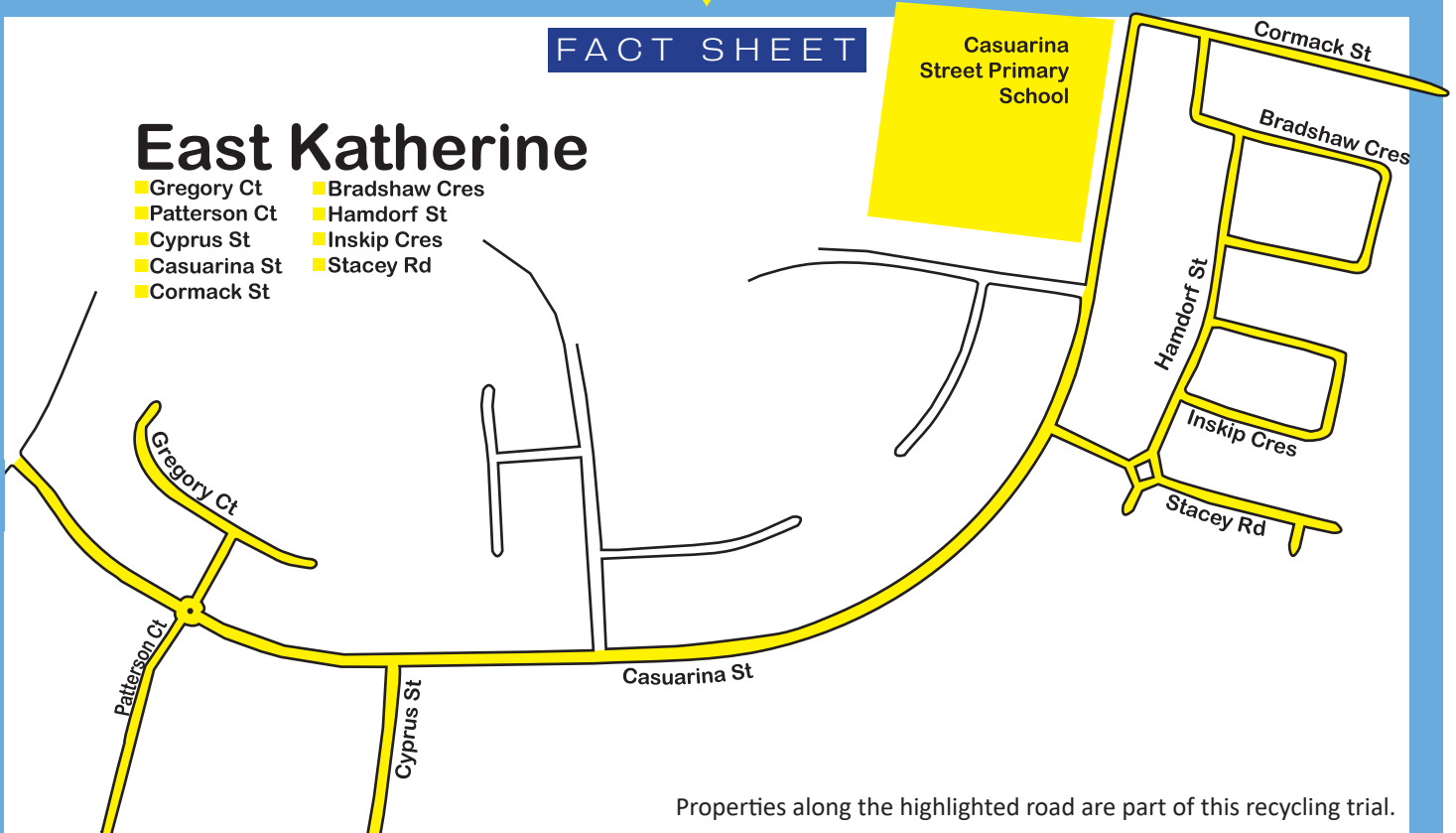


# RECYCLING TRIAL

## FACT SHEET

### East Katherine

- Gregory Ct
- Patterson Ct
- Cyprus St
- Casuarina St
- Cormack St
- Bradshaw Cres
- Hamdorf St
- Inskip Cres
- Stacey Rd



Properties along the highlighted road are part of this recycling trial.

**Your property has been selected to be part of a recycling trial.**

This trial will begin:

**Wednesday June 21, 2023**

Your recycling bin collection will be:

**Fortnightly on Wednesdays**

- Wednesday, June 21
- Wednesday, July 5
- Wednesday, July 19
- Wednesday, August 2
- Wednesday, August 16
- Wednesday, August 30
- Wednesday, September 13
- Wednesday, September 27
- Wednesday, October 11
- Wednesday, October 25
- Wednesday, November 8
- Wednesday, November 22

*The trial may continue after these dates.*



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**KATHERINE**  
TOWN COUNCIL

## ABOUT THIS TRIAL

Around 250 properties will participate in this six-month trial. Katherine Town Council will provide you with a 240L recycling bin in early June.

## HOW TO RECYCLE

Your new recycling bin will include a sticker to help sort your recyclables. Your help to ensure your load is not contaminated with non-recyclables makes our job easier and is much appreciated.

## BENEFITS

This trial will provide council with data on what the participation uptake was, what challenges there were, how well residents sorted their bins, and what volume was diverted from landfill.

This data may help secure future recycling opportunities for Katherine.

## WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

### Recycling diverts rubbish

Recycling items means reduces the amount going to landfill, which increases the lifetime of our waste facility. Katherine's waste pit has about a decade left before it needs to be capped and another location used.

A new facility will cost Katherine and its ratepayers and in reducing the amount going there, this will help to delay this cost and potentially, if new technologies are implemented to deal with waste, it may not be required.

### Multi-use goods

Our society is slowly moving away from single-use petroleum-based plastic, which doesn't break down. Recycling means other products may be made from them, giving them a second life.

This reduces the need to create new resources, reducing consumption and carbon emissions that impact our planet's lifespan.



# What can you recycle?



## Clean plastic containers



Clean glass containers

Clean aluminum containers

Clean cardboard



No plastic bags



No plastic wrappers



No styrofoam



No electronics, batteries or lights



No paper towels, small strips of paper



No ceramics and broken dishware