

How to Separate and Put out Garbage & Recyclables

● Put out your garbage in its designated spot in your area before 8.00 a.m. on the day of collection. ○ Garbage that has not been sorted will not be collected, and a yellow sticker will be placed on the garbage bag.

*Please note that the garbage stations in each area are for the use of the residents of that area. Please do not put your garbage in a garbage station belonging to another area.

Type of Garbage		Examples	How to Dispose of Trash (Please also see the city's website for more.)						
Burnable Garbage	Burnable Garbage	<p>Designated Burnable Garbage Bag</p> <p>Kitchen Garbage</p> <p>Paper scraps Remains of fruits and vegetables, fish scraps, eggshells, etc.</p> <p>Plastic Items</p> <p>Wash bins, buckets Ramen cups CDs</p> <p>Leather, Rubber</p> <p>Rubber boots, leather shoes Belts, handbags Clothing (All metal parts are non-burnable garbage)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Please dispose of metals along with non-burnable garbage. ■ Please remove any human waste from diapers before disposing of them. ■ Please wring out any water from kitchen garbage before throwing it away. ■ Please cut all strings to be less than 5 meters in length before throwing it away. ■ Please break apart large pieces of Styrofoam before throwing it away. ■ Place branches inside of a designated bag before disposing of them (Branches must be no thicker than 7 cm, no longer than 50 cm, and the city can collect up to 2 bags per day). ■ Please use a designated burnable garbage bag. 						
	Non-Burnable Garbage	<p>Designated Non-Burnable Garbage Bag</p> <p>Metal</p> <p>Pots, frying pans Canned food, canned milk DVD Players Electric Kettles and Thermoses, Desk lamps Umbrella Frames The umbrella material (plastic) can be disposed of with Burnable Garbage.</p> <p>Glass</p> <p>Lighting Equipment Old Batteries Fluorescent lamps (Unbroken) Oil & Dressing Containers Ceramics Teacups, flowerpots, plates, small teapots</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Please dispose of all beverage cans and bottles as Recyclables. ■ Cut the electrical cord for all household electronics from the base where it connects to the device before disposing of them. ■ Please remove anything from the inside if there is something inside of it. ■ Please dispose of aerosol cans with hazardous materials. ■ Please dispose of lighters with hazardous materials. ■ Please use a designated non-burnable garbage bag. 						
Bulk Garbage	Larger Items	<p>Please disassemble before throwing out!</p> <p>Furniture Polyurethane mattresses, rugs (cut into thirds), carpet, cushions, (Max 6 per disposal day) Doors, Sliding doors, Paper sliding doors, Tatami mats, Storm shutters, Aluminum sash windows (Max 6 per disposal day) Gas Stoves Vacuum Cleaners Fan Heater (With all kerosene drained out of it) Fans Futons (Max 5 per disposal day) Beds, Folding curtains, Sofas, Wheelchairs, Baby strollers, etc. (Please disassemble before throwing out)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Sofas, beds, and anything with springs needs to be taken apart. Please separate the springs from the mat before disposing of them. ■ For items like floor chairs please remove the metal frame from the material and dispose of them separately. ■ For household electronics (other than household electronics that can be recycled and personal computers), please place them in a designated non-burnable garbage bag and dispose of on a non-burnable garbage collection day. ■ Cut the electrical cord for all household electronics from the base where it connects to the device before disposing of them. ■ For anything that can be disassembled, please separate into either metal and burnable garbage when disposing of them. Note: Please refer to the bottom of this page for information on undisposable items. 						
	Hazardous Materials	<p>Gas Gas canisters, Spray cans, etc.</p> <p>Spray Lighters Mercury thermometers Mercury blood pressure machine E-cigarettes, vapers</p> <p>Lithium-ion batteries Cell phones Electric shavers Mobile batteries Electric toothbrushes</p> <p>If you can remove the lithium-ion battery, then please do.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Be certain that you have removed the lithium-ion battery or battery from your household electronics before disposal. The batteries can be disposed of with hazardous materials. ■ Please take apart lighters and remove the gas inside. ■ For aerosol cans, spray cans, and the like, please be certain to poke a hole in them and remove all gas from the inside. Note: When poking a hole in a can, exercise great caution and do it outdoors. ■ Please use either a designated non-burnable garbage bag or a translucent plastic bag. 						
Recyclables	Beverage Glass Bottles	<p>Beer bottles Assorted glass bottles Juice bottles Vinegar bottles Energy drinks</p> <p>Broken glass bottles go with Non-burnable Garbage</p> <p>① Always remove the cap (Removed caps go with Non-burnable garbage) ② Wash out the inside</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Beer bottles, glass bottles for assorted alcohols, and any other glass bottles designed for human consumption. (This includes wine bottles and other drink-related bottles) ■ Anything smaller than 10 cm can be disposed of with non-burnable garbage. ■ Please dispose of porcelain, cooking oil bottles, and baby bottles with non-burnable garbage. ■ Please use either a designated non-burnable garbage bag or a translucent plastic bag. 						
	White Plastic Trays	<p>Milk Carton, etc.</p> <p>Wash milk cartons out with water, cut them as shown, and please allow to dry before disposal.</p> <p>Wash with water</p> <p>White Plastic Tray Containers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Be absolutely certain to remove any plastic film or vinyl coating from white plastic tray containers. The film or coating can be disposed of with burnable garbage. ■ Please use either a designated non-burnable garbage bag or a translucent plastic bag. 						
	Beverage Aluminum & Steel Cans	<p>① Always remove the cap (Removed caps go with Non-burnable Garbage)</p> <p>② Always empty out the cans entirely. ③ Wash with water.</p> <p>Note: Do not crush cans</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ The Beverage category only refers to aluminum and steel cans with a recycle mark on them. ■ Cans like those for milk powder or seaweed are considered non-burnable garbage. ■ Please use either a designated non-burnable garbage bag or a translucent plastic bag. 						
	PET Bottles	<p>Juices Water Alcoholic beverages Soy Sauce</p> <p>① Always remove the cap ② Wash out the inside</p> <p>Note: Do not crush PET bottles</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Check to ensure the PET bottle has a recycle mark on it. If it doesn't then please dispose of it with your burnable garbage. ■ Place all removed caps in a small bag and then place that small bag of caps inside the larger bag with the PET bottles. ■ Please use either a designated non-burnable garbage bag or a translucent plastic bag. 						
	Newspapers Cardboard Boxes	<p>Newspapers, flyers Old Magazines (Wrapping paper, paper bags, memo pads, postcards, envelopes, empty sweets boxes, tissue paper boxes, etc.) Cardboard boxes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Please separate by type and bind with a rope or string. ■ For foldable flyers that came from the newspaper, please roll them inside of the newspaper and then put out for disposal. ■ Please cut cardboard and sweets boxes open and dispose of together with old magazines. ■ Dispose of the plastic bags of junk mail separately as burnable garbage. 						
Undisposable Items	Please contact a specialist experienced with taking these items.		<p>Please take directly to the Marutanomori Clean Center</p> <p>○ Temporarily large amounts of garbage - Large amounts of garbage from moving or doing a deep clean. ★ General house garbage can be disposed of for free ★ Branches must be no thicker than 7cm and no longer than 1 meter. ○ Business-related garbage - Garbage created by shops, restaurants, and businesses. Accepted Monday to Saturday at a cost of 50 yen per 10 kg of garbage ○ Please present identification when coming to dispose of garbage. ○ When transporting garbage in a vehicle, please ensure that your vehicle is under two tons. ○ Please be certain to separate your garbage into burnable and non-burnable when you bring it to the center.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Examples</th> <th>Accepting Days</th> <th>Hours of Operation</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Burnable garbage, Non-burnable garbage, Bulk garbage, Recyclables, Hazardous materials</td> <td>Monday through Saturday (Excluding holidays)</td> <td>From 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. From 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Examples	Accepting Days	Hours of Operation	Burnable garbage, Non-burnable garbage, Bulk garbage, Recyclables, Hazardous materials	Monday through Saturday (Excluding holidays)	From 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. From 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
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<p>Note: These are examples of undisposable items. If you are uncertain, please contact the city.</p> <p>○ This includes motorcycles, bathtubs, solar water-heaters, bath heaters, fireproof safes, industrial waste, wires, electrical wiring, oil drums, and more, in addition to the items listed above. ○ For items that cannot be disposed of with the city, please speak to the store which sold you the item to have them collect it, or request a specialist to collect it. (Service not free of charge.) ○ Per the "Law for the Promotion of Utilization of Recyclable Resources," when disposing of personal-use computers, please contact the maker of your electronic directly. ○ For disposal of refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, TVs, air conditioners, and clothing dryers, please follow the guidelines outlined in the "Home Appliance Recycling Act."</p>									
<p>Map</p> <p>For comments and questions: Marutanomori Clean Center 401-0022, Otsuki City, Hatsukari-Machi, Nakahatsukari 3274 ☎0554-20-2651 URL: http://www.otsuki-tsuru.or.jp</p>									