Fires involving wheelie bins kill people. A three-month old baby, a toddler and a 71-year-old woman all died because of fires involving bins.

DEADLY

Don’t let you or your family become the next victims.

Lock your wheelie bin away and call Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111 if you suspect someone of lighting fires.

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How to prevent a wheelie bin fire

- Do not place hot items in the bin, for example: smoking materials, hot embers from coal/wood, hot ash, etc.
- Do not store wheelie bins by windows or doors - any fire in the bin could easily spread to your property.

Don’t let your bin become a target for arsonists

- Only place your wheelie bin out on collection day and return it to your property as soon as possible after collection.
- Whenever possible, wheelie bins should be stored securely behind locked gates.
- Do not overfill your wheelie bins or leave loose rubbish around them.

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