



# THE WAM GUIDE

## to Reuse, Repair and Recycle Household Items

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<b>Aluminium foil</b>	<b>Scrunch foil into the size of a tennis ball, then put in yellow recycling bin</b>
<b>Batteries (household)</b>	<b>IGA &amp; Woolworths Maleny</b>
<b>Bike Repairs</b>	<b>Fix It Café Maleny Neighbourhood Centre (2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays)</b>
<b>Bread tags</b>	<b>Salvos Maleny (collected by Glasshouse War on Waste)</b>
<b>Cans / Bottles (with 10c refund label)</b>	<b>Urban Depot Pop up, Willow Lane Maleny (Wed &amp; Sat 8-11)</b>
<b>Chemicals (household/garden)</b>	<b>Beerwah Resource Recovery Centre</b>
<b>Dental Waste (eg toothbrushes)</b>	<b>Bupa Dental, Coral St Maleny</b>
<b>E-waste / electrical appliances</b>	<b>Witta Resource Recovery Centre</b>
<b>Food waste</b>	<b>Compost at home</b>
<b>Fridges / White goods</b>	<b>Witta Resource Recovery Centre, Charity shops or Facebook Marketplace if in working order</b>
<b>Furniture</b>	<b>Salvation Army pick up if in good condition</b>
<b>Garden waste / clippings</b>	<b>Compost if not seedy/weedy or Witta Resource Recovery Centre (charge applies)</b>
<b>Glasses (reading)</b>	<b>Judi Coey Optometry, Maleny Optical, Maleny Neighbourhood Centre</b>
<b>Medicines</b>	<b>Return to pharmacy including asthma inhaler metal inserts</b>
<b>Mobile phones</b>	<b>Maleny Neighbourhood Centre &amp; Salvos Maleny (for Domestic Violence victims), Woolworths, Maleny Comms (Telstra Shop), Witta Resource Recovery Centre</b>
<b>Paint / paint tins</b>	<b>Beerwah Resource Recovery Centre</b>
<b>Pens and markers</b>	<b>Beerwah Salvos &amp; Beerwah Stationery (collected by Glasshouse War on Waste)</b>
<b>Plastic bags / soft plastics</b>	<b>Woolworths Maleny (Redcycle)</b>
<b>Polystyrene and Styrofoam</b>	<b>Brisbane City Council resource recovery stations (eg Nudgee), Reverse Garbage Qld (Woolloongabba)</b>
<b>Printer/toner cartridges</b>	<b>Concept IT, Ochre Health, Witta Resource Recovery Centre</b>
<b>Rags / Textiles</b>	<b>Cotton (no buttons, zips, hooks) to local mechanics, Textiles to Crystal Waters Recycled Textiles Initiative (email Emma gemxeye@outlook.com)</b>
<b>Shoe repairs</b>	<b>Bill's Hilltop Cobbler, behind Maleny Lane (0491 390 543)</b>
<b>Tyres</b>	<b>Witta Resource Recovery Centre</b>
<b>X-rays</b>	<b>Beerwah Resource Recovery Centre</b>