



Inquiry into annual and financial reports 2024–25

Answer to question on notice

Asked by: Ms Jo Clay MLA

Addressed to: Minister for City and Government Services

Reference: City and Government Services

Hearing: 12/11/2025

In relation to: Goodies Junction

Question received: 20 November 2025

Answer Due: 27 November 2025

(1) How much waste has been diverted from landfill through reusable facilities centres, annually for the last 5 years (under both Green Shed and Goodies Junction contracts)? Please provide answers in both tonnage and in the number of recovered items, where both data types are available.

(2) Are Goodies required to report recovered items in item numbers, and in tonnage?

(3) Are reporting requirements being met for the current contract at reusable facilities centres?

Ms Tara Cheyne MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

(1) The tonnage rate is calculated differently in the different contracts:

- The Green Shed material accepted tonnage rate was a self-reported figure. The contracts did not require to The Green Shed to demonstrate how that figure was calculated. The verification of this information was not possible.
- The Goodies Junction tonnage rate is calculated according to a methodology which incorporates Charitable Reuse Australia reuse reporting guidelines.

The Green Shed

Year	20-21 (adjusted)*	21-22	22-23	23-24	24-25
Total material reported	12,365	9,671	13,751	9,665	
Material sent to landfill	821	340	487	438	

Goodies Junction

Year		21-22	22-23	23-24	24-25
Total material accepted				122	2,758
Material sent to landfill				15	107

*One quarter of data was missing during the 20-21 financial year. Figure has been adjusted based on the average of the other quarters in that FY.

(2) Goodies Junction are required to report the total tonnage of items diverted from Landfill as a part of its monthly reporting. Under the terms of the contract Goodies Junction are also required to report the number of items sold, which in 24-25 was reported as 873,345. It is required to report items accepted in tonnages, rather than individual item numbers.

(3) Reporting obligations are being met. The contractor operates within a performance framework and any potential or actual non-compliances are highlighted and addressed directly with the contractor.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Environment and Planning

Signature

Date:

27/11/25

By the Minister for City and Government Services, Ms Tara Cheyne MLA