



Retail Waste

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How YOU can **Reduce Reuse Recycle**



Reduce - lowering the amount of waste you produce.

- Choose minimally packaged goods or ask your supplier or distributor to supply products with less packaging.
- Avoid over ordering and adopt a 'just in time' policy to avoid unnecessary storage, unsold or damaged goods.



Reuse – using materials repeatedly to save resources.

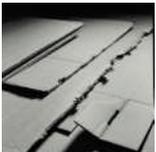
- Reuse packaging such as boxes and bubble wrap or ask if your supplier can substitute packaging for returnable packaging.
- Return surplus hangers and display materials for reuse.
- Provide reusable bags for shoppers.



Recycle – recovering value from waste by using materials to make new products.



- Recycle your paper including brochures, magazines, newspapers, office quality paper and the contents of junk mail.
- Recycle your cardboard including flat and corrugated cardboard, packaging boxes and cardboard tubes.
- Recycle green waste from retail outlets such as plants and flowers.
- Your retail waste is recycled into new products.



Perth & Kinross Council provides a variety of recycling collection services to help you recycle your retail waste. For more information please contact the **Environment Services Helpline** on **01738 476476**, email recycle@pkc.gov.uk or visit www.perthshire.com/wasteandrecycling



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