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More recycling coming up

For you - living in Skt. Knuds Gade, Fredensgade, or Gormsgade

As from August 2022, Odense Municipality and Odense Waste Management will expand the waste service, so we collect ten waste fractions from all homes. The expansion means that in the future we will also collect plastics and food and beverage cartons at the kerb. The expansion is caused by the National Climate Plan from 2020 deciding, among others, that all local authorities must collect the same ten waste fractions.

Changes to waste solution

For homes in Skt. Knuds Gade, Fredensgade, or Gormsgade this means that the underground residual waste containers in the area will be replaced with containers with two underground compartments - one for residual waste and one for food waste. It will appear clearly which waste type goes into what inlet. The underground food waste container located at the drop-off centre in Skt. Knuds Gade will also be changed. In the future this inlet will be for plastics and food & beverage cartons that should be disposed for recycling here.

Plastics and food & beverage cartons are disposed in the same inlet. After collection the resources are sorted in a sorting plant thereby ensuring recycling of rigid plastics, flexible plastics, and food and beverage cartons.

Temporary containers at drop-off centre

We expect that the underground waste containers in Skt. Knuds Gade, Fredensgade, and Gormsgade will be replaced before the end of the year. From September 9th 2022, new temporary containers for plastics and food & beverage cartons will be located at the drop-off centre. These containers should be used until the underground containers are ready for use.

Info package in your mailbox

To give you a good start with the new system you will receive an info package in your mailbox in August. The info package consists of a sorting pamphlet, a sorting poster, and a number of stickers to stick onto your indoor bins.

We hope you will welcome the expansion of the waste system in Odense Municipality; it will make it easier to sort more waste for recycling - thereby doing good for the environment and future generations.

On www.odensewaste.com you can always find more information about fees, systems, and recycling.

Best regards,
Odense Municipality and Odense Waste Management