



Circular economy (waste)

Corporate action

5.1 Continue to implement the FOGO program and identify opportunities to expand the service.

Time frame: 21/22 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.5 and supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.2 When tendering for kerbside recycling collection and processing contract, seek options for the supply of EV as part of the service fleet.

Time frame: 21/22

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 4.1 and supports the target that Council fleet is 90% electric (or alternative low emissions option) by 2030.

5.3 Review Council's public place waste and recycling infrastructure to identify efficiencies and gaps in service delivery. Implement recommendations from review.

Time frame: 21/22 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This action supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.4 Monitor the market and seek opportunities to continue to expand the use of recycled materials in asphalt roads and path projects (currently approximately 20% recycled asphalt material is used in new asphalt projects).

Time frame: Ongoing

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.2 and will reduce the amount of virgin materials required in our road projects.

5.5 Review and deliver additional diversion through hard waste collection service improvements.

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.9 and supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.6 Implement standard recycling bin materials acceptance list (subject to release by State Government).

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This action supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.7 Participate in an Australian first recycled glass sand trial to determine if it is a suitable growing medium for natural turf.

Time frame: 21/22

Climate action plan linkage: This is aligned with action 5.2.

5.8 Develop kerbside recycling/FOGO contamination management program.

Time frame: 21/22

Climate action plan linkage: This action supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

Partnership action

5.9 Provide additional community support and advice through a program of circular economy education and initiatives.

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.6 and supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.10 Deliver a Plastic Free Pilot Program in Camberwell to support approx. 15 hospitality traders to reduce and eliminate appropriate single use plastics.

Time frame: 21/22

Climate action plan linkage: This is aligned with action 5.7 and supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.11 Develop and trial a modern cloth nappies education program.

Time frame: 21/22

Climate action plan linkage: This action supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

Policy and advocacy action

5.12 Develop a Circular Economy Strategy for Boroondara to replace the current Waste Minimisation and Recycling Strategy.

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.10 and supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.13 Develop Corporate Green Event and Single Use Plastic Minimisation Policy.

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.3 and supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.14 Advocate for Container Deposit Scheme network operator to establish Container Deposit Scheme drop off network locations in Boroondara.

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This action supports the target of 80% diversion of waste from landfill by 2030 (currently 69%).

5.15 Participate in the submission process for the National Construction Code 2025.

Time frame: 22/23

Climate action plan linkage: This aligns with action 5.11 that supports the target of 60% community emissions reduction by 2030.