

INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO USE PIPELINE-BASED WASTE COLLECTION SYSTEM

Sorting correctly is important

There are five separate waste collection hatches, please be careful not to mix them up. The units are colour coded based on the type of waste collected.

WRITE DOWN HERE the serial numbers of your electronic keys:

IN ORDER TO USE THE COLLECTION POINTS you will need an electronic key to open the collection point hatches. If you have lost your key, you may order a new one from the Helpdesk: tel 020 711 8457 (on weekdays from 8 to 20, Saturdays from 9 to 18). Please have the serial number of the missing key ready when reporting it lost. The price of a new key is 25 €/key.

According to Finnish legislation on waste management, biowaste and mixed waste must be placed in a bag. Biowaste must have its own, biodegradable bag; mixed waste can be placed in e.g. regular grocery store plastic bags. The plastic packages should also be placed in a plastic bag.

The waste hatch will only accommodate one bag (with a size of no more than 20 liters) at a time. You cannot place any long or large items in the system; they belong in the sorting room. A wrong item might cause a malfunction and extra operating costs.

YOU CANNOT PLACE IN THE TUBE

For example, any of the following items/materials: rugs, Christmas trees, clothes, ice hockey sticks, umbrellas, binders/folders, tree branches, corrugated board, pans, polystyrene, toasters and other devices/appliances or hazardous waste.



CARTON PACKAGES

Milk and juice cartons, cereal and cookie packages, sugar and flour bags, pastry boxes, egg cartons, cardboard packages of beverages, paper roll cores, plastic surface wrapping paper, paper bags.

REMEMBER: Rinse liquid containers after use, flatten and place them inside an empty container. Tear up pizza boxes before placing them in the tube.



PAPER

Newspapers, magazines, advertisements, brochures, catalogues, copy and drawing paper, soft-cover books, paper bags and envelopes made of white paper.

REMEMBER: Avoid blocking the tube - throw papers loose or in small unbound bundles. Do not place them in brown paper bags or plastic bags.



BIOWASTE

Leftovers from meat, fish, fruit, bread and vegetables; eggshells, coffee grounds, filter bags, kitchen paper, cut flowers.

REMEMBER: Use a bag designated for biowaste; be sure to close the bag carefully.



PLASTIC PACKAGES

Empty, clean and dry plastic food packaging, detergent, shampoo and soap packaging, plastic bottles, cans and jars, plastic carrier bags, bags and wrappings. Caps, covers and pump parts separately.

REMEMBER: Pack plastic packaging into a plastic bag before placing it in the tube.

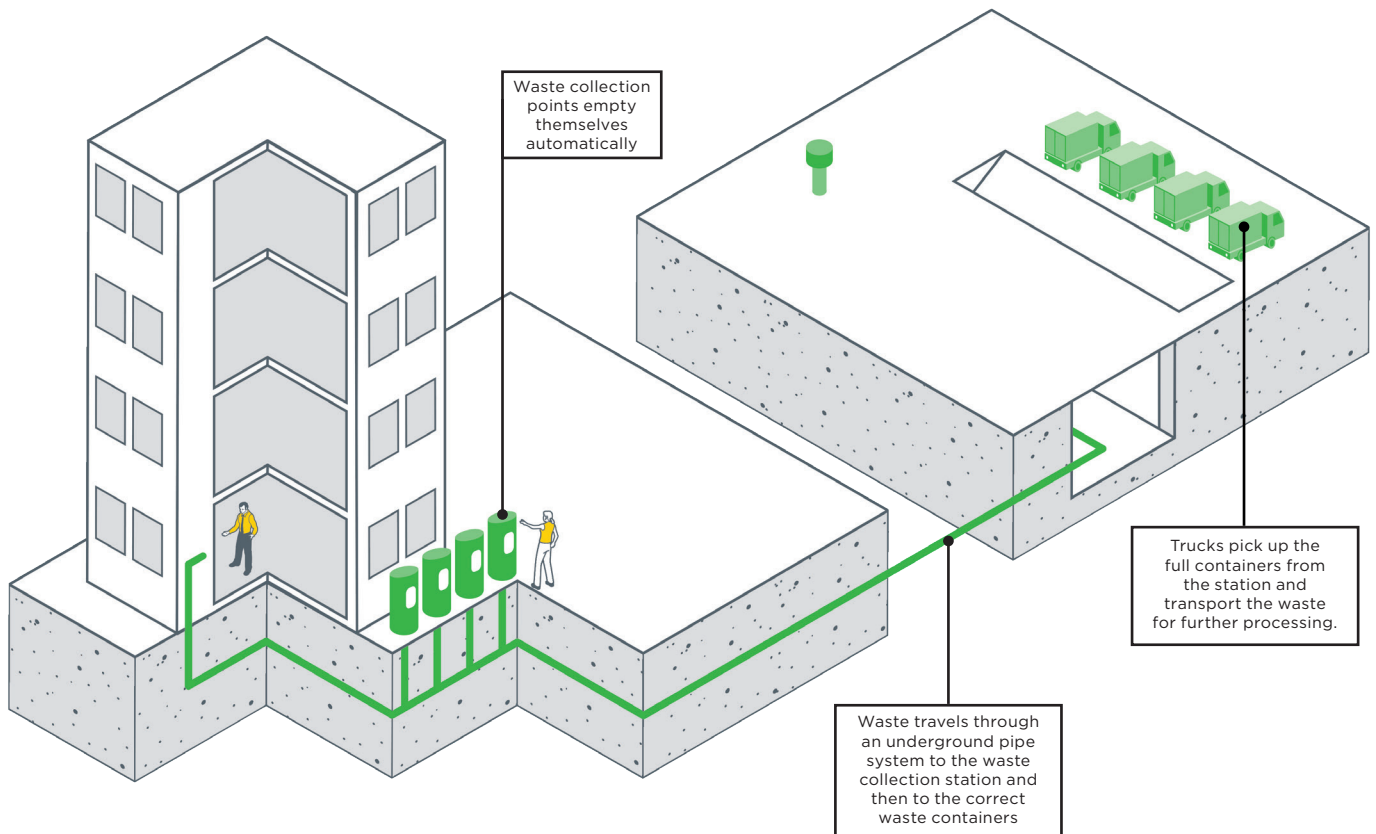


MIXED WASTE

Plastic bags, diapers, dirty packages, small plastic items.

REMEMBER: A regular plastic bag is well suited for the task - but leave one third (1/3) of the bag empty and close it carefully.

OPERATIONAL PRINCIPLE OF THE SYSTEM



Do this:

AT HOME

- 1** SORT OUT the waste carefully according to instructions.

AT THE HATCH

- 2** TAKE THE ELECTRONIC key over the black reader above the hatch. The reader will sound a signal and a green light will turn on as a sign that the reader has recognised the key and that the waste collection point can be used. The hatch will now open. In case of a system malfunction, the hatch does not open, and a red light is lit. Please wait a moment and try again or use another waste collection point for the same type of waste if possible.
- 3** WHEN THE HATCH OPENS drop the waste from the outlet. Please make sure waste is not left between the hatch and the edge of the collection point. Please make sure that no trash fell on the ground.

YOU CAN always call Help Desk, if you are not sure what is the right course of action. Items collected in the SORTING ROOM are small metal items, glass packages, large mixed waste items and large cardboard, which does not fit through the hatch. Furniture and electric/electronic equipment does not belong in the sorting room. You can also order Sortti pick-up service for large objects through HSY's customer service, tel. 09 1561 2110 (on weekdays from 8.30 to 15.30). You can find your local sorting room at: www.keskipasilankita.fi/en

Contact information

MARIMATIC OY monitors the operation of the waste recycling system 24 hours a day. If there is a malfunction with the system (for example the hatch won't open, the collection point is full or there is some other kind of specific problem) please call the: HELPDESK NUMBER 020 711 8457 (ON WEEKDAYS FROM 8 TO 20, SATURDAYS FROM 9 TO 18).

IF YOU WISH to give any other kind of feedback, or if the situation is not so urgent that it requires immediate action, you may also submit feedback through the website: www.keskipasilankita.fi/en/contact/

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