



Refuse collection in Stanley

**Environmental Planning Department
Falkland Island Government**

Household rubbish is collected three times a week by Bonners Haulage within Stanley. The collection days are Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Thursday collection includes; Sapper Hill, Murray Heights, Stanley Services, Snoozebox, Hillside and FIDC. Friday collection is West Stanley from Mink Park to Dean Street. Saturday collection is East Stanley from Rowlands Rise to Dean Street. You can place your bin bags in the wheelie bin outside of your property at any time and there is no limit on the amount of bags you can have collected each week.

You can take rubbish directly to landfill if you wish. Eliza Cove is for general household waste and biodegradable items such as paper, cardboard and garden waste. At Eliza Cove, drive up the ramp and dump items off the end of the ramp. Please be aware of people foraging on the dump and do not set fire to rubbish on or around the ramp as this causes damage.

Mary Hill Quarry is for metal and inert waste only. Drive into the dump site and dump items as close to the back of the dump as possible. Do not stack items on top of each other as they may work loose and fall, seriously injuring someone. Vehicles can be taken to Mary Hill for disposal, and while it is not a requirement we would appreciate it if the vehicle was drained prior to dumping to lessen the chances of an oil spill.

Waste oil and oil drums must be taken to Megabid for disposal. Megabid is located after the FIPASS turn off on the bypass road on the right and is owned and managed by the Public Works Department (PWD). Make sure the container is not leaking and stack them responsibly in the correct area. These areas will be clearly marked. For the purposes of data collection we request that you complete a form regarding disposal of waste oils or vehicles. This is not mandatory but is much appreciated. A copy of this form can be requested from the Waste Management Coordinator or from the Roads Engineer. Used cooking oil should also be taken to Megabid for disposal.

Before dumping spoil, please contact the Roads Engineer to confirm the location to dump your spoil materials.

Any items containing asbestos must be double bagged and sealed and the PWD Works Manager informed before the asbestos is taken to the tip. This is to allow the asbestos to be logged and properly disposed of.

Vehicle batteries can be left in a 20ft container at the bottom of the ramp at Eliza Cove.

| Eliza Cove landfill | |
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| Do dump | Don't dump |
| General household rubbish | Metal waste |
| Paper | Oil drums |
| Cardboard | Gas canisters |
| Garden waste | Vehicles |
| Wood | Spoil |
| Furniture | Waste oil |
| Tyres | Hazardous material |
| | Clinical waste |

| Mary Hill Quarry | |
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| Do dump | Don't dump |
| Inert material | General household rubbish |
| Vehicles | Garden waste |
| Containers | Wood |
| Metal waste | Waste oil |
| Vented gas canisters | Hazardous material |
| Roofing tin | Clinical waste |

There are local recycling opportunities that you can take advantage of:

1. Glass – PWD have a glass crusher behind the Town Hall which grinds the glass into aggregate for infill. Please wash out glass bottles and jars, remove the lids and take them to the grey shed behind the Town Hall/Post Office, leaving them in the box.
2. Plastic shopping bags – these can be reused by local stores such as Southern Imports on John Street or Stanley Growers off the bypass road. Charity shops will also take old plastic bags for reuse.
3. Plastic containers for fruit – can be washed out and given to Stanley Growers for reuse (**do not** give them plastic containers that contained meat).
4. Egg boxes – local stores will take used egg boxes and return them to the farm for reuse.
5. Clothing/shoes – charity shops will take old clothing for resale or you can sell items on Facebook by joining the community group ‘Falklands Bring and Buy’.
6. Furnishings – these can be given to charity shops or sold online for reuse.
7. Clean up Stanley Campaign – PWD will collect large bulky items free of charge and take them for disposal. This service is only available for residential properties within Stanley. Please contact the Roads Engineer to arrange a collection.
8. Scrap vehicles – the fire service will collect old vehicles and reuse them for training purposes. Please contact the main office on 27333 to arrange a collection.

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