

Residential Commingled Systems in Southwest WA

Jurisdiction	Collection System			Type of Sort		Glass			
	Bins	Cart	Both	Single-stream	Dual-stream	Separate	All Mixed	Mixed w/Containers	Drop-off
Clallam (No curb)									
Port Angeles		.		.					●
Clark			.		.	●			
Cowlitz (No curb)									
Longview		.		.			●		
Grays Harbor		.		.					●
King (NW)									
Auburn		.		.			●		
Lewis		.		.					●
Mason		.		.					●
Shelton		.			.			●	
Pierce		.		.					●
Tacoma			.		.	●			
Thurston			.		.	●			
Olympia		.		.			●		

MRF

SP

West Van

KB (OR)

Tacoma

JMK

Waste Control

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- **Percentage of the collection program:**
 - Curbside singestream: **10%** (one jurisdiction)
 - Curbside separated: **11% - 13%** (two jurisdictions)
 - Drop-off: **4%** (one jurisdiction)

From Olympia:

Anecdotally, based on our historical data, today's percentage of glass in the recycling is almost ½ of what it was 10 to 12 years ago.

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- **Messaging to the customer:**
 - Rinsed (all jurisdictions)
 - No lids (all jurisdictions)
 - Color reference (all but two jurisdictions)
 - Shape reference (all jurisdictions)
 - Size reference (one jurisdiction)
 - Labels ok (one jurisdiction)
 - Photos (all but one jurisdiction)
 - **No's** : Broken glass, ceramics, light bulbs, mirrors, vases, window or plate glass (all but two jurisdictions include these no's)
 - Special messaging in jurisdictions that do not accept curbside.

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- **Collected the same as other materials?**
 - Yes - 3 jurisdictions
 - All mixed in singlestream
 - No - 9 jurisdictions
 - 1 mixed with containers only curbside
 - 3 separate bin curbside
 - 5 drop-off sites

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- **Does it provide revenue or is it only a cost?**
 - Cost – 4
 - Revenue – 0 (1 jurisdiction received revenue before market crash)
 - No cost sharing – 2
 - No revenue - 1