



# ballina shire council

## Lift the Lid Program - Waste Audits

As part of the ongoing regional Recycle Right campaign, Ballina Shire Council is introducing a Lift the Lid audit program where kerbside recycling and organics bins are visually checked for incorrect items.

The purpose of the program is to provide direct education and feedback to residents who may be confused or require extra assistance to recycle right. It also allows Council to assess and improve our waste services and community education programs.

Our waste staff will move through Ballina Shire inspecting bins. If your bin is not contaminated, well done! Residents with minor bin contamination will be given information on what the incorrect item is and what bin it should go in.

Bins with excessive contamination will not be collected. The residence will be provided with information on what goes in what bin and will be required to re-sort the bin's contents to remove the contaminating items, and either transport the bin to the Ballina Waste Management Centre or re-present it for the next collection day.

**Enquiries:** Samala Heart, Waste Education Officer, **Ph 1300 864 444.**

## RIVER STREET UPGRADE - PARK AND STROLL

RIVER STREET  
**upgrade**

As the much needed upgrade to River Street in Ballina is well underway and on track, please continue to support the River Street traders.

You may not be able to park right out the front, but there's still plenty of parking in other locations in the town centre. New carparking has also been created in River Street adjacent to the RSL underground parking and there is plenty of parking in the lanes behind the main street.

Park the car and take a stroll, you may be surprised at the vast array of choice available, not just Ballina but in all our town centres.

For project updates visit **[ballina.nsw.gov.au/riverstreetupgrade](http://ballina.nsw.gov.au/riverstreetupgrade)**

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