

# The Dublin Local Authorities Green Bin collection

Question/Did you know	Answer
What will happen on 1 January?	Existing calendar and collection times will remain unchanged. Greyhound trucks and employees will collect the bins and a new customer service number will be operational to field queries
How will Greyhound inform Dublin residents?	Through a leaflet drop and a targeted campaign to include radio and newspaper advertisements which will begin before Christmas
Will the bins be changed?	No, customers will keep their existing bins. Greyhound will re-brand the bins over the coming weeks with a sticker and an information leaflet will also be put through everyone's letterbox
How can Dubliners find out more about the service?	From 2 January, by ringing Greyhound's Customer Service Centre 1890 342 342 or logging on to <a href="http://www.greenbin.ie">www.greenbin.ie</a>
How much green bin waste is Dublin producing?	Over 60,000 tons was collected in 2007
Will Greyhound increase its staff numbers?	Approximately 150 people will be employed by the company to fulfil its contractual obligations
Did you know ...	Dublin households recycled in 2007 enough cardboard and paper to save 283,679 trees
Did you know ...	Enough aluminium cans were recycled in 2007 to save 7360 barrels of oil or 2,576,000 kilowatt hours of electricity
Did you know ...	Over 150kg of recyclables waste is presented by each Dublin household
Did you know ...	The Dublin Local Authorities have invested over €23 million Euro constructing the new materials recovery facility in Ballymount
Where will Greyhound source its fleet to collect the bins?	A local company – Manvik – is providing the new fleet of bin lorries that Greyhound will operate
Did you know ...	20% of the fuel used to run the bin lorries is bio-diesel produced from renewable sources
How much can the new facility in Ballymount process?	The facility is licensed to process 100,000 tons per year