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Disposing of Items

How you can dispose of common household items

Show Only Items for...

A	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Aerosol Cans (empty)	✓							
Aerosol Cans (not empty)						✓		
Aluminium Cans & Foil	✓							
Aluminum Foil (soiled)				✓				
Auto Parts - Take to Scrap Metal Recycler								
B	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Bakery Trays	✓							
Batteries - Take to Depot						✓		
Beverage Cans	✓							
Beverage Cartons	✓							
Blankets								✓
Bleach tubs/lids	✓							
Bones			✓					
Bottles	✓							
Boxboard		✓						
Bread			✓					
Bread bags		✓						
Broken Glass (call for pick up)				✓				
Broken Toys				✓				
Brown paper bags			✓					
C	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Candy Wrappers				✓				
Carbon Paper				✓				
Cardboard (broken down, tied)		✓						

Cardboard Containers with metal bottoms									
Cardboard and pizza boxes (not soiled with hazardous material)									
Cards									
Carpet									
Cake									
Candies									
Catalogues									
Ceramics									
Cereal boxes									
CFL Lightbulbs									
Chicken									
Chip Bags									
Cleaning Liquids (Corrosive)									
Cloth items									
Clothing (reusable)									
Coffee Cups (those that aren't 100 per cent paper)									
Coffee Cups (100 per cent paper only)									
Coffee grounds									
Comforters									
Commercial Waste - Take to Landfill									
Compost									
Construction Materials - Take to Landfill									
Construction Paper									
Cookie Boxes									
Cool fireplace ashes									
D	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Dairy products									
Dead Animals									
Detergent tubs/lids									
Diapers									
Dishes (broken)									
Dishes (Used)									
Dishwasher									

Draperies									
Dough									
Drink Boxes									
Dry Cleaning bags									
Dryer lint									

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Eggs								
Egg Cartons - Paper								
Egg Shells								
Electronics - Take to Landfill								
Envelopes								
Explosives								

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Fatty Foods								
Feces (Pet)								
Filters								
Fish Scraps								
Fridge / Freezer								
Floor sweepings								
Flour and grains								
Flowers (cut)								
Fluorescent light tubes								
Flyers								
Foam Packaging								
Foil Containers								
Frozen juice cans								
Fruit scraps								

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Gasoline								
Gift Boxes								
Gift Wrapping Paper								
Glass Jars								
Glasses (drinking)								
Glasses (prescription)								

Grass clippings - Take to Landfill									
Grocery bags 									
H	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Hair Clippings 									
Hardcover books (no cover) 									
Herbicides 									
I	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Ice cream tubs/lids 									
Infected Plants 									
J	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Juice bottles/tubs/lids 									
K	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Kitchen Appliances  									
Kitchen Utensils 									
L	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Latex Gloves 									
Legal Drugs  									
Leaves 									
Lightbulbs 									
Lights, Fluorescent tubes 									
Liquid Paint 									
M	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate	
Margarine tubs/lids 									
Meat 									
Metal - Return to local scrap metal dealer or place in your regular garbage bin.									
Microwaves 									
Microwave popcorn bags 									
Milk Cartons 									

Milk bags								
Motor Oil								
Motor Oil bottles/tubs/lids								
Muffins								
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Needles & Syringes								
Newspapers								
Nuts and nutshells								
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Oil - Cooking								
Oil - Motor								
Organics								
P	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Paint Cans - empty								
Paint Cans - not empty								
Paper								
Paper Towel - not soiled with hazardous material								
Paperbacks								
Pasta								
Peelings								
Pesticides								
Pet hair and feathers								
Pet waste and kitty litter bag								
Pharmaceuticals								
Phone Books								
Pies								
Plants (trimmings/house plants)								
Plastics								
◦ With #3 or #7 recycling symbol								
◦ Bottles								

◦ Cups/lids									
◦ Liners									
◦ Wrap (used)									
Polystyrene Foam Plastic									
Popsicle sticks									
Pop cases									
Potato Chip Bags									
Pots and Pans									
Propane Tanks									
Purses									
Pyrex									

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Rice								
Rubber Gloves								

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Sauces, gravy and dressings								
Saw dust								
Shampoo bottles/lids								
Sharps								
Shellfish								
Shoes								
Shredded Paper (place inside clear bag)								
Smoke Detectors								
Soiled newsprint								
Solvents								
Spray Paint (empty)								
Spray Paint (not empty)								
Stove								
Straw								
Styrofoam								

T	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Take-out trays, cups and plates (100 per cent paper only)			✓					
Tea Bags			✓				✓	
Thinners						✗		
Tires - Take to a Landfill for Recycling								
Tire Rims - Take to a Scrap Metal Dealer								
Toothpicks			✓					
Toothpaste Tubes				✗				
Toys								✓
Twigs							✓	
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V	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Vacuum Bags				✗				
Vegetable scraps			✓				✓	
W	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Wallpaper				✗				
Water bottles/tubs/lids	✓							
Waxed Paper				✗				
Weeds			✓				✓	
Windshield washer bottles	✓							
Wood Chips							✓	
Y	Blue Box	Grey Box	Green Bin	Garbage	Large Items	Hazardous Waste	Yard Waste	Donate
Yogurt Lids				✗				