### **PAPER**

### **PUT INTO YELLOW BAG**

Recycle at curbside or depot Clean and dry paper only



# **CONTAINERS**

Recycle at Empty and

Plastic bottles, jars and jugs

Caps, tops, lids and pumps



Plastic garden pots and

SOUP

seedling trays

Cartons for soup, milk, etc.

# **GLASS**

### PUT INTO GREY BO

Recycle at curbside or depot Empty and rinse glass ottles and jars



## **DROP-OFF ONLY**

### TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT

Not accepted in your yellow bag, blue box, or grey box

FOAM PACKAGING (return to depot)

Foam meat trays

(remove absorbent pad)



Foam cushion packaging used

to protect electronics etc.





green bin.



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# **RECYCLING COLLECTION QUESTIONS?**

**ENSURE MORE MATERIALS ARE RECYCLED AND KEPT** 

**OUT OF LANDFILL BY REMEMBERING THESE PRO-TIPS:** 

Emterra Environmental is Recycle BC's curbside collection partner in North Vancouver. They can answer questions about collection zones, missed pick-ups, holiday schedules, or recycling containers.

**Contact: Emterra Environmental** Phone: 778-589-3221 Email: NV.CSR@emterra.ca

### **NEARBY DEPOTS**

**North Shore Bottle Depot** 235 Donaghy Ave, North Vancouver 604-985-9348

North Vancouver Bottle & Return-It Depot 310 Brooksbank Ave, North Vancouver 604-924-3889

North Shore Transfer Station 30 Riverside Dr. North Vancouver 604-681-5600

London Drugs - North Vancouver\* 2032 Lonsdale, North Vancouver 604-448-4805

Find your nearest depot location at: RecycleBC.ca/Depots

London Drugs - Park Royal\*

604-448-4844

875 Park Royal North, West Vancouver

\*London Drugs accept plastic bags and overwrap,

pam packaging, and other flexible plastic packaging only.

Due to space limitations, a maximum of one grocery bag of each material is suggested per visit.

### **ABOUT RECYCLE BC**

Recycle BC is a not-for-profit organization responsible for residential packaging and paper recycling throughout BC, servicing over 1.8 million households. Recycle BC ensures your household materials are picked up, sorted, and responsibly recycled. Our program is funded by over 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:

RecycleBC.ca 





wspapers, inserts, flyers





NOT ACCEPTED

Do NOT place into Yellow Bag

Clothing and textiles

\* Padded envelopes

\* Rubber bands, ribbons, bows

\* Bags and boxes with foil liners

\* Foil or plastic lined paper bags

\* Paper towels, napkins and tissues

Non-paper gift wrap, foil wrap, cards or paper with glitter

Paper bags

√ Greeting cards

- ✓ Paper gift wrap
- ✓ Paper gift bags



Magazines, catalogues, phone books



Household paper

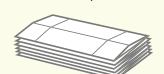


Shredded paper (contain in paper bag or box first)

Boxboard boxes



Envelopes



Cardboard boxes

- √ Cores from paper towel and toilet paper
- ✓ Paper carry-out beverage trays

NO HAZARDOUS

Exclude batteries: medical

remaining; compressed gas

cylinders, for example used

propane cylinders; containers

for paint, motor oil, vehicle

ubricants, or antifreeze: or

containers for pesticides

with the words DANGER.

precautionary octagon or

and cross bones.

diamond symbols with skull

WARNING, or POISON, and

sharps; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents

**MATERIALS** 

- Plastic packaging for toys, batteries etc.
  - Separate plastic from paper backing
- ✓ Plastic pails less than 25L for laundry detergent, cat litter, etc.
- ✓ Plastic tubs for yogurt, margarine, etc.





★ Drinking glasses, dishes, ★ Ceramic products

Put all lids in blue box.

- Light bulbs or light fixtures

# Q 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 or paper, contact the Recycling Council of BC (RCBC) at 604-732-9253 or visit 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.

Characteristics of Plastic Bags and Overwrap

vs. Other Flexible Plastic Packaging

### PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP





Foam take-out containers

and cups

★ Blue or pink foam insulation, packing chips and peanuts
★ Squishy or flexible foam, foam noodles



Bags for groceries, produce, dry bulk foods, frozen vegetables, water softener, salt, garden products,

# newspapers, etc.

Overwrap for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, soft drink flats

# Do NOT place into Blue Box













For more information, visit RecycleBC.ca/FlexiblePackaging

### OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING (return to depot)





with plastic seal



Zipper lock and

stand-up pouches

Woven plastic bags



and bags



Non-food protective packaging

➡ Plastic squeeze tubes, plastic-lined paper,

★ 6-pack rings, biodegradable plastic, vinyl



- \* Chip or foil bags, candy wrappers
- \* Stand-up pouches \* Packaging labeled biodegradable or compostable

Plastic trays and clamshells

Plastic or paper take-out cups, bowls and lids



Aerosol cans (empty)

- Foil wrap and take out containers
- Spiral wound cans and lids for frozen juice concentrate, chips, etc.

# NOT ACCEPTED







- ★ Foam packaging

### Hangers, pots, pans and ★ Wiring, metal cords, hardware ★ Clothing, textiles and shoes \* Food and yard waste

# Can Poke Your

PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP

### Doesn't Stretch Foil Lining

OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING

paper-lined plastic, plastic strapping