Seyðisfjörður’s recycling center
opening hours

Weekdays: hr. 13:00 - 17:00
Saturdays: hr. 11:00 - 14:00

Where is it possible to get a clipcard?
Seyðisfjörður will provide residents with one clipcard. The card is valid for one year and covers up to 4.0 m³ of waste. Additional cards are sold at the municipality’s office.

How is the clipcard clipped?
The card is only clipped when it has been determined that the waste is chargeable.

Who receives a clipcard?
All property owners who pay garbage tax receive one clipcard a year that will cover a total of 4.0 m³ of chargeable waste. The cards will be sent to each eligible customer before January 1st 2020. If the card does not last for a year, a new one can be purchased.

What is done at the waste recycling area?
Employees examine and decide whether the waste is chargeable or not and direct the waste to the proper container.

How much does additional clipcard cost?
For 2020, the price of an additional clipcard is 11.408 kr. The card will cover a total of 4.0 m³ of chargeable waste. Pricing is decided by the local council. Additional cards can be purchased at the municipality’s office. Additional card does not expire, it is valid until fully clipped.

What about people who rent?
People who rent can either obtain a clipcard from their landlord (payer of the garbage tax) or buy their own card. The landlord is not obligated to hand over the card but it is in everyone’s best interest to do so.

What if the clipcard is lost?
If the card is lost, a new one would need to be purchased at the municipality’s office.

Is it possible to enter the waste recycling area without a clipcard?
No, access to the area is only possible by presenting a clipcard, so it is important to remember the card. However, a container for garden waste will always be accessible, outside the area.

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New clipcard for the recycling center in Seyðisfjörður
The importance of sorting

The best way is to sort the waste before arrival to the waste recycling area. In doing so, we protect the environment and it is the most cost-effective way forward for society. Most of what comes into the waste recycling area is reused in some way, which changes waste into a valuable material. There is no charge for this recyclable waste. Other waste, however, needs special treatment that can be very costly, and therefore it is necessary to pay for this waste. It is very important to sort correctly to prevent the loss of valuable material and make sure people are charged only when applicable.

Benefits of the clipcard

Purpose:
Sorting becomes more targeted. Costs are paid by those who create waste.

Good advice:
Sort all waste before disposing. If waste comes mixed together (chargeable and non-chargeable) all the waste will need to be paid for.

Always remember the card:
Always remember the card because it provides access to the area, even for recyclable waste which can be disposed of free of charge.

Non-chargeable waste
Cardboard, tyres, batteries, car batteries, plastic containers, metals, newspapers and paper, electronic equipment, tetrapacks, hazardous waste, agricultural film, garden waste, inert waste, bottles and cans with depositis.

Chargeable waste
General waste, corporate waste, drywall, tiles, porcelain, carpets, mattresses, bulky waste, ropes, timber painted/unpainted, fishing gear.
Clipcard

From January 1st 2020, residents of Seyðisfjörður will need a clipcard to enter the waste recycling area of the municipality.

Non-chargeable waste is received without the need to clip the card, while chargeable waste will require that the card is clipped. Each clip of the card is valid for 0.25 m³. Each card has 16 clips, which totals 4.0 m³.

Generally, each card should last a year. If a card runs out before the end of the year, it is possible to buy additional cards at the municipal administration building. Each additional card costs 11.408 kr. for the year 2020. Additional card does not expire, it is valid until fully clipped.

It is important to look carefully at which classes are free of charge and which ones are chargeable. The clipcard will last longer if the waste is sorted correctly. With this initiative we are joining forces to protect the environment and work together on issues in the most efficient way. The goal is to increase recycling and reduce landfill.

Further information: www.seydisfjordur.is