

Household use

Hokota Area

Taiyo Area

Garbage Disposal Guidebook

To be stored for future reference

Collection days for my area

Combustible garbage

Collected
twice/week

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Non-combustible garbage

Collected
once/week

Wed

Recyclable waste (bottles/paper)

Collected
twice/month

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PET bottles/hazardous waste

Collected
twice/month

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Please separate garbage according to type and leave at the collection points by **7:00 am** on the days specified for your area

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Introduction

This guidebook was created with the aim of clarifying the correct garbage disposal and separation methods within Hokota city in order to encourage the correct disposal of day-to-day garbage.

The correct disposal, reduction and recycling of garbage helps to reduce the amount of carbon dioxide (CO₂) released at the time of collection and incineration, helping to reduce the impact on the environment while also helping to maintain garbage disposal facilities and reduce the cost involved in garbage collection.

Please cooperate by observing the rules when disposing of your garbage in order to take care of our limited resources and protect our rich natural environment and comfortable living environment.

Ways to reduce our garbage - The 3Rs -



[1] Reduce

Reducing potential waste by not buying (receiving) things you don't need.

[2] Reuse

Continuing to use items that can still be used by passing them on to others, etc.

[3] Recycle

Using empty cans and PET bottles as a resource and recycling them.

Disposing of your garbage

Items that can be brought in collection points

*These can also be taken to garbage disposal facilities.

Combustible garbage

- Raw waste
- Paper diapers
- Plastic products, etc.

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Non-combustible garbage

- Cans
- Non-recyclable bottles (broken bottles, cosmetics bottles, etc.)
- Ceramics, etc.

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Recyclable waste

- Bottles/jars (food & beverage bottles/jars)
- Paper (newspapers, magazines, cardboard boxes, milk/juice cartons)

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PET bottles

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- Please use the garbage bags designated by Hokota city.

Price of designated garbage bags (tax incl.)
45 L 200 yen/10 bags
30 L 170 yen/10 bags

- Place into a plastic container for disposal.

*Any type of container can be used.

- Rinse the inside with water, remove the lid and place into the designated container assorted by color.
- Separate paper according to type and tie off in a cross with string.

- Rinse the inside with water and place in the designated collection basket.
- Please remove the lid and label.

Correct use of garbage collection points

1 Garbage separation

- Please separate garbage according to type and dispose of your garbage as per the instructions set out in this guidebook.
- *Please note that some items cannot be collected depending on the collection point.

2 Collection days

- Please leave your garbage at the collection points on the designated days for your area.
- Garbage is also collected on public holidays. (Except new year and year end holidays)

3 When to put out your garbage

- Please leave your garbage at the collection points before **7:00 am** on collection days.

4 Management of garbage collection points

- Garbage collection points are set up and run by local community groups and associations, etc. and will have different rules depending on the collection point. We kindly request that all residents discuss use of the collection points to ensure they are managed appropriately.



- Please note that leaving items that cannot be collected at collection points will be seen as illegal dumping.
- Garbage brought in may scattered by invasion of animals, crows, etc.
- Please ensure to cover the collection point with a net, etc. to prevent garbage from scattering.
- It is believed that crows have difficulty distinguishing the color yellow. Using a yellow net, etc. can be useful to reduce damage caused by crows.



Items that cannot be brought in collection points

*Take these items to garbage disposal facilities.

Hazardous waste

- Fluorescent lights, light bulbs
- Batteries, mobile phone batteries, etc.
- Mercury thermometers, etc.

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- Place in a transparent or semi-transparent bag and attach the "Hazardous Waste (Yugai) sticker" to the bag.

Oversized garbage

- (items longer than 30 cm on one side)
- Futon mattresses, rugs
- Furniture (chairs, desks, etc.)
- Home appliances, etc.

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- Tie up futon mattresses and rugs in 2-3 places.
- Please note that charges may apply depending on weight.

*Items not accepted
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Other garbage

*See the applicable page

Other

- Household medical waste
- Recyclable home appliances
- Small home appliances

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- A recycling fee will apply for recyclable home appliances.
- Please use the collection boxes for small home appliances.



List of collection days by area

Hokota Area Non-combustible garbage is collected on Wednesdays in all areas.



List of collection days by area

Area	Com-bustible garbage	PET bottles Hazardous waste	Recyclable bottles Paper
A Aoyagi	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Aoyama	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Akiyama	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Asahi-cho	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
Awano	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Anbo-Kita	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
Anbo-Koya	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
Anbo-Minami	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
I Iina	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Ishiyatsudo	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
O Okawa	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Otake	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Odo	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Owada	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Okahorikome	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Odakane	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Ka Gakuso	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Kashiwakuma	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Kamata	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Kamijuku	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Kamisuwa	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Kamitomita	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Kariyado	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Kariyadoshinden	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Ku Kushihihikami	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Kushihihikishimo	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Kurou	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Gunzakai	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Ko Komagine	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Sa Sakado	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
Sakuramoto	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
Shi Shichiken-cho	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
Shimoaraji	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Shimotomita	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Showa-cho	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Shiratsuka	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Shinhokota	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
Shinhokota-Nishi	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Mon

Area	Com-bustible garbage	PET bottles Hazardous waste	Recyclable bottles Paper
Shi Shin-machi	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Su Suka	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Sky Town	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Sugenoya	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Ta Takada	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Tanaka	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Tsu Tsukushino-Danchi	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
To Togasaki	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Touma	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
Tokushukushinden	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Tokushukuhongo	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Torinosushinden	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Torinosuhongo	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Na Nakasu	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
Ni Nishidai	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Nishihabara	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Nishi-machi	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Nissato	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Mon
No Notomo	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Ha Habara	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Hi Higashino	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Fri
Fu Fujinuma	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Funaki	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Furujuku	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Ho Horinouchi	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Hon-cho	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
Mi Mijo	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
Minamino	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Fri
Mihara	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Miyauchi	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Mo Motohashi-cho	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Tue
Momiji	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Ya Yasuzuka	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Yu Yukii	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Tue
Yo Yoko-machi	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	2nd & 4th Mon
Yorii	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	1st & 3rd Mon

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A Aoyama	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Adama	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Azumahara	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Araji	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
I Iijima	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
E Egawa	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
O Okura	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Ka Kajiyama	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Kamizawa	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Kamihataki	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Ki Kyochigama	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Ku Kumiagekamijuku	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Kumiageshimajuku	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Gumitsuka	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Ko Konnami	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Sa Sakaigama	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Shi Shiinouchi	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu

Area	Com-bustible garbage	PET bottles Hazardous waste	Recyclable bottles Paper
Shi Shimozawa	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Ta Daihamaseibu	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Daihamadaichi	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Daihamadaini	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Takagama	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Tagonuma	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Tazuka	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Te Tenjindaira	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Na Nakai	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Ni Nigorisawa	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Hi Higashihara	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Fu Fuda	Tue & Fri	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
Futaesaku	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Buyogama	Mon & Thu	2nd & 4th Wed	2nd & 4th Thu
He Beshogama	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Ma Machiyama	Mon & Thu	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu
Wa Wada	Tue & Fri	1st & 3rd Wed	1st & 3rd Thu

*Garbage is also collected on public holidays. Garbage collection days will differ during the end of year and New Year holiday. Information will be provided in public newsletters, etc.

*Collection days for each area are as listed above.

Please talk to people using your collection point or contact the city office, Public Environment Section if you are unsure of your collection days.

Licensed general waste companies

Please contact one of the following general waste companies if you are unable to take oversized garbage or occasional large amounts of garbage to a garbage disposal facility by yourself.

Company name (in order of Japanese syllabary)	Address	Tel
Asahi Kankyo Co., Ltd.	770 Katsuori, Hokota City	0291-37-0550
Ishizaki Syouji Co., Ltd.	1047-4 Tamada, Hokota City	0291-37-3966
Ibaraki Prefecture Clinic Clean Association Co., Ltd.	1-5 Koibuchi-cho, Mito City	029-259-7200
Ono Unsou Ltd. *Taiyo area only	614-1 Kamizawa, Hokota City	0291-39-2429
Kawakami Sangyo Ltd.	11-1 Gotanda, Oarai Town	029-267-2829
Kitakanto Tsusho Co., Ltd.	3-234 Tomae, Mito City	029-269-2033
Sakakibara Shoten Ltd.	7166 Itako, Itako City	0299-63-1726
Takahashi Kobutsu Shoten	1480-2 Notomo, Hokota City	0291-32-2684
Dekune Unso Co., Ltd.	805-5 Shimotomita, Hokota City	0291-36-3804
Maruzen Eco Earth Ltd.	673-2 Hanyu, Namegata City	0299-57-0530

*As of end of March 2020



Combustible garbage

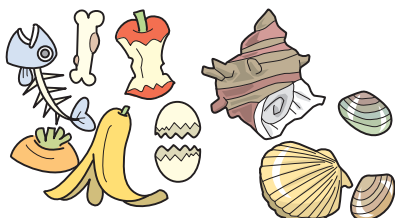
Collection
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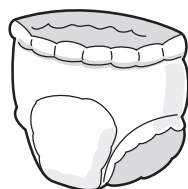


Disposal Please place your garbage in **bags designated by Hokota city.**



Raw waste, seashells

Drain thoroughly prior to disposal.



Paper diapers

Remove any fecal matter, emptying it into the toilet prior to disposal.

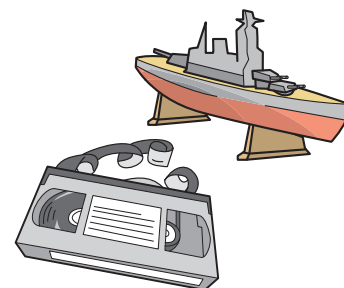


Rubber, plastic products, styrene foam



Waste cooking oil

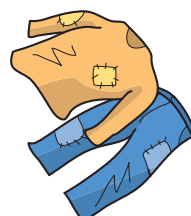
Absorb oil by using paper or use a coagulant.



Plastic products



Leather products (synthetic leather products)



Clothing



Branches, grasses (dried/dead)

Limited to branches up to approx. 3 cm in diameter.

Cut into approx. 50 cm lengths and tie into bundles approx. 30 cm in diameter.

Remove any dirt from grasses and place into the designated garbage bags.

Please limit the amount you leave at the collection point at any one time to 2-3 bundles/bags.



● Prohibit burning garbage outdoors: Burning garbage outdoors is prohibited under the "Waste Disposal and Public Cleaning Act". Please observe all regulations when disposing of your garbage.



Non-combustible garbage

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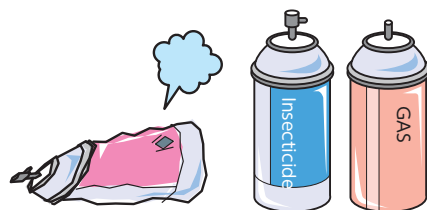


Disposal Place into a plastic container for disposal.



Empty cans

Ensure cans are empty and rinse with water.



Aerosol cans

Ensure cans are empty and open a hole in the can prior to disposal.
(Do not open holes in cans near a naked flame and ensure ample ventilation)



Tableware, glass

Wrap any broken items in newspaper, etc. and label "KIKEN (Dangerous)".



Frying pans, pots, kettles



Bladed instruments

Wrap in newspaper, etc. and label "KIKEN (Dangerous)".



Lighters

Ensure lighters are empty prior to disposal.



- Any items longer than 30 cm on one side will be considered oversized garbage. (See page 9)
- Small home appliances may be placed in the "small home appliance collection boxes." (See page 11)
- **Remove** any **batteries** from appliances prior to disposal.
- Fluorescent lights, light bulbs, batteries and mercury thermometers are considered hazardous waste. (See page 8)

*Although empty cans are collected as non-combustible garbage, they are separated and recycled at garbage disposal facilities.



Non-combustible garbage



Recyclable waste (bottles/paper)

Collection point



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Recyclable bottles

Disposal Ensure bottles are empty and place them in the **des-ignated containers**.



Brown bottles



Colorless bottles



Other bottles



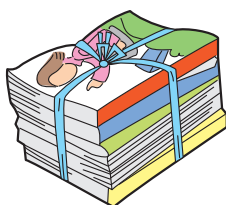
- Place any bottles not used to contain food or drink products and any broken or dirty bottles together with non-combustible garbage.

Paper (newspapers, magazines, cardboard boxes, milk/juice cartons)

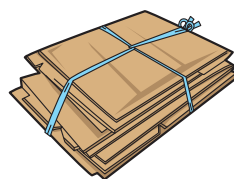
Disposal Separate paper according to type and **tie off in a cross with string**.



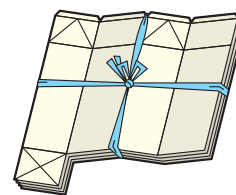
Newspapers
(includes news-
paper inserts)



Magazines
(weekly publications
and catalogs, etc.)



Cardboard
boxes



Milk/juice
cartons



- Wet paper can affect the recycling process. Please refrain from leaving out paper on rainy days.
- Ensure to tie newspaper off in a cross with string even when placing them in bags supplied by newspaper outlets.
- Do not use adhesive tape or place newspapers and magazines into cardboard boxes when tying them up.
- Rinse the inside of milk/juice cartons with water prior to disposal.



PET bottles

Collection point



Self-carry in



Disposal

Ensure bottles are empty and place them in the **designated baskets**.



Remove caps and labels.
Place caps and labels together with combustible garbage.



Rinse inside with water



Place in designated baskets

Material symbol

PET bottles that can be recycled will display this symbol on the label or the bottom of the bottle.



- Place any bottles that cannot be cleaned in together with combustible garbage.
- Take measures to ensure baskets are not blown away on windy days.



Hazardous waste

Collection point

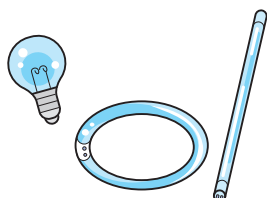


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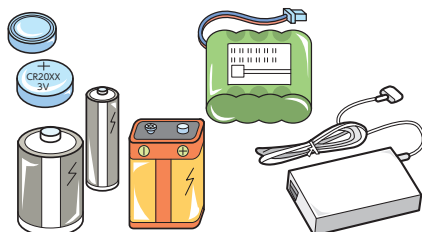


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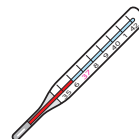
Place in a **transparent or semi-transparent bag** and attach the **Hazardous Waste sticker** to the bag. (Hazardous Waste stickers are available free of charge from stores selling garbage bags or from the city hall.)



Fluorescent lights & light bulbs



Batteries & mobile phone batteries, etc.



Mercury thermometers



- Ensure to **properly separate hazardous waste** so that it is not mixed with other garbage prior to disposal.
- The Hazardous Waste sticker is not necessary if taking it to a disposal facility yourself.



Oversized garbage

(items longer than 30 cm on one side)

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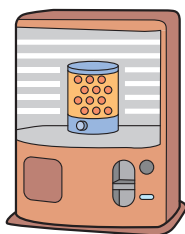


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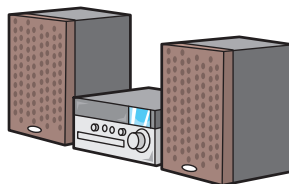


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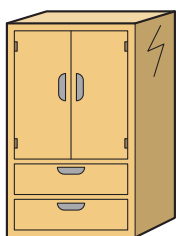
Residents are required to take oversized garbage to the Hokota Clean Center.



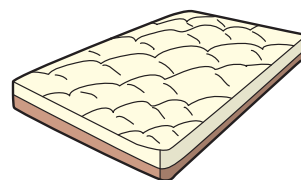
Kerosene heaters



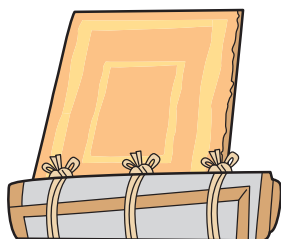
Home appliances



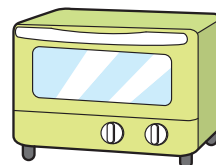
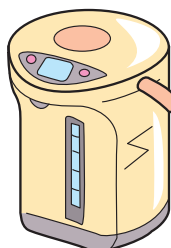
Timber furniture



Futon mattresses, mattresses



Rugs



Kettles, toasters

Other: Fan heaters, microwave ovens, gas stoves, bicycles, polyethylene kerosene containers, etc.

Disposal costs

A disposal cost of 25 yen/kg will apply for items weighing over 50 kg.

Example: 45 kg = Free, 60 kg = 250 yen



- Tie up futon mattresses and rugs, etc. in 2-3 places before bringing them to the center.
- A recycling fee will apply for recyclable home appliances. →Page 10
- Remove any **batteries** from appliances prior to disposal.



Household medical waste

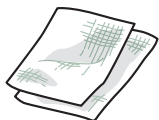
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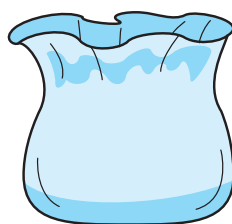
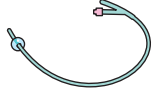
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Used gauze,
absorbent cotton,
etc.



Catheters



Tubes



Infusion bags



- Appropriately dispose of any liquid waste before leaving at the collection point.
- Sharp objects, such as needles, etc., and items with large amounts of blood cannot be collected. Please seek advice from the medical institution from which the item was prescribed or a chemist.



Recyclable home appliances

(TVs, washing machines, fridges, freezers, air conditioners, clothes dryers)

Disposal

Items can be disposed of in the following way.

- [1] Make a request for disposal at the store you are purchasing a replacement or at the original place of purchase.
- [2] Pay the required recycling fee at a post office and take the item to the Hokota Clean Center.

Disposal costs

A recycling fee will apply.



- When taking these items to the Hokota Clean Center, a fee to transport the item to the designated collection location will apply in addition to the recycling fee. Please pay this fee at the Clean Center customer counter. (Transportation fee: 1,000 yen/item)





Small home appliances

Small home appliances can be placed in collection boxes for collection.

Items that can be placed in collection boxes

- Mobile phones, PHS, smartphones, tablets
- Electronic dictionaries, calculators, digital book readers
- Digital cameras, video cameras, film cameras
- Game consoles (non-portable, portable consoles)
- Hard disks, USB memory sticks, memory cards
- IC recorders
- Car accessories (navigation systems, ETC/VICS units, etc.)
- Radios
- Beauty products (hair dryers, electric shavers, electric toothbrushes, etc.)
- Digital blood pressure monitors, digital thermometers
- Portable audio equipment (MD/CD players, headphones, earphones, etc.)

Collection box locations (7 locations around the city)

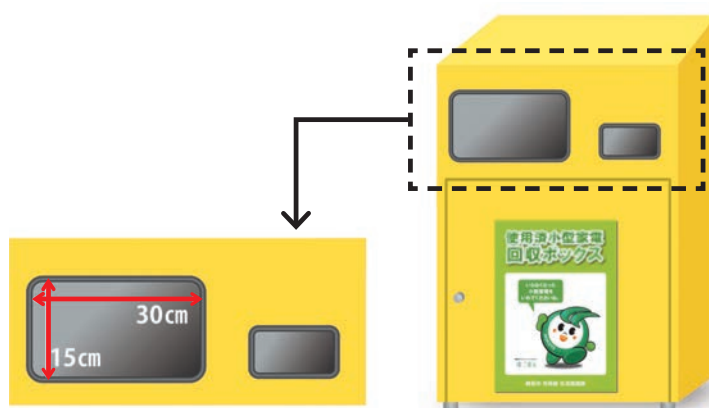
Facility name	Hours open (and closed)
Hokota City Central Hall	Mon-Fri 8:30 am to 5:15 pm
Asahi Citizens' Center	
Taiyo Citizens' Center	
Hokota Central Community Center	9:00 am to 5:00 pm (except Mon)
Asahi Community Center	
Top Sante Taiyo	10:00 am to 9:00 pm (except Mon)
Hot Park Hokota	10:00 am to 9:00 pm (except Wed)

*When days Top Sante Taiyo and Hot Park Hokota are closed fall on a public holiday, they will also be closed the following day.

Acceptable size

15 cm × 30 cm

Do not place items larger than the above measurements into collection boxes.



- Ensure to delete any personal information before disposing devices.
- Please note that items cannot be reclaimed once they are brought to the center.
- Remove any batteries from appliances prior to disposal.



Hokota Clean Center Information

Household waste

	Disposal costs	Remarks
Combustible garbage	Free	Please use the designated garbage bags.
Non-combustible garbage	Free	
Recyclable waste (bottles, paper)	Free	
Hazardous waste	Free	Hazardous waste sticker not required.
PET bottles	Free	
Oversized garbage	Charges apply	See page 9

Business-related waste

	Disposal costs	Remarks
Taken to center directly from office/store	Charges apply (20 yen/kg)	Waste can be taken to the center in bags other than designated garbage bags.

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Days open	Hours for carrying in
Every week Mon-Fri	8:00 am to 4:00 pm
2nd Sun of each month (household waste)	8:00 am to 12:00 pm



- Household waste is collected on public holidays, however cannot be carried in the center.
- Information will be provided in public newsletters, etc. regarding hours of operation over the end of year and new year holiday.

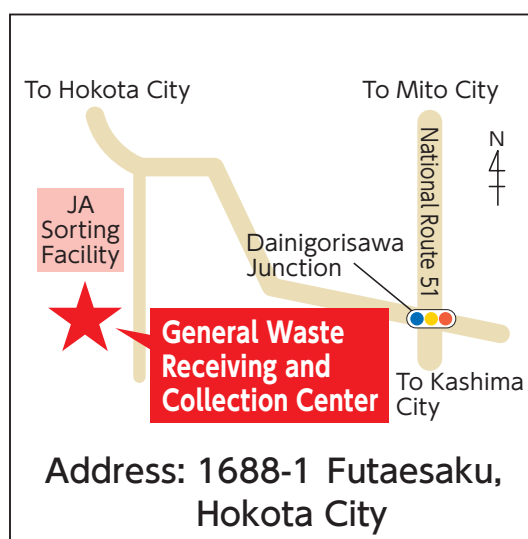




General Waste Receiving and Collection Center Information

Days open	Hours for carrying in
1st & 3rd Sundays of each month (excepts public holidays and New Year and year end holidays)	9:00 am to 4:30 pm
2nd & 4th Fridays of each month (excepts public holidays and New Year and year end holidays)	

Items acceptable	
Oversized garbage (metal products)	Antennas, cast iron pots, lawn-mowers, bicycles, stoves, buckets, etc.
Recyclable waste (bottles/paper)	Newspapers, magazines, cardboard boxes, milk/juice cartons
Hazardous waste	Fluorescent lights, light bulbs, batteries, etc.
PET bottles	



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*Please take items other than those listed above to the Hokota Clean Center.



Items not accepted by the Hokota Clean Center

Item	Where to call
Automotive parts (tires, batteries, doors, bumpers, etc.)	Gasoline stations, car dealerships, specialty tire stores, licensed car wreckers, etc.
Pesticide cans, waste plastic, etc.	Take these items to group collection points run by the city (city council)
Waste oil (gasoline, diesel, kerosene, oil, etc.)	Gasoline stations, etc.
Chemicals	Place of purchase or manufacturer, etc.
PCs, fire extinguishers, bikes, etc.	Please dispose of these items in accordance with the relevant recycling scheme.
Construction waste, household fixtures/fittings, etc.	Place of purchase or specialty disposal company, etc.



● Please note that these items cannot be left at collection points or taken to the Hokota Clean Center.

Construction waste, industrial waste, etc.

Please contact the following regarding construction waste and industrial waste, etc.

Ibaraki Prefecture Industrial Resource Association

☎029-301-7100 <http://www.ibaraki-sanpaikyo.or.jp/>





Recycling schemes

Fire extinguishers recycling schemes



Please contact the place of purchase or fire extinguisher retail outlets registered with the Japan Fire Extinguisher Manufacturer's Association. For more information, contact the following.

Fire Extinguisher Recycling Promotion Center
☎03-5829-6773 <http://www.ferpc.jp/accept/>



Motorcycles recycling scheme



Please take unwanted motorcycles to motorcycle stores displaying the recycle network sticker or other specified collection locations. For more information, contact the following.

Japan Automotive Recycling Promotion Center
☎050-3000-0727 <http://www.jarc.or.jp/motorcycle/>



PC recycling



Contact the place of purchase or take to collection recycling centers specified by the manufacturer. For more information, contact the following.

PC3R Promotion Association
☎03-5282-7685 <http://www.pc3r.jp/>



Recyclable home appliances




Ask at your place of purchase or take directly after paying the recycling fee.

For more information, contact the following.

Home Appliance Recycling Ticket Center
(Recycling Schemes)
☎0120-319640 <http://www.rkc.aeha.or.jp/>





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