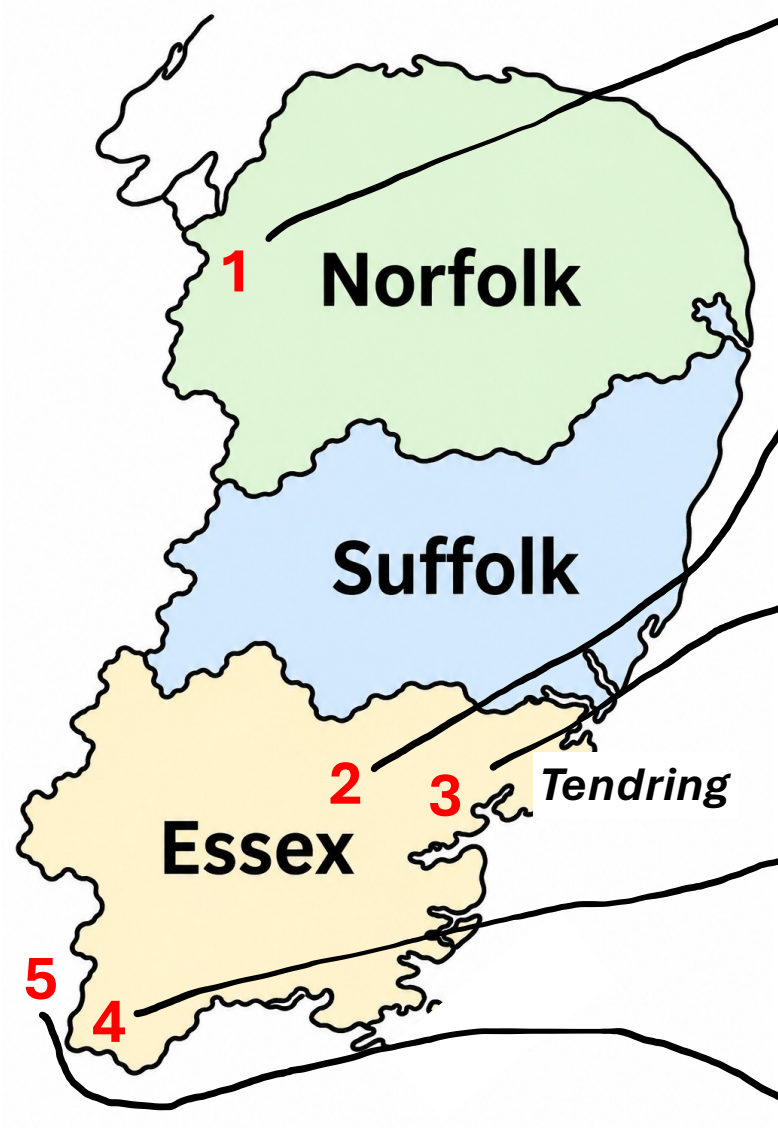
Where does your recycling go?

MANNINGTREE PACE
Practical Actions for Climate and the Environment

Please sort your waste into different recycling bins.
Tendring District Council organizes the collection of your household waste through Veolia.



1. Red Recycling Box.
Your paper and card goes to Palm Print at Kings Lynn.
Recycled paper & card

2. Black Waste Bin.
Your general waste goes to incinerator, Indaver at Rivenhall
Energy from Waste

3. Brown Compost Bin.
Your garden waste goes for composting at Birch Airfield.
Garden compost

4. Green Recycling Box.
Cans, glass, plastic, etc goes to Materials Recovery Facility, Veolia at Rainham.
Separated into materials

5. Green Food Caddy.
Your food waste goes to East London Biogas Digester at Dagenham
Produces biogas

Waste collected from Tendring households in 2024/2025
Average Waste collected per person per year = 332kg
% of this Recycled by Tendring Council 1+3+4+5 = 39%

Average Waste per person per year in Essex = 360kg
Average Recycling Percentage by England Councils = 42%
Tendring people are producing less weight of rubbish, but we are a bit below average for recycling.

Best Rates in Essex = Weight 292kg, and Recycling 58%

PACE thanks Tendring District Council and DEFRA Waste Flow Data, (Local Authority Collected Waste Management Results 2024/25) for this information

Help our Planet– reduce your waste and improve your recycling

Red Recycling Bin or Box



✓ YES TO:

- ✓ **Cardboard**
- ✓ **Mixed Paper**
- ✓ **Newspapers**
- ✓ **Magazines**
- ✓ **Catalogues**
- ✓ **Cereal boxes**
- ✓ **Egg boxes**

X NO:

- X No Food waste
- X No Shredded paper
- X No Tissues
- X No Wet wipes
- X No Tetra Paks
- X No Juice cartons

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Green Recycling Bin or Box



✓ **YES TO:**

✓ **Plastic Bottles**
✓ **Plastic pots, tubs, trays**
✓ **Glass bottles and jars**
✓ **Tins and Cans**
✓ **Juice cartons**
✓ **Tetra Paks**
✓ **Foil trays**
✓ **Aerosol cans**
✓ **Toothpaste tubes**

X NO:

X No Food waste
X No Plastic film
X No Cling film
X No Batteries
X No Soft plastic bags
- recycle at supermarket

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Food Waste Caddy or Bin



✓ **YES TO:**

- ✓ **Meat, bones, fat, gristle**
- ✓ **Bread, cakes, pastries**
- ✓ **Tea bags, coffee grounds**
- ✓ **Rice, pasta, beans, cereals**
- ✓ **Cooked and uncooked food**
- ✓ **Fruit, vegetables, & peelings**
- ✓ **Salads**
- ✓ **Dairy products, eggs & shells**
- ✓ **Fish**

X NO:

X No Packaging
X No Plastic bags

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Black General Waste Bin



✓ **YES TO:**

Waste that can't be recycled
Plastic film
Polystyrene
Nappies
Tissues & Wet wipes
Pet litter & waste

X NO

X No recyclables
X No Food Waste
X No Glass
X No Electrical items
X No Batteries
X No Soil
X No Building Waste

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