

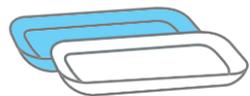
DROP-OFF ONLY

TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT

Not accepted in your Paper, Containers, or Glass recycling carts.



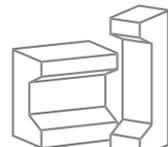
FOAM PACKAGING (return to depot)



Foam meat trays (remove absorbent pad)



Foam take-out containers and cups



Foam cushion packaging used to protect electronics etc.

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

PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP (return to depot)



Plastic bags



Outer bags and product wraps

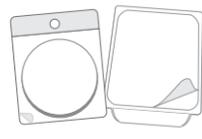
✓ Bags for groceries, produce, dry bulk foods, frozen vegetables, water softener, salt, garden products, newspapers, etc.

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

OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING (return to depot)



Crinkly wrappers and bags



Flexible packaging with plastic seal



Zipper lock and stand-up pouches



Woven plastic bags



Non-food protective packaging

✘ Plastic squeeze tubes, plastic-lined paper, paper-lined plastic, plastic strapping

✘ 6-pack rings, biodegradable plastic, vinyl

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

- 1 Keep it clean.** Empty and rinse all containers.
- 2 Don't toss shredded paper.** Contain it inside a paper bag or box before putting in the recycling cart.
- 3 Flatten and cut.** If your cardboard is too large for the recycling cart, flatten and cut it down to smaller pieces. 20 inches x 20 inches (50cm x 50cm) or smaller. Remember to keep plastic wrap out of your recycling!
- 4 Connect with us.** Download our app, email us at info@recyclebc.ca, or connect with us on social media at [@RecycleBC](https://www.instagram.com/RecycleBC).



For more tips, visit RecycleBC.ca.

? RECYCLING COLLECTION QUESTIONS?

Emterra Environmental and Waste Control Services are Recycle BC's multi-family collection partners on the North Shore. They can answer questions about collection zones, missed pick-ups, holiday schedules, or recycling containers.

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

West Vancouver
Contact: Waste Control Services
Phone: 778-589-3223
Email: recyclebcwvan@wastecontrolservices.com

For information on garbage or green waste collection services, please contact The City of North Vancouver (604-987-7155), the District of North Vancouver (604-990-2311), or the District of West Vancouver (604-925-7000).

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

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

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

Download the App



View your collection schedule, sign up for recycling reminders, see depot locations, and search materials.

RecycleBC.ca/App

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.

Find your nearest depot location at:

RecycleBC.ca/Depots

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North Shore Multi-Family Buildings



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PAPER

PUT INTO PAPER CART

Recycle in buildings' carts or at depot
Clean and dry paper only



CONTAINERS

PUT INTO CONTAINER CART

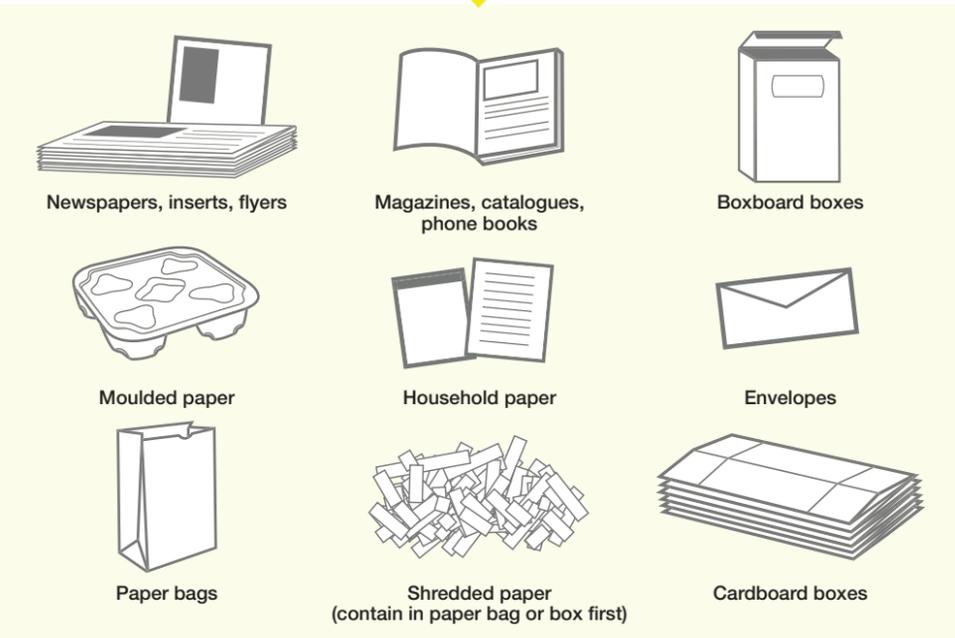
Recycle in buildings' carts or at depot
Empty and rinse containers



GLASS

PUT INTO GLASS CART

Recycle in buildings' carts or at depot
Empty and rinse glass bottles and jars



- ✓ Greeting cards
- ✓ Paper gift wrap
- ✓ Paper gift bags
- ✓ Paper carry-out beverage trays
- ✓ Cores from paper towel and toilet paper



- ✓ 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.



! Put all lids in container cart.

NOT ACCEPTED

Do NOT place into Glass Cart

- ✗ Drinking glasses, dishes, cookware
- ✗ Window glass, 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/Materials. 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 of by returning them to community pharmacies. For more information or to find the nearest pharmacy please visit www.healthsteward.ca.

NOT ACCEPTED

Do NOT place into Paper Cart



- ✗ Non-paper gift wrap, foil wrap, cards or paper with glitter
- ✗ Rubber bands, ribbons, bows
- ✗ Padded envelopes
- ✗ Bags and boxes with foil liners
- ✗ Paper towels, napkins and tissues
- ✗ Foil or plastic lined paper bags

NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Exclude batteries; medical sharps; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents remaining; compressed gas cylinders, for example used propane cylinders; containers for paint, motor oil, vehicle lubricants, or antifreeze; or containers for pesticides with the words DANGER, WARNING, or POISON, and precautionary octagon or diamond symbols with skull and cross bones.

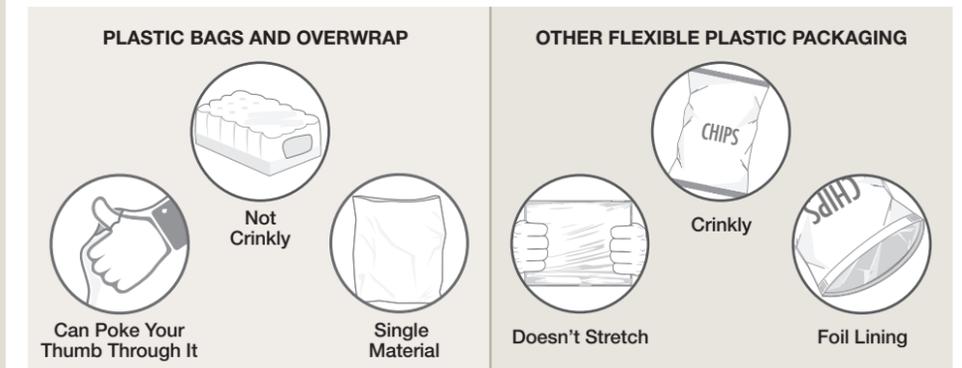
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Do NOT place into Container Cart



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

Characteristics of Plastic Bags and Overwrap vs. Other Flexible Plastic Packaging



For more information, visit RecycleBC.ca/FlexiblePackaging