



Adelaide Waste and Recycling Centre

A State of the Art Resource Recovery Centre and Waste Recycling Operation The Adelaide Waste & Recycling Centre (AWRC) is a purpose designed and constructed Waste and Recycling facility located at 181 Morphett Rd, North Plympton.

This facility is a joint venture with the City of West Torrens Council and Solo Resource Recovery and was constructed on the existing City of West Torrens transfer station. Construction on the site commenced in 1996 and the AWRC was officially opened in September 1997. Solo Resource Recovery operates the site under a long-term contractual arrangement with the City of West Torrens.

The AWRC is an EPA licensed and approved integrated resource recovery facility. The AWRC operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. The AWRC works closely with a number of recycling business including Solo Resource Recovery, Peats Soil and Garden Supplies, and Visy Recycling, all of whom have operations located on site.

The site includes several large undercover receiving areas, purpose-built storage areas, a 60-tonne commercial weighbridge, closed circuit security monitoring systems, storm water holding ponds, and specialised waste handling equipment including heavy earthmoving equipment and semi-trailers for the transportation of material for final processing.

The AWRC accepts material from commercial Local Government, waste contractors and members of the public. Customers can safely and ethically dispose of a range of waste materials at the AWRC. Examples of these include Tyres, Metals, Cardboard, Concrete, Brick, Glass, Clean soil, Organic material, and General waste.

Specialised materials including Household Hazardous Waste including E-Waste, Televisions and Computers, Waste Oil, and Paints can also be dropped off at the recently established "Free Household Chemical Waste Facility", under several national product stewardship programs.



What can we receive at AWRC?



Municipal Solid Waste



Organic Waste



Soils, and Rubbles



Dry Recyclables such as co-mingled recycling, and paper & cardboard



Hazardous Waste

AWRC hosts one of Adelaide's four Community Chemical and Paint Drop-off Centres. AWRC will accept pesticides, herbicides, chemicals, oils, coolants, paints, batteries, fire extinguishers, gas bottles, x-rays, and fluorescent tubes. Use of this facility is free to the public for materials from domestic sources. Restrictions are placed on the volumes of material that can be dropped off and these Centres are not available to commercial, industrial or businesses to dispose of their hazardous waste. For more information on these drop off facilities you can visit:

https://www.greenindustries.sa.gov.au/hazwaste

