

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

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Line it up. Put your yellow bag between your boxes, not on top. Leave about 1m (3 feet) of space between recycling boxes/bags and your garbage/organic bins.
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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 yellow bag, 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 and yellow bag.
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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.
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We're here to help. Download our app, email us at info@recyclebc.ca or reach out on social media @RecycleBC.
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Contain flexible plastics inside a clear larger pouch, plastic bag, or overwrap, then put them in the pink box.



Place paper, container, and glass recycling at curb between:



Recycling Collection Questions?

Waste Control Services is Recycle BC's curbside collection partner in West Vancouver. They can answer questions about collection zones, missed pick-ups, holiday schedules, or recycling boxes/bags.

Contact: Waste Control Services
Phone: 778-589-3223
Email: recyclebc@wastecontrolservices.com

RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

JULY 2025						AUGUST 2025						SEPTEMBER 2025						OCTOBER 2025						NOVEMBER 2025						DECEMBER 2025					
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July 2025 - June 2026

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SEARCH THE
MATERIAL LIST
FLEXIBLE PLASTIC
COLLECTION



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2025-2026

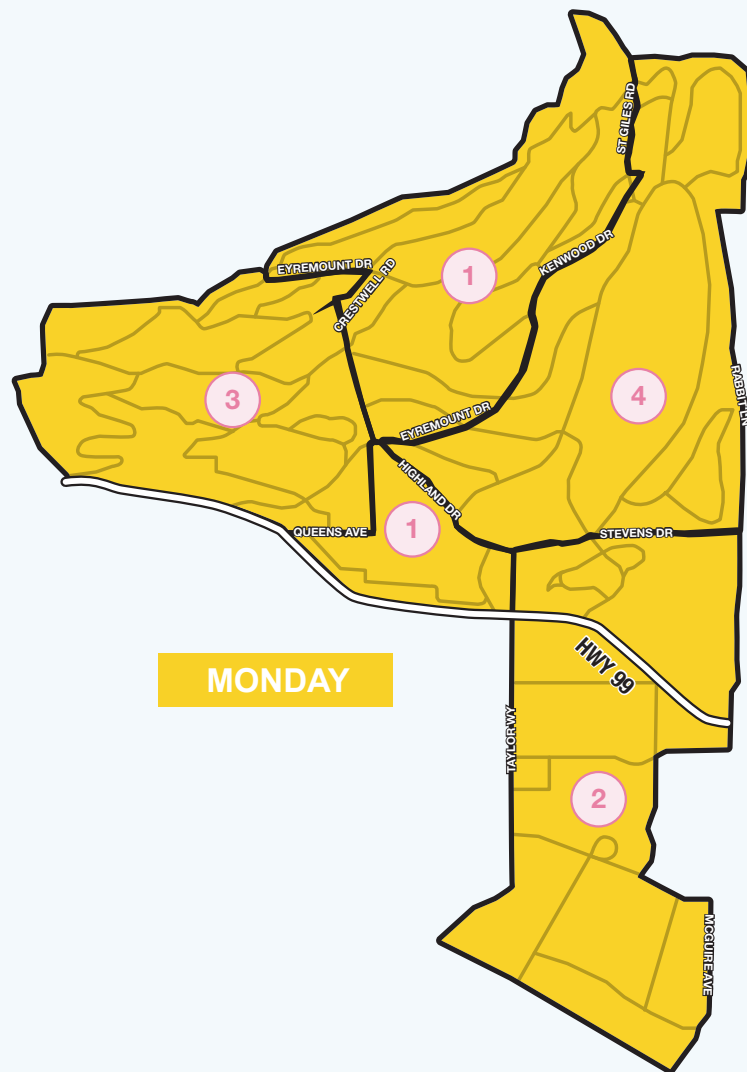
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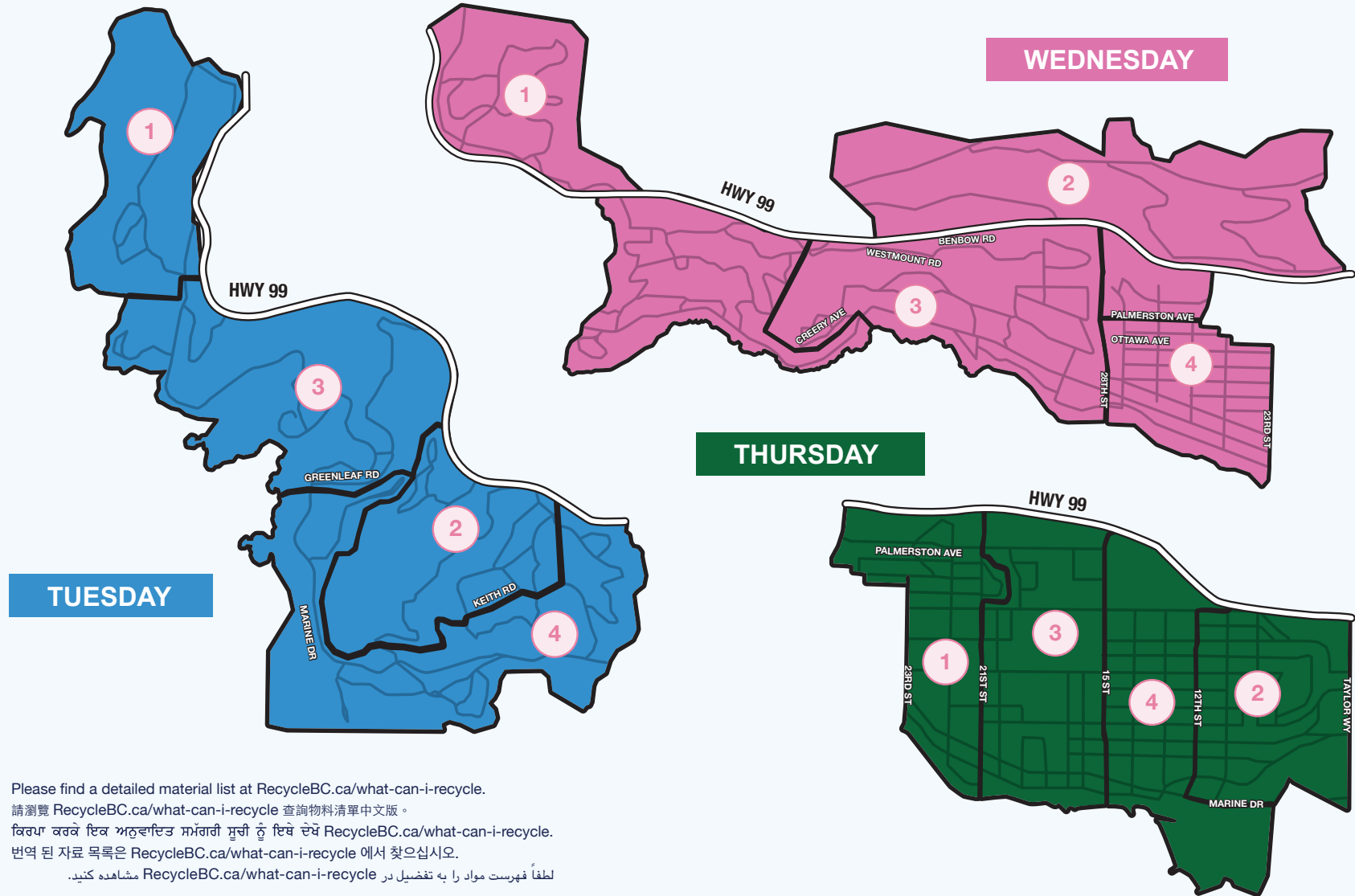


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COLLECTION MAP



FLEXIBLE PLASTICS COLLECTION



Please find a detailed material list at [RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle](https://recyclebc.ca/what-can-i-recycle).
請瀏覽 [RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle](https://recyclebc.ca/what-can-i-recycle) 查詢物料清單中文版。
विवरण खरवें दिव अठ्ठारदिन सभगरी सुची नुं दिवें चंघ [RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle](https://recyclebc.ca/what-can-i-recycle).
번역 된 자료 목록은 [RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle](https://recyclebc.ca/what-can-i-recycle) 에서 찾으십시오.
لطفاً فهرست مواد را به تفصیل در [RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle](https://recyclebc.ca/what-can-i-recycle) مشاهده کنید.

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 Recycling and Waste Centre
30 Riverside Dr, North Vancouver
604-681-5600

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

London Drugs - Park Royal*
875 Park Royal North, West Vancouver
604-448-4844

*London Drugs accept flexible plastics, and foam packaging only. Due to space limitations, a maximum of one grocery bag of each material is suggested per visit.

Find your nearest depot location at: [RecycleBC.ca/Depots](https://recyclebc.ca/depots)

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



Download the App

Search materials and find depot locations. Users of the District of West Vancouver's WestVanCollect app or reminder service will continue to receive collection reminders for recycling through WestVanCollect.



[RecycleBC.ca/App](https://recyclebc.ca/app)

PAPER

PUT INTO YELLOW BAG

Cut excess cardboard to 76 cm x 76 cm (30 in x 30 in) and stack beside bag
Clean and dry paper only



CONTAINERS

PUT INTO BLUE BOX

Empty and rinse containers



GLASS

PUT INTO GREY BOX

Empty and rinse glass bottles and jars



DROP-OFF ONLY

TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT

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



WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE
RECYCLE RIGHT

Recycle BC serves 196 communities across BC, and every single one has the power to make a difference—including yours! Because when we sort properly, rinse our containers, or head to the depot, we're making a huge play for Team BC. And that kind of effort is contagious.



Newspapers, inserts, and flyers

Magazines, catalogues, or 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

- ✓ 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

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

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

Cartons for soup, cream, etc.

Metal cans

Spray containers (empty)

Foil wrap and containers

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

Glass bottles - clear and coloured

Glass jars - clear and coloured

Put all lids in blue box.

NOT ACCEPTED

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

FLEXIBLE PLASTICS

PUT INTO FLEXIBLE PLASTICS BOX

Place clean flexible plastics inside a clear larger pouch, plastic bag, or overwrap, then put them in the pink box.



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

NOT ACCEPTED

- ✗ Cellophane wrap for floral arrangements, etc.
- ✗ Garbage bags
- ✗ Plastic squeeze tubes, plastic-lined paper
- ✗ Paper-lined plastic, plastic strapping, hard plastic containers
- ✗ 6-pack rings, biodegradable plastic, vinyl
- ✓ Bags for groceries, produce and newspapers
- ✓ Overwrap for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, and soft drink flats

FOAM PACKAGING

Foam meat trays (remove absorbent pad)

Foam containers and cups

Foam cushion packaging used to protect electronics, etc.

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

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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

- ✗ 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
- ✗ Containers for pesticides labelled POISON, and precautionary octagon or diamond symbols with skull and cross bones

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at RecycleBC.ca

