

Bulky Waste Collection Service

You can arrange a special bulky waste collection by Verdant, Arun District Council contractors for which a charge will be made. Please call them on 01903 734520 for a quote or to arrange a collection.

Fly Tipping Penalties

If you are caught fly tipping then you can be fined on conviction up to £50,000 and/or up to 5 years imprisonment.

The police also have the powers to seize vehicles used for fly tipping.

If you witness fly tipping please contact Arun District Council Cleansing department on 01903 737754 or by e-mail at cleansing@arun.gov.uk with the following details so the incident can be investigated:

- Exact location
- Vehicle registration number and vehicle details (if witnessed)
- Description of all persons responsible (if witnessed)
- Brief description of fly tipped items
- Date and time of offence

Please do not approach the fly tippers or put yourself at risk.



For further advice contact:

Arun District Council
Arun Civic Centre
Maltravers Road
Littlehampton
West Sussex
BN17 5LF

E-mail: cleansing@arun.gov.uk

Telephone Arun Direct Cleansing:
01903 737754

Information is also available on the Council's website www.arun.gov.uk

Fly-tipping

Your waste, your responsibility



No Fly Tipping

It is an offence to deposit domestic or trade waste in or around this litter bin.

Environmental Protection Act 1990

Penalties - Imprisonment or Fine





Fly Tipping

Fly tipping is the illegal dumping of waste. It can vary in scale significantly from a bin bag of rubbish to large quantities of waste dumped from trucks. Fly tipped waste may be found anywhere, such as roadsides, in lay-bys or on private land.

Fly Tipping Consequences

Fly tipping poses a threat to humans and wildlife, damages our environment and spoils the enjoyment of towns and the countryside.

It is estimated that in the UK it costs £100-£150 million every year to investigate and clear up. The cost falls on taxpayers and private landowners.

Household Duty of Care

Under the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act households have a Duty of Care to ensure their waste is disposed of properly.

- Putting rubbish out at the wrong time or place, and not separating the rubbish into the correct containers can be dealt with by an order, which if breached can lead to a fixed penalty notice or prosecution.

- You must take all reasonable steps to ensure that anyone who takes your household waste is a registered waste carrier, a local authority or is exempt from the requirement to register.

People who do not take reasonable measures to make sure that contractors are registered could face fines up to £5000.

A list of registered waste carriers can be found on-line at: www.environment-agency.gov.uk/publicregister. Alternatively you can ring the Environment Agency on 08708 506 506.



What about Bulky Items?

Large or bulky items of household waste such as unwanted furniture, fridges, washing machines, ovens and hardcore cannot be included in your general refuse.

Household Waste Recycling Site (HWRS)

You can take bulky items to the Household Waste Recycling Site where they can be disposed of free of charge. These are provided by West Sussex County Council.

In Arun, there are two centres;
Mill Lane, Littlehampton
Telephone 01903 713269

Shripney Road, Bognor Regis
Telephone 01243 827457

To find out where your nearest site is look on the West Sussex County Council website at www.westsussex.gov.uk. This includes a site at Westhampnett, Chichester, telephone 01243 642106.

These sites do not take business waste.