



The municipality of Alaró in Mallorca is part of the Mancomunitat des Raiguer. The recycling collection of waste is organized together with eight other municipalities: Binissalem, Búger, Campanet, Consell, Mancor de la Vall, Lloseta, Santa Maria del Camí i Selva.

A weekly doorstep recycling collection started more than 10 years ago, in which according to a weekly calendar, each household disposes of 5 different waste fractions (organics, light packaging, glass, paper/cardboard as well as non-recyclable residual waste) on the street in front of its door. There are no garbage containers on the streets. There is the 'Parc Verd' (Household waste recycling centre) where every neighbour can dispose of the majority of household waste. The households, which are outside the urban area, must bring their waste to the 'Parc Verd'.

In year 2017 a pay-as-you-throw system was implemented that applies the polluter-pays principle, where the collection of every residual waste works only with a RED AUTHORISED BAG except the diapers fraction that can be collected with a WHITE AUTHORISED BAG.

This system of collection has allowed to achieve high recycling rate levels and reduce the environmental impacts associated to the waste thanks to the collaboration of all.

What is the RED AUTHORISED BAG?



The **RED AUTHORISED BAG** is the only bag allowed to take out the residual waste and therefore discourage not separating properly the waste and therefore reduce the residual waste. By paying the fixed municipal waste tax every household gets a determined number of red authorised bags. If a household generates more residual waste, for the extra bags needed each household has to pay the variable tax. The tax

for each extra red authorised bag represents the cost of treatment of an average residual waste bag. The rates are specified in the current waste tax ordinance.

What is the WHITE AUTHORISED BAG?



The **WHITE AUTHORISED BAG** is also an authorized bag that the municipality facilitates for free, once need justified and registered, that allows the households to dispose of diapers, nappies and pet excrements either at the doorstep the days that the calendar establishes or at the Parc Verd. In some cases, special sanitary waste can also go in this bag.

WEEKLY CALENDAR FOR DOORSTEP RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEME

A ALARÓ
RECICLAM CALENDARI DE RECOLLIDA SELECTIVA PORTA A PORTA

abans de les 9 h

DILLUNS

DIMARTS
Vidre
Paper/Cartró

DIMECRES

DIJOUS

DIVENDRES

DISSABTE

DIUMENGE

de 19 a 20 h

Orgànica

Envasos lleugers

Orgànica

Rebuig

Envasos lleugers

Orgànica

Bolquers

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Per a la recollida de voluminosos (mobles, matalassos, electrodomèstics, i altres) telefona a l'ajuntament al 971 51 00 00

Mancomunitat des Raiguer ILLES BALEARS

AJUNTAMENT D'ALARÓ

PARC VERD

The Parc Verd or household waste recycling centre is a municipal facility with access control where the neighbours can dispose of almost all their household waste. There are collection points for the following waste streams:

Household waste:

- ✓ Paper and cardboard (“Paper/Cartró”)
- ✓ Glass (“Vidre”)
- ✓ Light packaging (“Envasos Lleugers”)
- ✓ Organic matter (“Orgànica”)
- ✓ Residual waste (“Rebuig”). This can only be accepted in the authorized red bag or with the standardized sticker bought in the facility.
- ✓ Nappies, diapers or pet excrements (“Bolquers”). This can only be accepted in the authorized white bag
- ✓ Electrical and electronic devices without CFC (large household appliances, small electrical appliances, computer and telecommunications equipment, electrical appliances, lighting equipment)
- ✓ Electrical appliances with CFC (refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, etc.)
- ✓ Bulky waste: furniture, mattress, mattress base and similar.
- ✓ Clothes and footwear
- ✓ Scrap iron
- ✓ Green waste from pruning and gardening
- ✓ Alkaline and button batteries
- ✓ Hazardous waste packaging
- ✓ Waste mineral oil

- ✓ Waste vegetable oil
- ✓ Fluorescent lamps, low consumption bulbs, low pressure sodium lamps, high intensity discharge lamps, including pressure sodium lamps and metallic halide lamps
- ✓ Car batteries
- ✓ Small quantities of construction and demolition waste from small-scale works
- ✓ Small quantities of reduced size of waste with asbestos

The municipality can modify the list of accepted waste in accordance with the regulations.

Location

The Parc Verd of Alaró is in:

Av. Constitució 79, (next to the Cemetery)



Opening times

From Monday to Friday from 7.00 to 10.00 h and from 17.00 to 20.00h

Saturdays from 9.00 to 13.00 h

Sundays from 9.00 to 13.00 h

Attention! Residual waste and nappies in the authorized bags only!

If you need further information or this one in other languages, please email mediambient@mancomunitatdesraiguer.net or call Ajuntament d'Alaró 971 51 00 00 or the Mancomunitat des Raiguer 971 87 04 09.

We thank you in advance for your collaboration to altogether keep improving the separate collection of waste in Alaró.

Do you know where everything goes?



ORGANIC MATTER

In a plastic bag in a bin or hanging

YES

Fruit, veggies, meet and fish waste
Egg shells, nuts and shellfish
Pasta, rice and bread waste
Small garden waste (leaves, bouquets, herbs, etc.)
Coffee waste and tea bags
Kitchen paper and serviettes

NO

Liquids (broth, milk, oil)
Packaging, aluminium foil
Big vegetal wastes or with pesticides
Pet excrements
Ashes and cigarette butts
Dust from brushing or vacuum, ceramic waste or stones



LIGHT PACKAGING

In a bin or plastic bag

YES

Empty plastic packaging (water, drinks, detergent, toiletries, yogurts, etc.).
Beverage and food cans
Empty tetra packs (milk, juice, etc.)
Plastic bags
Metal and plastic lids. Aerosols
Plastic and foam food trays and aluminium foil

NO

Non-empty packaging
Toys, plastic furniture
CD's
Plastic tube or hose
Glass



PAPER/CARTBOARD

In paper bags, cardboard box or in a bundle

YES

Newspaper, magazines
Books and notebooks
Clean folded cardboard
Paper sheets
Wrapping paper

NO

Kitchen paper and serviettes
Plasticized paper (from the butcher's, etc.)
Paper with oil, paint or food remaining's
Aluminium foil or carbon copy
Paperclips or staples



Glass containers

In a reusable bin or box (never in a plastic bag)

YES

Glass bottles
Glass jars

NO

Lids, caps or corks
Ceramic pieces, mirrors or flat glass
Light bulbs or fluorescents
Plates, drinking- glasses, wine glasses



RESIDUAL WASTE

In the authorised red bag

YES

Brushing dust and vacuum bags
Dirty paper
Plates, drinking- glasses, wine glasses
Ceramic pieces, mirrors or flat glass
Ashes and cigarette butts
Hygiene residues (sanitary towels, nappies, tampons)
Pet excrement's

NO

Any recyclable residue
Waste that need special treatment: batteries, construction waste, containers of dangerous products, medicines, waste cooking oil



NAPPIES OR DIAPERS

In the authorized white bag

YES

Nappies, infant or adult
Pet excrements of registered dogs or cats