NEW IN MELBOURNE The council of Melbourne has decided to install a bin that can collect expanded polystyrene.

Commonly called styrofoam, it is recyclable, but it is not accepted in the blue bin selective collection and therefore ends up in the landfill increasing the expenses for all the citizens. This material is already accepted at the Ecocentre, which sends it to Soprema, in Sherbrooke, to be integrated into the manufacture of insulating panels. The MRC's expanded polystyrene recovery pilot project aims to facilitate the recovery of this material by citizens by installing municipal drop-off points. Clean containers can be placed in the box that will be installed near the municipal garage.