

Just 1 tonne of food can...

- Power 62 homes for a day
- Power a fridge for 1.5 years
- Boil 46 kettles
- Light a bulb for 46,500 hours
- Power a TV for 9,120 hours



Thank you for playing your part as a local business. By choosing to recycle your food waste, you can increase your recycling rates, be more eco-friendly, reduce CO2 emissions, and move your business towards a zero waste to landfill target.

Why us?

We're local...Based in the rural district of Bromsgrove but close to fantastic road connections, we are perfectly placed to deliver our service across the West Midlands and create less Co2 than some bigger companies to do this. Our roots are forged in the communities we serve, so we understand the businesses and people we work with and know that each one is important, and each is different.

We're flexible...This is a new service, so we want to learn and adapt with you to make it the best it can be, so your feedback and queries are helpful for us to adapt and be flexible. As with all our services we aim to make everything as easy and painless as possible for you, so you don't have to think about it.

And there for you...We respond to all service issues in under 48 hours (or 2 working days). Our online Account Manager means you can report any issues 24/7 at a time to suit you. Our service is there to help support your business goals and show your customers that you care and are a part of their community.

Contact us

Got a question?

No query is too big or small and there are no 'stupid questions.'

Get in touch

We understand that starting a new service can be confusing, daunting or feel complicated. We want to make it as easy as possible, so remember that you can get in touch with us whenever you need to.



Call us:

01527 881188

(Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm).



Go online:

www.bromsgrove.gov.uk/businesswaste



Email us:

bsu@bromsgroveandredditch.gov.uk



Or we'll call you:

You can request a call back via the website above.

Commercial Food Waste

Thank you for being part of our new **Commercial Food Waste Service.**

We are working alongside partners at Severn Trent, who will be disposing of the waste in their anaerobic digestion treatment facilities, to bring this eco-friendly new service to local businesses.

Take a look inside to find out what you can put in your bin, what happens to your waste and more...



In partnership with:



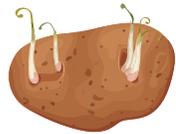
Green Power

What can I put in my bin?

Severn Trent's facilities can accept waste classified as Category 3 (or UK catering waste) under the ABP Regulations.

This includes, but is not limited to the following:

- Meat & fish (including bones - raw & cooked)
- All dairy products such as cheese & eggs
- Raw & cooked vegetables & fruit
- Vegetable peelings
- Fruit peelings & cores
- Plate scrapings
- Bread, cakes & pastries
- Rice, pasta & beans
- Uneaten food from plates & dishes
- Tea bags & coffee grounds
- Cooking oil, lard & fats
- Newspaper lining



Do NOT put these items in your bin

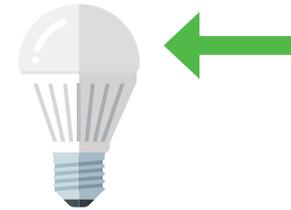
- Noxious weeds
- Glass
- Category 1 or 2 Animal Biproduct waste (i.e. carcasses)
- Hazardous waste
- Clinical waste
- Nappies
- Animal faeces
- Residual "black bin" type waste
- Malodorous wastes



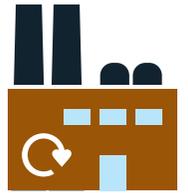
What happens to your food waste...



Food waste is collected & loaded into the vehicle



This produces methane which can be used to generate energy



It is unloaded at the processing plant where it is shredded & heat treated in a sealed tank using a process called anaerobic digestion



and helps to produce agricultural fertilisers too.