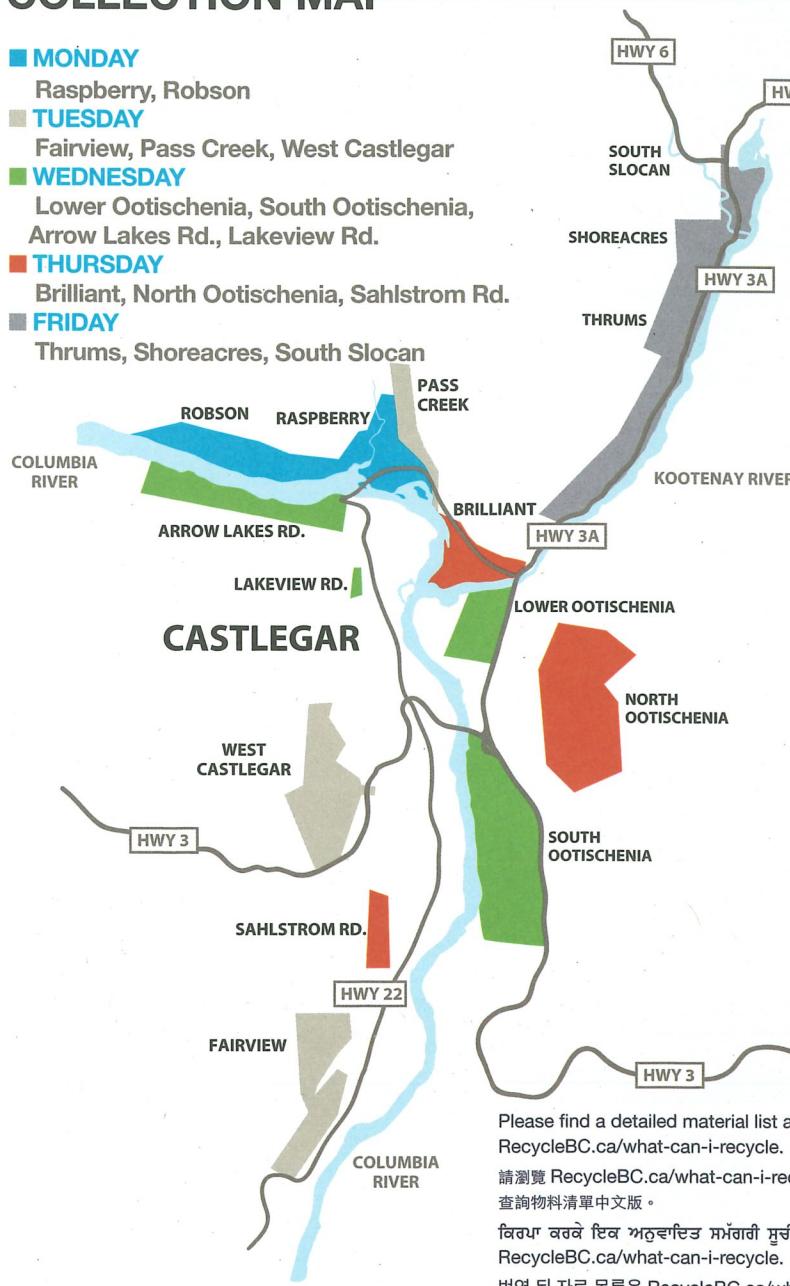


COLLECTION MAP

- MONDAY Raspberry, Robson
- TUESDAY Fairview, Pass Creek, West Castlegar
- WEDNESDAY Lower Ootischenia, South Ootischenia, Arrow Lakes Rd., Lakeview Rd.
- THURSDAY Brilliant, North Ootischenia, Sahlstrom Rd.
- FRIDAY Thrums, Shoreacres, South Slocan



Download the App



View your collection schedule, sign up for recycling reminders, see depot locations, and search materials with the Recycle BC app.

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Recycling Collection Questions?

GFL Environmental is Recycle BC's collection partner in the Regional District of Central Kootenay. They can answer questions about collection zones, missed pick-ups, holiday schedules, or recycling boxes.

Contact: GFL Environmental
Phone: 1-866-596-5444
Email: csrtrail@gfenv.com

For information about garbage, compost, or yard and garden waste services, please contact your local government.

ENSURE MORE MATERIALS ARE RECYCLED AND KEPT OUT OF LANDFILL BY REMEMBERING THESE PRO-TIPS:

- 1 **Line it up.** Put your cardboard between your boxes, not on top. Leave about 1m (3 feet) of space between recycling boxes and your garbage/organic bins.
- 2 **Keep it clean.** Empty and rinse containers to prevent contamination, recycle more materials, and avoid attracting wildlife when you put them out for collection.
- 3 **Flatten and cut.** If your cardboard is too big for the blue box, flatten and cut it into smaller pieces, no larger than 76 cm x 76 cm (30 in x 30 in). Stack them loosely between your boxes. Don't forget to keep plastic wrap out of your recycling!
- 4 **Avoid litter.** Don't overfill your recycling boxes. If you can't fit everything comfortably, contact Recycle BC's collection partner for an additional box or use a similar open box (like a laundry basket or storage box) to sort your material properly.
- 5 **We're here to help.** Download our app, email us at info@recyclebc.ca or reach out on social media @RecycleBC.



! OOPS! Did you receive an Oops tag on collection day?

Our collection partners may leave these behind if your material is unable to be collected. The tag will indicate the issue.

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NEARBY DEPOTS

Trail Bottle Depot
562 Rossland Ave, Trail
250-364-3025

McKelvey Creek Landfill
1900 BC-3B, Trail
250-368-9148

Ootischenia Landfill
670 Columbia Rd, Castlegar
250-352-8161

Slocan Transfer Station
8875 Slocan South Road, Slocan
250-352-8161

ABOUT RECYCLE BC

Recycle BC is a not-for-profit organization responsible for residential packaging and paper product recycling throughout BC, servicing over 2 million households. Recycle BC ensures your household materials are picked up, sorted, and responsibly managed and recycled. Our program is funded by 1,200 businesses that include retailers, manufacturers and restaurants that supply packaging and paper to BC residents, shifting costs away from homeowners.

For more information visit:

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Making a difference together.

2024-2025 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Central Kootenay



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GLASS

PUT INTO GREY BOX

Empty and rinse glass bottles and jars



Glass bottles - clear and coloured



Glass jars - clear and coloured

! Put all lids in blue box.

NOT ACCEPTED

- ✗ Drinking glasses, dishes, or cookware
- ✗ Ceramic products
- ✗ Window glass or mirrors
- ✗ Light bulbs or light fixtures



Want to recycle something not included here?

Search Recycle BC's Waste Wizard or download a full material list at RecycleBC.ca.

To recycle items that are not packaging, packaging-like products, single-use items, or paper, contact the Recycling Council of BC (RCBC) at RCBC.ca.

Unused Medication

Empty medication containers can be recycled with Recycle BC, but unused or expired medications can be safely disposed by returning them to community pharmacies. For more information or to find the nearest pharmacy, please visit www.healthsteward.ca.



! NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Exclude batteries; medical sharps; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents remaining; containers with the words COMBUSTIBLE, FLAMMABLE or VERY FLAMMABLE on them (except cosmetic and beauty product containers); compressed gas cylinders, for example used propane cylinders; containers for paint, motor oil, vehicle lubricants, or antifreeze; or containers for pesticides labelled POISON, and precautionary octagon or diamond symbols with skull and cross bones.

DROP-OFF ONLY

TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT

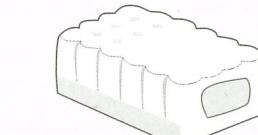
Not accepted in your blue boxes or grey box



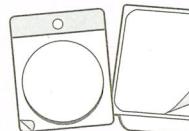
FLEXIBLE PLASTICS



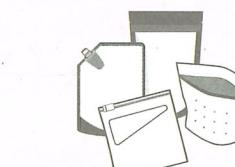
Plastic bags



Outer bags and overwraps



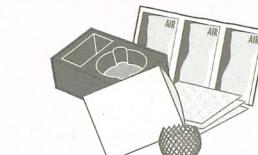
Flexible packaging with plastic seal



Zipper-lock and stand-up pouches



Crinkly wrappers and bags



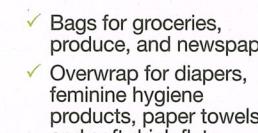
Protective and squishy cushion packaging



Woven plastic bags



Foam containers and cups



- ✓ Bags for groceries, produce, and newspapers
- ✓ Overwrap for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, and soft drink flats

NOT ACCEPTED

✗ Cellophane wrap for floral arrangements, etc.	✗ Plastic strapping
✗ Garbage bags	✗ 6-pack rings
✗ Plastic squeeze tubes	✗ Biodegradable plastic
✗ Plastic-lined paper	✗ Vinyl
✗ Paper-lined plastic	✗ Blue or pink foam insulation, packing chips and peanuts
	✗ Squishy or flexible foam, and foam noodles

10-YEAR ANNIVERSARY HALL OF FAME

1.98M TONNES
collected from 2014 – 2023.

That's the weight of 8.6M adult male grizzly bears!

99%
of BC has access to recycling.

That's over 2M households with packaging and paper recycling service.

227 DEPOTS
& 53 London Drugs locations accept flexible plastics.

A decade ago, these materials may have ended up in a landfill.

\$1 BILLION
contributed by producers since 2014.

This funds the program and shifts costs away from taxpayers and municipalities.

98%
of plastics we collect are sent to recycling end markets.

Now, that's something to celebrate!

73%
of materials are processed in North America.

Best of all, 99% of plastics stay in BC for recycling.

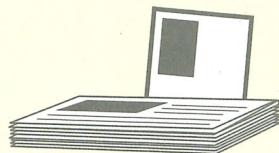
Way to bring your A-game at the bin, BC! Let's work together to make the next 10 years even better.

PAPER

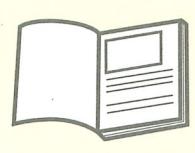
PUT INTO ONE BLUE BOX

Cut excess cardboard to 76 cm x 76 cm (30 in x 30 in) and stack beside box

Clean and dry paper only



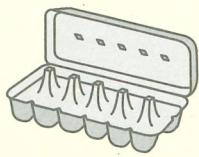
Newspapers, inserts, flyers



Magazines, catalogues, phone books



Boxboard boxes



Moulded paper



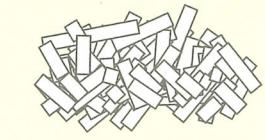
Household paper



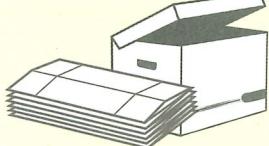
Paper bags and boxes



Paper decorations



Shredded paper (contain in paper bag or box first)



Cardboard boxes

NOT ACCEPTED



Hard and soft cover books



Flexible plastics



Clothing and textiles



Food, yard waste and wood

- ✗ Non-paper gift wrap, foil wrap, cards or paper with glitter
- ✗ Rubber bands, ribbons, and bows
- ✗ Paper envelopes with plastic lining
- ✗ Bubble wrap lined paper envelopes, plastic padded envelopes, etc.

- ✗ Bags and boxes with foil liners
- ✗ Paper towels, napkins and tissues
- ✗ Foil or plastic lined paper bags

CONTAINERS

PUT INTO ONE BLUE BOX

Empty and rinse containers



Plastic bottles, jars and jugs



Plastic trays and containers



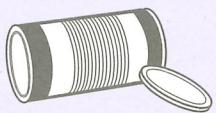
Plastic garden pots and seedling trays



Caps, tops, lids and pumps



Plastic or paper cups, plates, bowls and lids



Metal cans



Spray containers (empty)



Foil wrap and containers

- ✓ Greeting cards
- ✓ Paper gift wrap
- ✓ Paper gift bags
- ✓ Paper carry-out beverage trays
- ✓ Cores from paper towel and toilet tissue
- ✓ Compressed paper hangers
- ✓ Paper-only shipping envelopes

- ✓ Plastic packaging for toys, batteries, etc. Separate plastic from paper backing
- ✓ Spiral wound cans and lids for frozen juice concentrate, chips, etc.
- ✓ Plastic pails less than 25L for laundry detergent, cat litter, etc.
- ✓ Plastic tubs for yogurt, margarine, etc.

NOT ACCEPTED



Flexible plastics



Hazardous waste



Glass



Electronics and appliances



Durable products



Metal hangers, pots, pans and other scrap metal

- ✗ Foam packaging
- ✗ Chip bags and candy wrappers
- ✗ Stand-up pouches
- ✗ Packaging labeled biodegradable or compostable
- ✗ Wiring, metal cords, and hardware
- ✗ Clothing, textiles and shoes
- ✗ Food and yard waste



CELEBRATING 10 YEARS
RECYCLEBC™

THANKS FOR BEING A RECYCLING MVP

Join us as we celebrate all the amazing things Team BC has achieved over the past 10 years through our recycling efforts!



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at RecycleBC.ca

RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

July 2024 - June 2025

Place paper, containers and glass recycling at curb by:



8:00 am

JULY 2024						
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