

# M009

## JUWO FACTSHEET: RECYCLING

### THE FUTURE STARTS NOW – LET’S RECYCLE!

WE ARE ALL PART OF THE CYCLE, SO YOU CAN ALSO ACTIVELY CONTRIBUTE TO PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT AND REDUCING THE MOUNTAINS OF WASTE. ACCORDING TO THE MOTTO: AVOID BEFORE REDUCE BEFORE RECYCLE! IT IS (LOGICALLY) BEST TO AVOID WASTE COMPLETELY. UNFORTUNATELY, THIS IS NOT ALWAYS POSSIBLE. WHAT CANNOT BE REDUCED SHOULD BE CORRECTLY DISPOSED OF SO THAT THE WASTE CAN BE RECYCLED IN AN ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY WAY. DOESN'T THAT SOUND SIMPLE? YOU WILL FIND A LOT OF TIPS FOR A WASTE-FREE FUTURE IN THIS LEAFLET.



#### PAPER

This kind of paper can be disposed of in the **paper waste**: newspapers, magazines, brochures, books, office and school supplies out of paper.

This kind of paper can **NOT** be disposed of in the **paper waste**: Sanitary papers such as cosmetic tissues, household paper or paper napkins and heavily soiled packaging. These items belong in the trash.



#### CARDBOARD

Pizza boxes as well as Tetra packaging do not belong in the cardboard collection because they contain grease deposits and other food residues. These can be disposed of in the trash.

#### GLASS

It is important that glass, according to its color, are disposed of in the respective containers (brown, green, white). In addition, the glasses must be thrown empty into the container. However, it is not necessary to rinse them beforehand – this protects the environment.

Window panes, mirror glass, flat glass, etc. must not be disposed of in the container. These items can be dropped off at disposal sites. In addition, broken glass must not be disposed of in the container, this can be well wrapped in household paper and then disposed of in the trash.



## ALUMINIUM

Cans can be disposed of in the respective container. Other aluminum packaging, such as pet food dishes and aluminum tubes, as well as other household aluminum, such as aluminum foil, also belong there.

**Coffee capsules**, on the other hand, are collected separately from other aluminum packaging. Certain manufacturers, as well as retailers take back coffee capsules free of charge.

### TIP

Recycling bags can be ordered from Nespresso. The used capsules can be easily returned in these bags by mail (they are even collected from the mailbox).

## TINPLATE

All types of tinsplate or steel plate waste can be recycled. It is recommended to rinse them well in advance. This includes tin cans as well as lids of screw jars.n.

## PET

When disposing of PET, care must be taken to separate beverage bottles with other PET bottles. PET bottles, e.g. for cleaning agents or milk, contaminate the collection material and must therefore be thrown away separately. If no separate throw-in fa-

cility is available, these must be disposed of with the plastic.

## BIODEGRADABLE WASTE

### What belongs in the organic waste bin

All organic waste from kitchen and garden can be disposed of in the organic waste container. This includes:

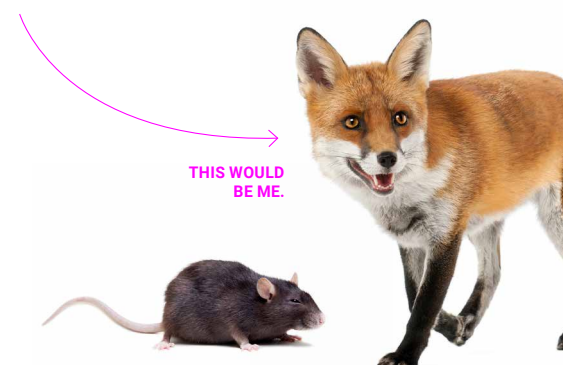
- **Organic garden waste**  
Weeds, fallen fruit, leaves, lawncut, hedge and meadow cuts, shrub and tree cuts (max. 10 centimeters in diameter), flower and vegetable perennials, fresh cut flowers, balcony and potted plants without container, soil
- **Kitchen waste**  
Fruit and vegetable residues, fruit stones, coffee grounds and tea herbs without bags or capsules, eggshells, egg cartons, cooking fat, palm leaf dishes, small animal excrement with hay, straw and sawdust, cooked and uncooked food waste (for example, meat, fish, bones, pasta, bread, pastries and desserts, dairy products, eggs, rice, legumes, sauces).

**This does NOT include:** Scrap wood, cardboard, paper, cat litter, dog and cat excrement, ashes and cigarette butts, biodegradable clothing, sanitary products.

## GARBAGE

There are special waste bags for garbage in Zurich, which are available at the checkout in retail stores. The filled waste bags are collected weekly by the ERZ and disposed of professionally. You can find out from your neighbors whether you can throw the waste bags into a container assigned to the property or whether you should deposit them on the street. Feel free to ask.

**CAUTION** Do not place waste bags on the street until the morning of collection to avoid attracting wildlife.





BRING THIS ONE  
TO DISPOSAL



BRING THIS ONE TO THE  
SECOND HAND STORE



### ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Trade, manufacturing and import companies are obliged to take back used electrical and electronic devices that they carry in their assortment. You can return your old electrical and electronic devices to such stores free of charge, even if you do not buy a new device in that store.

### BULKY WASTE

Furniture that is no longer needed and of high enough quality is accepted by second-hand stores or flea markets. When buying new furniture, you can often return similar old furniture. Furniture made of wood that is no longer usable or other wood waste from households can be disposed of through the municipal bulky waste collection.

### HAZARDOUS WASTE

These include: Paints, varnishes, acids, alkalis, Javel water, decalcifiers, solvents, thinners, mercury thermometers, spray cans, pesticides, etc.

You can return such chemicals to specialist retailers, collection points or on special collection days organized by the city. You can find detailed information in the waste calendar or in the corresponding app of the city of Zurich (see TIP).

### TIP

The city of Zurich has developed an app "Entsorgung + Recycling Zürich", in which you can find all important information about waste disposal. For example, it shows you when the next cardboard collection is taking place or where the nearest disposal point is located. The app is available for download free of charge.

### DISPOSAL SITES

#### CARGO-TRAM / E-TRAM

The city of Zurich offers Cargo-Tram (for bulky waste) and E-Tram (for electrical waste). These are stationed 10 – 12 times a year at a streetcar stop near you. Find out about the timetable of these special Trams here. (Timetables Cargo-Tram and E-Tram - City of Zurich: [stadt-zuerich.ch](http://stadt-zuerich.ch))

#### TEXTILE CONTAINER

Textile containers have been added at all recycling collection points where space was available. You can put textiles in these containers so that they can be reused and recycled.

#### RECYCLINGHOF

Every year you, respectively your flat share, receive disposal coupons from the city of Zurich. With these coupons, you can dispose of bulky waste, metal and pit waste professionally and free of charge (4 x 100 kg coupon) at an appropriate recycling center.

**Recyclinghof Hagenholz**, district 11

**Recyclinghof Werdhölzli**, district 9.

