

You cannot dispose of waste from businesses at household waste collection points, not even for a small quantity

Waste from businesses includes any garbage from companies, shops, offices, eating establishments, factories, social welfare facilities, public offices and schools, regardless of business category, scale, or a cooperation or private business.

※Illegal dumping and/or burning is punishable by the Waste Management and Public Cleansing Law (Waste Management Law) of Japan.

Sorting and Disposing of Waste from Businesses

Type	Items	How to dispose
Industrial Waste	Plastic materials, Fabrics (chemical fiber), Materials containing metals (shelf, office desk etc.), Glass or Porcelain such as cups etc.	Contract in writing with a licensed industrial waste management contractor. ※You cannot bring industrial waste to Sendai City waste incineration plants.
Recyclables	Paper materials such as newspapers, magazines, cardboard boxes, notepapers and shredded papers	1. Bring to a Sendai City paper material recovery storage business. 2. Bring to private stations for paper material recovery. 3. Ask a paper material recovery or recycling operator for collection services. 4. Contract with a licensed general (non-industrial) waste collector and transporter. Any one of 1 to 4
	Cans, Bottles and PET Bottles for potables	1. Contract with a licensed general (non-industrial) waste collector and transporter. (Buy designated waste disposal bags etc.) 2. Bring to Kuzuoka Recycling Center or Matusmori Recycling Center. (Fee-based) 3. Bring to private recycling facilities. Any one of 1 to 3
Combustible Waste Remnants after sorting into industrial waste and recyclables	Food waste, Pruned branches, Wooden materials (shelf, tables etc.), Disposable chopsticks, Non-recyclable papers, Leaves, Mown grass, and Fabrics (natural fiber such as cotton and silk) etc.	1. Contract with a licensed general(non-industrial) waste collector and transporter. (purchase designated waste disposal bags etc.) 2. Business operator directly brings to Sendai City waste incineration plants by themselves. (Fee-based) Either 1 or 2

Inquiries

In Japanese

For General waste from business activities (Combustible Waste and Recyclables):

Guidance Subsection (Shido-kakari), Business Waste Reduction Section 022-214-8679

For Industrial Waste:

Projects Subsection (Jigyo-kakari), Business Waste Reduction Section 022-214-8235

Other Languages

Interpretation Support Hotline: 022-224-1919

(Sendai Multicultural Center Daily from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) ※Closed one or two days per month