

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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Flip to visit the Recycle BC Hall of Fame.

RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

July 2024 - June 2025

Place paper and containers recycling at curb by:



8:00 am

JULY 2024							AUGUST 2024						
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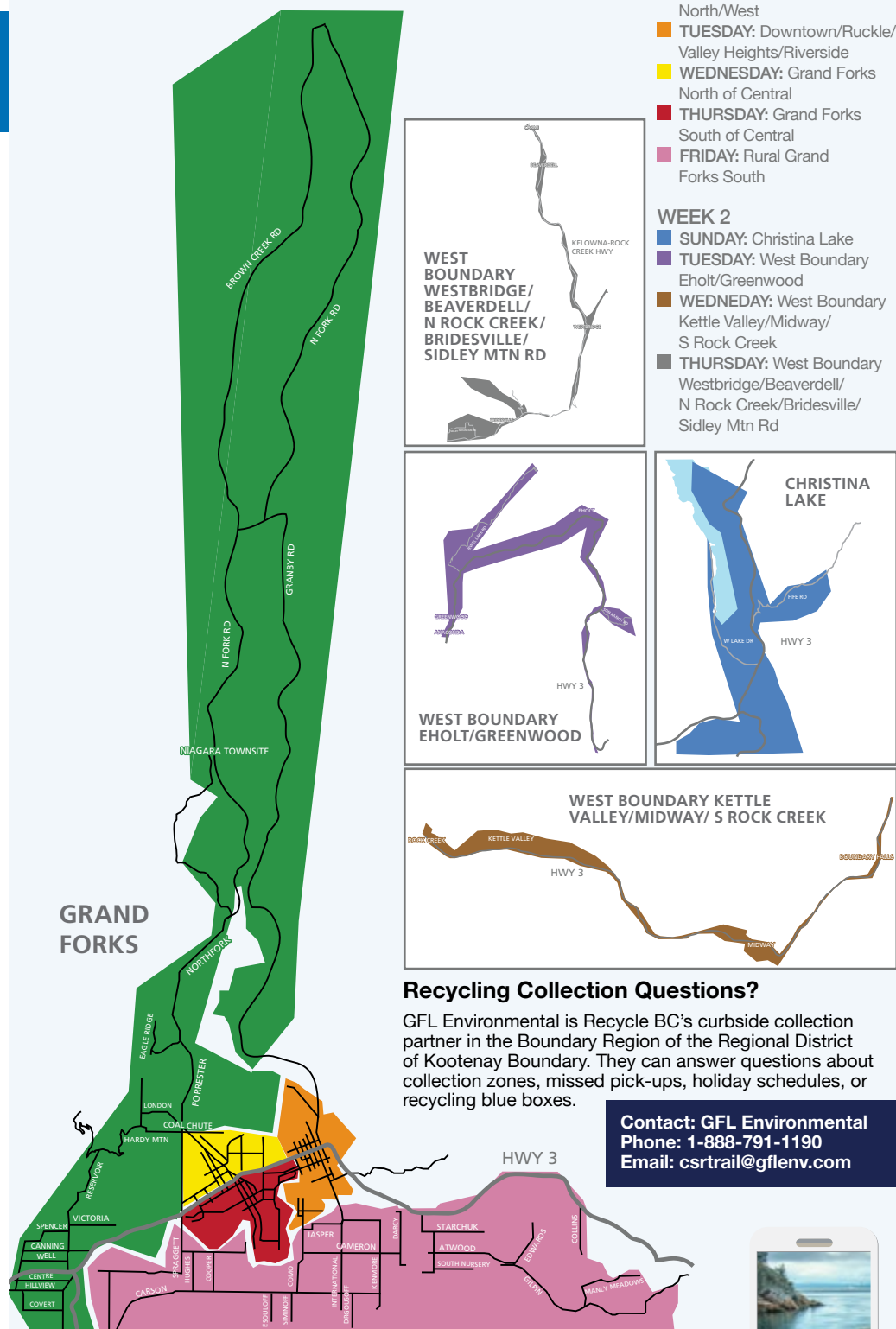
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COLLECTION MAP



Recycling Collection Questions?

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

Contact: GFL Environmental
Phone: 1-888-791-1190
Email: csrtrail@gflenv.com

Download the App

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

RecycleBC.ca/App

Please find a detailed material list at RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle.
請瀏覽 RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle 查詢物料清單中文。
बिना कचरे के अलग-अलग सामग्री सूची के लिए RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle पर जाएं।
번역된 자료 목록은 RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle 에서 찾으십시오.
لطفاً فهرست مواد را به تفصیل در RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle مشاهده کنید.

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

- 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/organics bins.
- Keep it clean.** Empty and rinse containers to prevent contamination, recycle more materials, and avoid attracting wildlife when you put them out for collection.
- 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!
- 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.
- 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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For information about garbage, compost, or yard and garden waste services in the Regional District of Kootenay Boundary, please contact your local government.

NEARBY DEPOTS

Christina Lake Transfer Station
834 Cascade Dump Rd.
(Hwy 395, 3 kms south of Hwy 3)
250-447-7647

Rock Creek Transfer Station
1610 Rock Creek Dump Rd, Rock Creek
250-446-2231

Grand Forks Recycling Depot
8058 Donaldson Drive, Grand Forks
250-442-2523

West Boundary Landfill
2050 Motherlode Rd,
3 km up Deadwood Rd from Hwy 3

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:

RecycleBC.ca
[@RecycleBC](https://www.facebook.com/RecycleBC)



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DOWNLOAD THE APP

SIGN UP FOR RECYCLING REMINDERS
SEARCH THE MATERIAL LIST



RECYCLEBC

Making a difference together.

2024-2025 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Kootenay Boundary (BOUNDARY REGION)



RecycleBC.ca/Boundary

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



CONTAINERS

PUT INTO ONE BLUE BOX

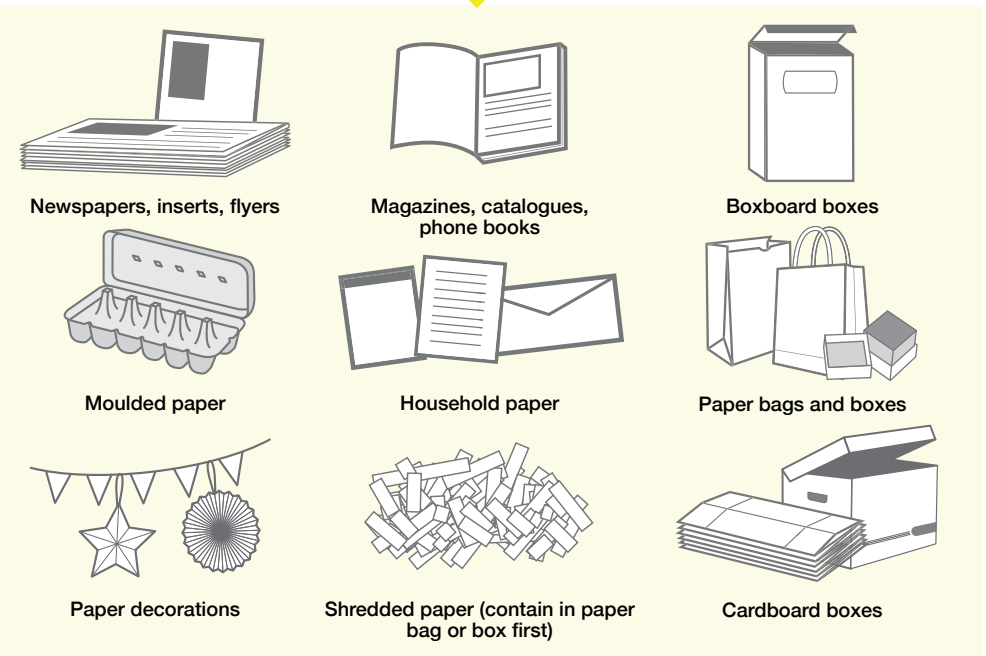
Empty and rinse containers



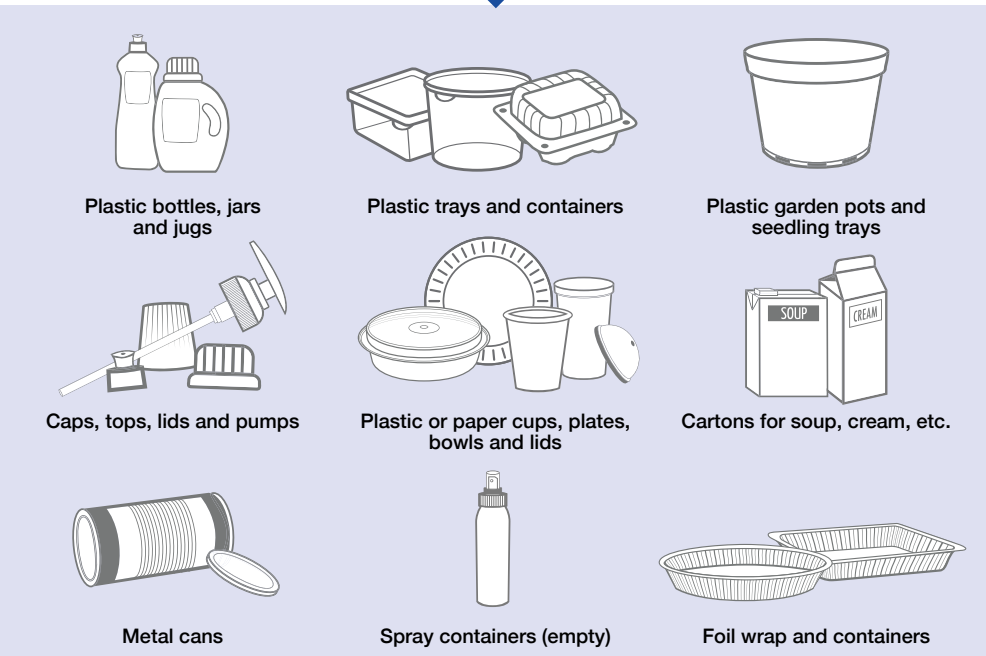
DROP-OFF ONLY

TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT

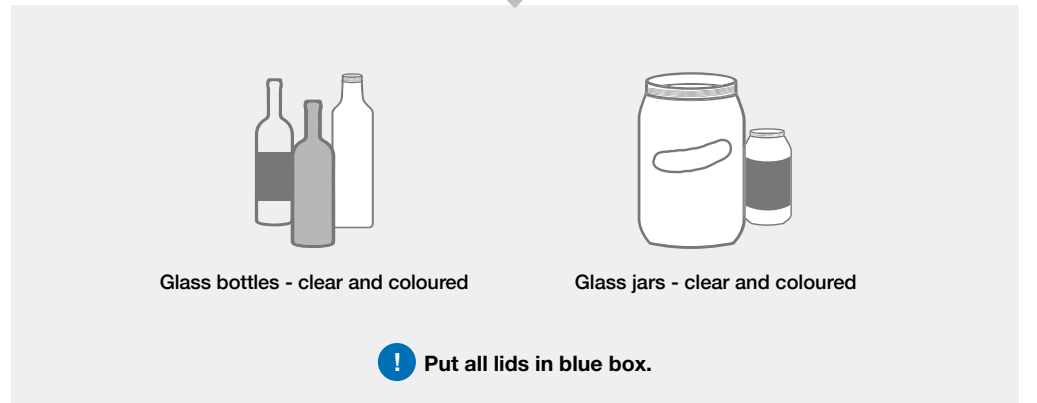
Not accepted in your blue boxes



- ✓ 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

- * Drinking glasses, dishes, or cookware
- * Window glass or mirrors
- * Ceramic products
- * 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.

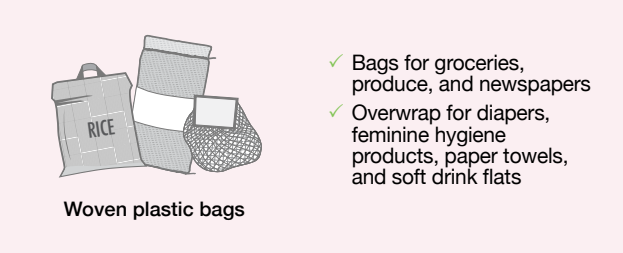
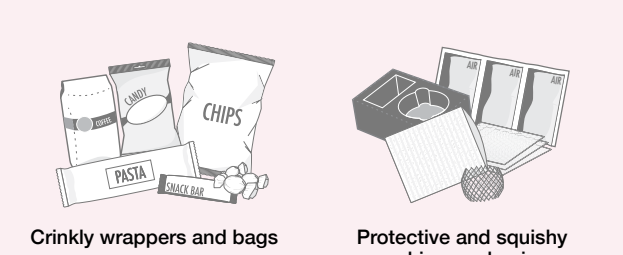
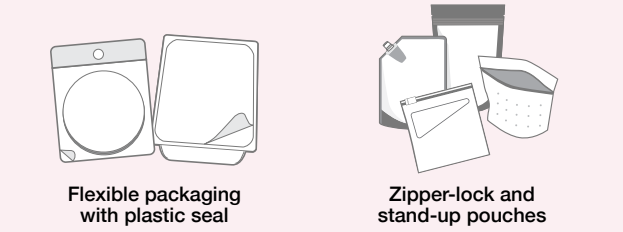
Unused Medication

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

NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

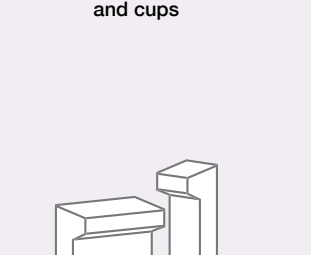
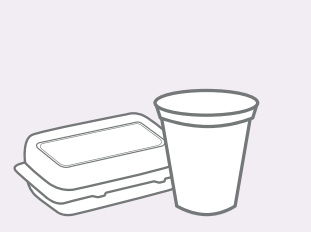
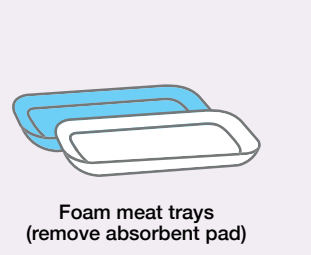
Exclude batteries; medical sharps; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents remaining; containers with the words COMBUSTIBLE, FLAMMABLE or VERY FLAMMABLE on them (except cosmetic and beauty product containers); compressed gas cylinders, for example used propane cylinders; containers for paint,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

FLEXIBLE PLASTICS



- NOT ACCEPTED**
- * Cellophane wrap for floral arrangements, etc.
 - * Garbage bags
 - * Plastic squeeze tubes
 - * Plastic-lined paper
 - * Paper-lined plastic
 - * Plastic strapping
 - * 6-pack rings
 - * Biodegradable plastic
 - * Vinyl

FOAM PACKAGING



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

- * 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.

Non cumulative numbers from Recycle BC's 2023 Annual Report.