

# Consultation on colours for bins and bin lids for recycling and waste containers

## Open consultation

If you would like your views to be taken into consideration, please complete the attached Proposed Amendments and Response Form.

## Where to send feedback

Email: [jenny@wasteminz.govt.nz](mailto:jenny@wasteminz.govt.nz)

## Deadline for feedback

Only written feedback on the Proposed Amendments and Response Form will be considered. Feedback must be received by 5pm on Sunday 6 of August.

## PRIVACY

All feedback received will remain the property of WasteMINZ and will be shared with the Standardising Colours of Waste and Recycling Containers Technical Working Group in order to guide in decision making.

It is not intended that a summary of submissions be published.

Details of respondent:

**Name:**

**Position:**

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**Address:**

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**Email:**

**Daytime Phone:**

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I am responding:

as an individual

on behalf of an organisation

**Organisation/business name (if applicable):**

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Please tick the box below that best describes the representation you provide for this consultation:

**Local Government**

Territorial Authority

Regional Council

**Industry**

Waste management company

Community Group involved in the waste sector

**Other**

Consultant

Educator



Researcher

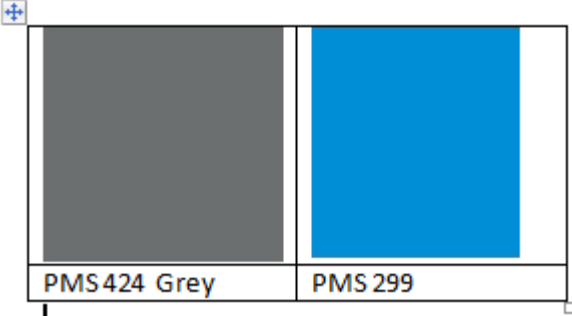
Central Government

Product Stewardship organisation

Non-Government Organisation (NGO)

Other (please describe)

<p>Question 1</p> <p>Do you agree that there are benefits to the public in standardising the colours of waste and recycling containers?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Question 2</p> <p>Do you agree that separate waste streams should have distinctive colours to minimise confusion?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Question 3</p> <p>Do you agree that commingled glass only and paper should have different colours from each other? Why? Why not?</p> <p>Note the current status quo is shown</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Figure 1 PMS 299 used in NZ for glass</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Figure 2 RAL 5015 used in AUS for paper</p> </div> </div>
<p>Question 4</p> <p>Do you agree with the recommendation from the steering committee that grey</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p>

<p>PMS 424 should be used for paper and that PMS 299 should be used for commingled glass only collections? If not what alternative colours are you proposing and why?</p>	
<p>Question 5</p> <p>What are the impacts for your organisation or any other organisations that you work with if these colours were adopted?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Question 6</p> <p>Are you willing over time to adopt these colours in your organisation or organisations you work with</p> <p>Why? Why not?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p>
<p>Question 7</p> <p>Do you have any further information or comments to assist the Behaviour Change Steering Committee to make a recommendation?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Comments:</p>