

## Temporary Measure for Household Waste Collection

Dear resident,

To reduce the nuisance caused by household waste bags left in public spaces, the municipality is introducing a temporary measure.

### What is changing?

From **22 June 2026**, the municipality will place above-ground containers for household waste at several central locations in the town centre every week.

These containers are intended only for residents whose household waste is currently collected using waste bags.

If you already use another waste collection facility, such as an underground waste container or a wheelie bin, nothing will change for you.

You are receiving this letter because a temporary above-ground waste container will be placed in your area.

### When will the containers be available?

The above-ground waste containers will be placed every **Monday at the end of the day** and removed again on **Tuesday morning**.

This temporary measure will remain in place until an underground waste container becomes available for the households concerned.

### Why is this measure necessary?

The municipality is working on a long-term solution for collecting household waste in and around the town centre. As part of this process, suitable locations for underground waste containers are currently being investigated.

Once a decision has been made, residents will be informed through the usual communication channels.

More information about the procedure for installing underground waste containers can be found at: <https://www.wassenaar.nl/verzamelcontainers-voor-huishoudelijk-afval-in-wassenaar>

### Locations

The temporary above-ground waste containers will be placed at the following locations:

- Event Square (Evenementenplein)
- Achterweg / Luifelbaan
- Den Hoek (existing location)

An overview of these locations can be found in **Appendix 1**.

We hope this temporary measure will help reduce the nuisance caused by waste on the streets until a permanent solution is in place.

Thank you for your understanding.

If you have any questions, please contact us via: [afvalcontainer@wassenaar.nl](mailto:afvalcontainer@wassenaar.nl)

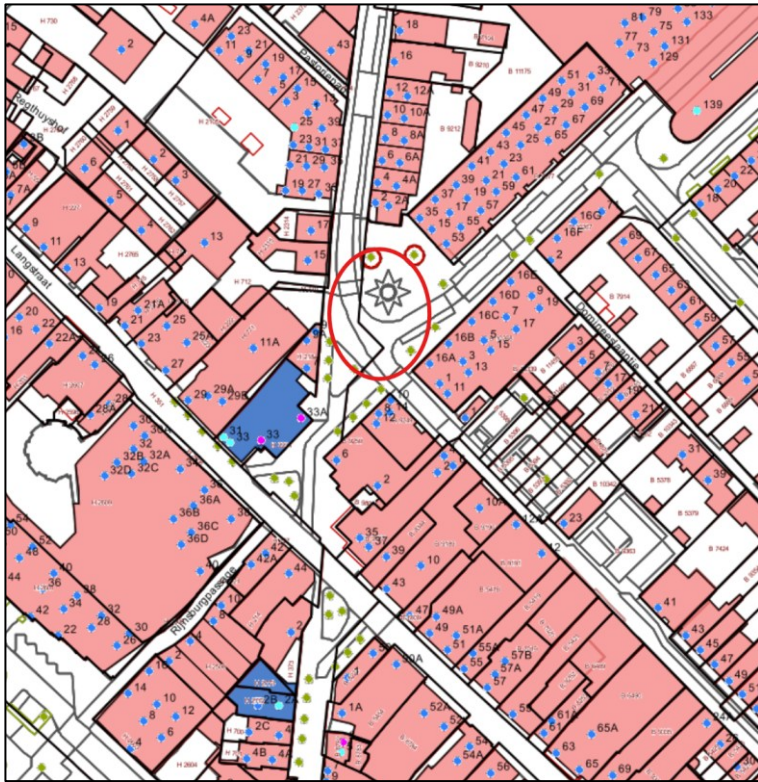
Kind regards,

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## Appendix 1

### Event Square (Evenementenplein)



Achterweg / Luifelbaan



**Den Hoek**



**Example of an above-ground waste container**

