

FOI Reference Number: FOI/468/1819

Date: 22 January 2019

**Request:**

Please could you tell me if the following items can be collected and recycled via household kerbside collections in your area?

1. *Plastic shopping bag*
2. *Glass bottle of wine*
3. *Polystyrene disc from pizza packaging*
4. *Drinks can made from aluminium*
5. *Tin of beans made from steel*
6. *Foil tray from a ready meal*
7. *Plastic film food lid, ie from fruit punnet*
8. *Plastic tub, ie from fruit punnet*
9. *Plastic prepared salad bag*
10. *Plastic bag for loose fruit or vegetables*
11. *Plastic water bottle*
12. *Plastic ring joiner from multipack of water or cans*
13. *Plastic food pouch ie for baby food or pet food*

**Response:**

Thank you for your information request which Mid and East Antrim Borough Council received on 22 January 2019.

Please find below, Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's response to the information you requested in relation to recycling.

1. *Plastic shopping bag* **NO**
2. *Glass bottle of wine* **YES**
3. *Polystyrene disc from pizza packaging* **NO**
4. *Drinks can made from aluminium* **YES**
5. *Tin of beans made from steel* **YES**

- 6. Foil tray from a ready meal **YES**
- 7. Plastic film food lid, ie from fruit punnet **NO**
- 8. Plastic tub, ie from fruit punnet **YES**
- 9. Plastic prepared salad bag **NO**
- 10. Plastic bag for loose fruit or vegetables **NO**
- 11. Plastic water bottle **YES**
- 12. Plastic ring joiner from multipack of water or cans **NO**
- 13. Plastic food pouch ie for baby food or pet food **NO**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of part of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Chief Executive at the Braid Ballymena Town Hall, 1-29 Bridge Street, Ballymena, BT43 5EJ.

Please remember to quote the reference number FOI/468/1819 in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of an internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Please be advised that Mid and East Antrim Borough Council may release the response to this information request into the public domain via our website at <https://www.midandeantrim.gov.uk/>.

If we publish our response to your request, your personal data will be removed to protect your privacy.