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Dear Resident,

**A proposal to change your rubbish and recycling services**

To assist us to help your streets become cleaner and safer, we are consulting you about installing large communal bins in your area and removing all the individual rubbish and recycling bins.

If agreed it is proposed that your communal bin will be located in the alleyway, fixed in frames, leaving plenty of room for access. The exact location will be advised if following the consultation the service changes.



Feedback from residents in areas that have containers have been reasonably positive. They free up space in gardens and yards, and solve the problem of wheellie bins being left out on the street, which is something that residents have told us is of concern to them. It also means that people don't have to remember to put the bins out and bring them back in. General refuse will be collected every week unlike the current fortnightly collection. Blue and brown recycling bins will be collected fortnightly as currently. Any bags left at the side of the new containers will be taken away and the area surrounding the containers swept.

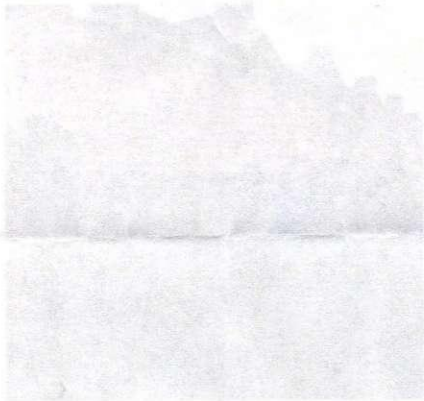
You would still be able to recycle using the same system as you do currently: think **blue** for paper and cardboard, **brown** for glass bottles & jars, plastic bottles and tins & cans, and use your small **green** bin for all your food waste. Simply put it out on your normal collection day:

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Best wishes,

Maria Boylan  
Locality Manager  
Central neighbourhood Delivery Team



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