waste out Between 6.30pm to 7.30pm	Arrange collection Between 7.30pm to 8.30pm
Night	Put waste out Between 11pm to 12 midnight	Arrange collection Between 12 midnight to 1am

The scheme is operating on both sides of

- Rye Lane
- Highshore Road from Rye Lane junction up to Oliver Mews
- Blenheim Grove from Rye Lane junction up to Choumert Grove
- Choumert Road from Rye Lane junction up to Choumert Grove
- Bournemouth Close
- Moncrieff Place

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