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Corflute® Election Signage Recycling

Overview

This election, the circular economy warriors at [Corex Recycling](#) want to let you know that Corflute® Election Signage is 100% recyclable, and we do it all here locally.

We're all about getting your Corflute® Election Signage back for recycling and reusing it to make products for tomorrow.

All processed material returned to us has a use within Corex Plastics, whether it be making 100% recycled Corflute® or supplying recycled PP sheet to local injection moulding businesses.

What is Corflute®?

Corflute® is a twin wall 100% recyclable polypropylene (PP) sheet product, commonly chosen for its' strength, durability and environmental credentials. Corflute® is used across the signage, packaging, material handling and building industries.

Corflute® products are designed to be reused again and again, and at the end of their life you can recycle them at Corex.

Preparing your Corflute® Sign for recycling

So that we can recycle your used election signs, we need you to check for contaminants and remove them.

At Corex Recycling, we refer to a contaminant as the presence of materials or a substance other than Corflute®. We need your Corflute® Signs to be free of contaminants so that we can; shred, melt and make recycled pellets from it which enables us to make products for tomorrow.

Find out more at corex.com.au

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It's easier than you think! Here are the steps to check for and remove contaminants:

1. Check for contaminants

Your Corflute® election sign may have no contaminants. If your graphics have been **printed directly to the Corflute®** and there are no **eyelets**, you probably have a contaminant free sign.

Often, election signage doesn't need protective PVC film over the surface or eyelets to protect the holes that allow it to be secured to a fence. People tend to use these extra elements when a sign is being used for longer than 6 months.

Contaminants include:

- **Eyelets around the holes** – plastic and metal
- **PVC protective film** – if your Corflute® sign is super shiny and you can pick a layer of plastic from a corner, this is PVC
- **PVC pockets**
- **Paper and adhesive tapes**

2. Remove contaminants

- Using a Stanley knife or similar, cut the Corflute® area where the eyelets are attached. It's easiest to cut a straight line across the top of the sheet and so on.
- Pick a corner and continue to peel the PVC from the Corflute® sign.
- Remove and paper and adhesive tapes

Getting your Corflute® Signs back to us.

1. **Smaller volumes** - equivalent of half of an intermediate bulk container (IBC) or less than 100kgs.

Corex Recycling can facilitate a contact-free drop off at our Dandenong South site for smaller volumes of plastic. **Phone** Corex Recycling on +61 3 9238 1362 **30 minutes prior** to your planned drop-off with company name and approximate volume of material being returned.

2. Larger volumes

For larger volumes of Corflute®, we can provide transport and Corpak containers. If you are able to hold 6 or more of our Corpak's and have forklift access, this option could be suitable to your business and we may offer you a FOC Corflute® offcut collection service.

Corex Recycling can offer a FOC service to businesses located in metropolitan VIC and some NSW locations.



Fact Sheet

To organise your Corflute® Signs for recycling, contact:

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About Corex® Australia Pty Ltd

Established in 1985, Corex Australia Pty Ltd is the exclusive manufacturer of Corflute®, a proprietary twin wall profile polypropylene sheet used broadly across the retail display, packaging, material handling and building industries.

Corex has accepted material for recycling of all our products for over 20 years, and established our Corex Recycling stand-alone facility in 2009. We pride ourselves on our reduced footprint and have been trail-blazers in recycling and reusing plastics. When Corflute® products are ready to retire, we can recycle and reuse them.

Corex is proudly Australian. Our products are designed for the circular economy.

Corex Roll and Sheet products include: Corflute®, Fluteboard®, Versamount®, Imageboard®, Stericor® and 100% Recycled Corex®.

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