



WASTE FREE, TOGETHER

**for people,
environment and
economy**



**#ZeroWasteWairarapa Waste Stream
Fact Sheet**

E - WASTE

Discarded electronic appliances such as mobile phones, computers and televisions.

KERBSIDE RECYCLING

Council managed collection of items suitable to be recycled. The three Wairarapa councils currently sell recycling crates to residents to utilise kerbside recycling. Items that can be collected at kerbside are: Glass, plastic, metal, paper, cardboard, textiles.

NB – oversized items that don't fit in the crates need to be taken to a local transfer or recycling station.

FOOD WASTE

Any food scraps, excl meat – from preparing meals, leftovers, scraps, tea bags, coffee grounds.

RECYCLING/ RECOVERY CENTRE

A facility to sort suitable items for the Recovery process.

Recovery -As defined in the Waste Minimisation Act (2008):

- a) Means extraction of materials or energy from waste or diverted material for further use or processing; and
- b) Includes making waste or diverted material into compost.

