

## RECYCLE AT DEPOT ONLY

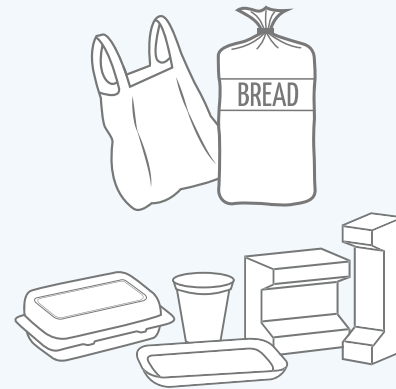
Find your nearest depot location at [www.RecyclingInBC.ca](http://www.RecyclingInBC.ca)

### PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP

TAKE TO DEPOT ONLY

### PLASTIC FOAM PACKAGING

TAKE TO DEPOT ONLY



## ACCEPTED

#### PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP:

- ✓ Plastic bags for groceries, dry cleaning, bread, newspapers, and flyers
- ✓ Bags for produce, pre-washed salad, dry bulk foods, and frozen vegetables
- ✓ Outer bags for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, tissues, soft drink can flats
- ✓ Bags for water softener salt, wood pellets and garden products
- ✓ Overwrap on mattresses, furniture and electronic equipment

#### REMEMBER:

- ✓ Empty bags of paper receipts and food residue
- ✓ Cut off or remove metal grommets, rope drawstrings and non-plastic items from plastic bags

#### PLASTIC FOAM PACKAGING:

- ✓ Foam food containers and trays
- ✓ Foam cushion packaging used to protect electronics, small appliances, etc.

#### REMEMBER:

- ✓ Remove food residue and liquid-absorbing pads
- ✓ Remove labels, tape, paper, cardboard
- ✓ Separate coloured and white foam

## NOT ACCEPTED

#### PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP:

- ✗ Crinkly cellophane wrap, e.g. for tea, floral arrangements
- ✗ Kitchen stretch wrap
- ✗ Zipper-lock bags
- ✗ Chip or snack bags
- ✗ Plastic shipping envelopes or bubble packaging
- ✗ Packaging labelled biodegradable or compostable
- ✗ Lumber or construction wrap
- ✗ Garbage bags (any colour)

#### PLASTIC FOAM PACKAGING:

- ✗ Packing chips, peanuts, foam noodles
- ✗ Blue or pink foam board insulation
- ✗ Squishy or flexible foam

## RECYCLING INFORMATION

For more information visit [www.RecyclingInBC.ca](http://www.RecyclingInBC.ca)

### RECYCLING TIPS

You can help ensure that more materials are recycled by following these steps:

1. Empty and rinse containers. Containers with contents remaining cannot be recycled and can harm workers or damage machinery. Rinsing also helps reduce odours and pests.
2. Add materials loose to the recycling container. Only shredded paper should be inside a paper bag or box before being added to your recycling.
3. Save space by flattening boxes and cartons. Stack containers that held the same contents, such as yogurt pots.

For more tips, visit [www.RecyclingInBC.ca](http://www.RecyclingInBC.ca).

Sign up for reminders, import your collection schedule into your on-line calendar, or download the MMBC app on your smartphone. Search for Multi-Material BC in Google Play or the iTunes App Store, or visit [recyclinginbc.ca](http://recyclinginbc.ca) for more information.

### ABOUT MMBC

Multi-Material BC (MMBC) oversees residential packaging and printed paper recycling in the University Endowment Lands, and throughout many communities in British Columbia. We ensure your household material is picked up, sorted and sold to end markets. In the University Endowment Lands, we work in partnership with Emterra Environmental (for curbside collection services) and depots where you can drop off materials that are not collected at the curb. The MMBC program is funded by the businesses that supply packaging and paper to BC residents, shifting recycling costs away from homeowners.

### NEARBY DEPOTS

Go Green Bottle Depot  
7 East 7th Avenue, Vancouver  
604-874-0367

Powell Street Return-It Bottle Depot  
1856 Powell Street, Vancouver  
604-253-4987

South Van Bottle Depot  
34 East 69th Avenue, Vancouver  
604-325-3370

Vancouver Central Return-It Depot  
2639 Kingsway, Vancouver  
604-434-0707

Vancouver South Transfer Station  
377 West Kent Avenue North, Vancouver  
604-873-7000 or 311

Find your nearest depot location at [www.RecyclingInBC.ca](http://www.RecyclingInBC.ca)

For information about garbage and green waste services, please contact the UEL Administration Office at 604-660-1810.

#### Recycling Collection Questions?

Emterra Environmental is MMBC's collection partner in the University Endowment Lands. They can answer questions about collection zones, missed pick-ups, holiday schedules, or recycling containers.

Contact Emterra Environmental  
Email: [askmebc1@emterra.ca](mailto:askmebc1@emterra.ca)  
Phone: 604-635-0991  
Website: [www.MyEmterraBC.ca](http://www.MyEmterraBC.ca)

**Your recycling day is Monday**

For more information visit:  
[www.RecyclingInBC.ca/Uel](http://www.RecyclingInBC.ca/Uel)



RECYCLING MORE IN BC



## 2016-2017 RECYCLING GUIDE



**University  
Endowment  
Lands**  
Areas A, B, C

Download MMBC's app for  
collection schedules and reminders:  
[www.RecyclingInBC.ca](http://www.RecyclingInBC.ca)



RECYCLING MORE IN BC

RECYCLE AT CURBSIDE OR DEPOT

Place paper, container and glass recycling at curb by 7:00 a.m.

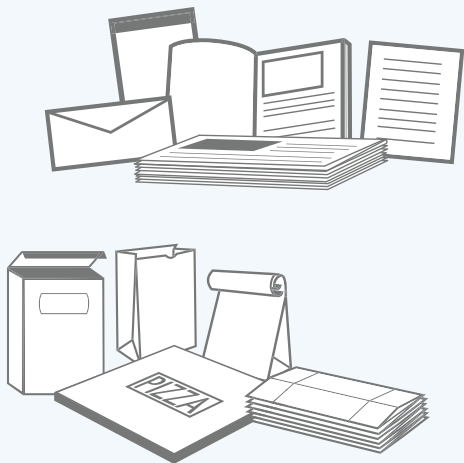
ACCEPTED

Packaging and printed paper accepted for recycling

NOT ACCEPTED

Please do NOT include these with curbside recycling

PAPER  
PUT INTO ONE BLUE BOX  
RECYCLE AT CURBSIDE OR DEPOT



- ✓ Newspapers, inserts, flyers, magazines, catalogues, telephone books  
*Place loose in container. Remove from plastic wrap.*
- ✓ Household paper, paper gift wrap, greeting cards
- ✓ Boxboard boxes  
*Remove liners and food. Flatten and place in recycling container.*
- ✓ Moulded boxboard for egg cartons, beverage carry-out trays, etc.
- ✓ Paper bags with single and multiple paper or plastic layers for pet food, flour, etc.
- ✓ Cores from paper towel and toilet tissue
- ✓ Corrugated cardboard  
*Remove plastic wrap from cardboard flats. Staples and tape OK. If too large for recycling container, flatten and cut to no larger than 30" wide (78cm) x 30" tall (78cm). Stack neatly and place securely beside or between recycling containers.*
- ✓ Shredded paper  
*Place shredded paper inside a paper bag or box to keep it secure and prevent litter.*

- ✗ Plastic bags used to cover newspapers/flyers  
*Bring to a depot*
- ✗ Rubber bands
- ✗ Hardcover or paperback books  
*Donate or sell*
- ✗ Paper towels, napkins  
*Add to your green waste cart*
- ✗ Tissues
- ✗ Non-paper gift wrap, e.g. foil, ribbons, bows
- ✗ Musical cards with batteries  
*Contact RCBC for battery and e-waste recycling locations*
- ✗ Padded envelopes
- ✗ Bags with a foil layer, boxes with a foil liner
- ✗ Compostable paper takeout containers  
*Add to your green waste cart*

Want to recycle something not included here?

Search MMBC's Waste Wizard or download a full material list at <http://recyclinginbc.ca/program/can-recycled/>  
To recycle items that are not packaging or printed paper, contact the Recycling Council of BC (RCBC) at 604-732-9253

CONTAINERS  
PUT INTO ONE BLUE BOX  
RECYCLE AT CURBSIDE OR DEPOT



- ✓ Plastic or paper take-out cups, bowls, and lids
- ✓ Plastic trays and tops (e.g. fruit trays, cooked chicken)
- ✓ Cartons for soup, milk, sauces, ice cream, etc.
- ✓ Metal cans and lids for food
- ✓ Empty aerosol cans and caps
- ✓ Microwavable bowls and cups
- ✓ Spiral wound cans and lids for frozen juice concentrate, chips, etc.
- ✓ Aluminum foil wrap, aluminum foil take-out containers
- ✓ Plastic bottles, jugs, jars, tubs, and trays
- ✓ Caps, tops, lids, and pumps
- ✓ Plastic packaging for toys, batteries, electronics, tooth brushes, etc. Separate plastic from paper backing.
- ✓ Rigid plastic clamshells for baked goods, fruit, eggs, etc.
- ✓ Plastic garden plant pots and seedling trays
- ✓ Plastic pails, less than 25L, for laundry detergent, pet food, etc.

- REMEMBER:**
- ✓ *Empty and rinse containers; labels OK.*
  - ✓ *Put metal lids inside cans and squeeze slightly.*
  - ✓ *Return deposit containers for refund.*

- ✗ Foil-lined cardboard containers and lids
- ✗ Microwavable bowls with metal rims
- ✗ Propane tanks or cylinders  
*Contact RCBC for recycling options*
- ✗ Chip or foil bags
- ✗ Foil wrap with paper, e.g. butter, cigarettes
- ✗ Stand-up pouches
- ✗ Liquid absorbing pads
- ✗ Kitchen stretch wrap
- ✗ Blister packs, e.g., plastic/foil packaging for chewing gum and pills
- ✗ Packaging labelled biodegradable or compostable
- ✗ Ceramic pots, lawn edging, tarps, plastic furniture or garden hoses, string or rope
- ✗ Toys
- ✗ Pails larger than 25L
- ✗ Coat hangers, pots, pans, baking trays, appliances, hardware, or other scrap metal
- ✗ Wiring, metal cords, or extension cords
- ✗ Clothing, textiles and shoes
- ✗ Food / organic waste  
*Add to your green waste cart*

Please: No Hazardous Materials

- ✗ Exclude batteries; medical syringes; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents remaining; propane tanks or 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

GLASS  
PUT INTO GREEN BOX  
RECYCLE AT CURBSIDE OR DEPOT



- ✓ Clear and coloured non-deposit glass bottles and jars
- REMEMBER:**
  - ✓ *Return deposit containers for refund.*
  - ✓ *Include lids with container recycling.*

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