

SESSION 2.3 -CREATING  
AWARENESS ON RECYCLING

SEPARATE COLLECTION OF  
RECYCLABLES



*Jet Set Clean Nadi*

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# INTRODUCTION



- NTC introduced separate collection of recyclables under JICA Waste Minimization and Recycling Promotion Project in 2008.
- Piloted in one area (Matavolivoli)
- Expanded to other areas of town boundary
- NTC has sustained and continued collection services as per schedule.

# Basic procedure of recycling



**Separation/  
Storage**

**Community  
(each household)**



**Discharge**



**Collection — Council (contractor)**



**Sorting**



**Recycling  
Market**

**Recycling company**





# Implementation System




## 1. Prepare Awareness Materials

### ① Leaflet

Health Department  
Nadi Town Council  
P.O. Box 241, Nadi  
Phone: 872 3333, 893 2823

Notice from Nadi Town Council  
Separate Collection Service of Recyclables and Garbage Collection Service - Martintar



#### Separate Collection Service of Recyclables

- Frequency: Twice a month (2nd & 4th Wednesdays)
- Targets Items
  - PET Bottles Plastic Bags**  
Please with water. Remove caps.
  - Hard Plastics**  
Must be washed. Remove caps & lids.
  - Paper, Newspaper, Office Paper, Magazines**  
No dirty paper. Pack papers in plastic bags.
  - Cardboard**  
Cut into small pieces. No dirty paper. Must be dry and clean. Flattened carton boxes are not accepted.
  - Metal: Any kinds of metal such as brass, copper and iron, but small size items**  
Food Cans must be washed and dry from food residue.
  - Old clothes**  
Must be dry and clean.
- NON RECYCLABLES**  
Note: Milk packets, egg crates, noodle packets, snack packets, styrofoam, shoes and bags are non recyclables so pls discharge these items with garbage.
- How to store**  
Please keep recyclables in a nylon bag distributed to your house or any discharge container.
- How to discharge**  
Place the bag on the curb side by 7 a.m. Do not discharge cartons on a rainy day.

#### Garbage Collection Service

Nadi Town Council is now changing and reducing the frequency of garbage collection from three (3) times to twice a week with the introduction of one day of recyclables collection in the Martintar residential areas.

- Frequency: twice a week
- Martintar Ward - Monday & Friday**
- Targets Items
  - Most Waste** except bulky waste and recyclables
  - Kitchen waste**  
Dirty bottles and cans  
Diaper
  - Dirty plastic products**  
Scrap paper  
Milk packets.
- How to Store and Discharge**
  - Please keep waste in a container with tightly fitted lid.
  - Place your container on the curb side by 6 a.m.



The collection team will go through the area once only and the council will not be responsible for the removal of any refuse placed after the allocated time. Any person found abandoning or depositing refuse/litter after the collection schedule will be issued with a spot fine of \$40.00 under the Litter (Amendment) ACT 2010 and Litter Act 2008.

#### WASTE MANAGEMENT

##### Separate collection service of recyclables and Garbage collection

In 2018 Nadi Town Council will continue with the separate collection of recyclables as has been the practice since 2011.

#### TARGET ITEMS

Paper, newspaper, office paper, magazine, cardboard, old clothes (dry and clean), PET bottles, plastic bottles, hard plastics (dry and clean), Metals-copper, brass and iron.

#### TOWN WARD

**Separate collection service of Recyclables**  
Frequency: twice a month (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays).

**Garbage collection service**  
Frequency: Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

#### MARTINTAR WARD

**Separate collection service of Recyclables**  
Frequency: (Residential): Twice a month (2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays).  
Frequency: (Commercial): Weekly every Wednesday.

**Garbage collection service**  
Frequency (Residential): Monday, Wednesday and Friday.  
Frequency: (Commercial): 5 days per week except Wednesdays and Sundays.

#### NAMAKA WARD

**Separate collection service of Recyclables**  
Frequency (Residential): Twice a month.

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays: Bountiful, Waqadra Housing, Namaka Park, Waqadra Cooperative, Beddoes and Namaka Industrial.

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays: ATS Stage I/II, Concave Subdivision, Votuaiva Low cost, Deo Street, Matavolivoli, Savunawai, Tanoa Housing.  
Frequency (Commercial): Weekly every Thursday

**Garbage collection service**  
Frequency: (Residential): Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.  
Frequency: (Commercial): 5 days per week except Thursday and Sunday.

#### NOTES:

**How to Store Recyclables**  
Please keep recyclables in a nylon bag distributed to your house or any discharge container.

**How to Discharge Recyclables**  
Please keep recyclables in a nylon bag distributed to your house or any discharge container. Place the bag /discharge containers on the curb side by 7.00am. Do not discharge cartons/ clothes on the rainy day.

#### 'NO COLLECTION OF RECYCLABLES ON PUBLIC HOLIDAYS'

**Separation at source** **Discharge manner**

**Home Composting**  
Home composting is an effective activity to treat residential kitchen and garden waste which is easy to manage. The council is promoting home composting as part of its waste minimization plan and is promoting organic compost use in home gardens. If you are interested in home composting, please call into our office for more information.

**Compost Bin** **Organic waste composting**

**Dog/Cat Control Exercise**  
The Nadi Town Council is inundated with both domesticated and stray dog/cat complaints from its ratepayers and the directive by the Ministry of Local Government Housing and Environment for councils to take proactive role in the control of stray animals has prompted the Council to arrange for continuous dog/cat trapping exercise within the municipal boundary assisted by the Ministry of Agriculture.







# 1. PREPARE AWARENESS MATERIALS



## ② Discharge container



## ③ Sticker





## 2. DOOR-TO- DOOR VISITS



- Very effective way to deliver council's message to people.
- Calendar /circular is distributed house to house creating awareness to the residents.



Training for 3R Promoters



House-to-house visit by 3R Promoters



Visit households by council staffs



Visit households by council staffs





### 3. COMMUNITY MEETING



- Community meeting were organized after the door-to-door visit. (Invitation distributed during the door-to-door visit)
- Held preliminary meeting with community representatives to decide the date and venue.
- **Residential area:** conducted by area unit
- **Commercial area:** in cooperation with Chamber of Commerce







## 4. ANNOUNCEMENT



- Announcement (during collection) is very useful to remind people to discharge recyclables on the collection day.
- Collection truck is installed with the sound system, melody or music /announcement to remind or signal to residents of the recyclable collection day.
- Message is modified based on the changes in the system
- People accustomed to the collection system – no announcement







## 5. SUSTAINABILITY



- NTC has sustained and continued with separate collection of recyclables as per schedule.



Separate Bins installed along the Main Street

- Awareness during Festival



3R Stations during Bula Festival





# 6. RECYCLING IN SCHOOLS

## WASTE SEPARATION & RECYCLING







Workshop for teachers



Professional Development Session for teachers



## Awareness raising for Students



## Awareness raising for Parents







## 7. MONITORING

- Monitoring is the most important process for successful recyclables collection.
- It should be conducted during the collection work for the first few months at least. Initially Council staff & community representatives accompany the collection work for monitoring
- Monitoring is carried out during every collection for mixing of the recyclables with other waste and advice given accordingly.





## Regular monitoring of school recycling activities





- Continuous awareness of the activities is indispensable to bring about behavioral change.
- Regular monitoring and advice is important to change the mindset of people in order to improve the participation rate.
- Strengthening the awareness raising programs for the residents is essential.
- Need to have relevant legislation to compel citizens to practice this system. Currently residents are doing this on a voluntary basis.



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政府機関

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近況    写真・動画    イベント、大事な出来事など

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Judging for Clean School Program 2015.

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# Thank you

Let's work together to  
promote 3R in the  
region!

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Nadi's environmental character