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The Hobart City Council needs to lift its game on recycling.

The experiment with the small "carry bins" for recyclables has proved successful but has gone on for too long.

It is ridiculous that the citizens of Hobart do not have kerbside collection for cardboard, nor any satisfactory system for collection of green waste.

While the HCC picks-up newspapers tied in bundles, ratepayers are forced to cram cardboard into their waste bin, which goes to landfill, or deliver it to McRobies Gully themselves.

The time is ripe for the Hobart City Council to follow the lead of other States on recycling. In other cities ratepayers have two bins – one for all recyclables and the other for waste. Separation occurs at a transfer station so that dumping in landfills is minimized. Green waste could be collected in skip bins, strategically placed.

Hobart's ratepayers want to recycle, all we need is for the HCC to lift its game.

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