

RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

July 2023 - June 2024

Place paper and containers recycling at curb by:



8:00 am

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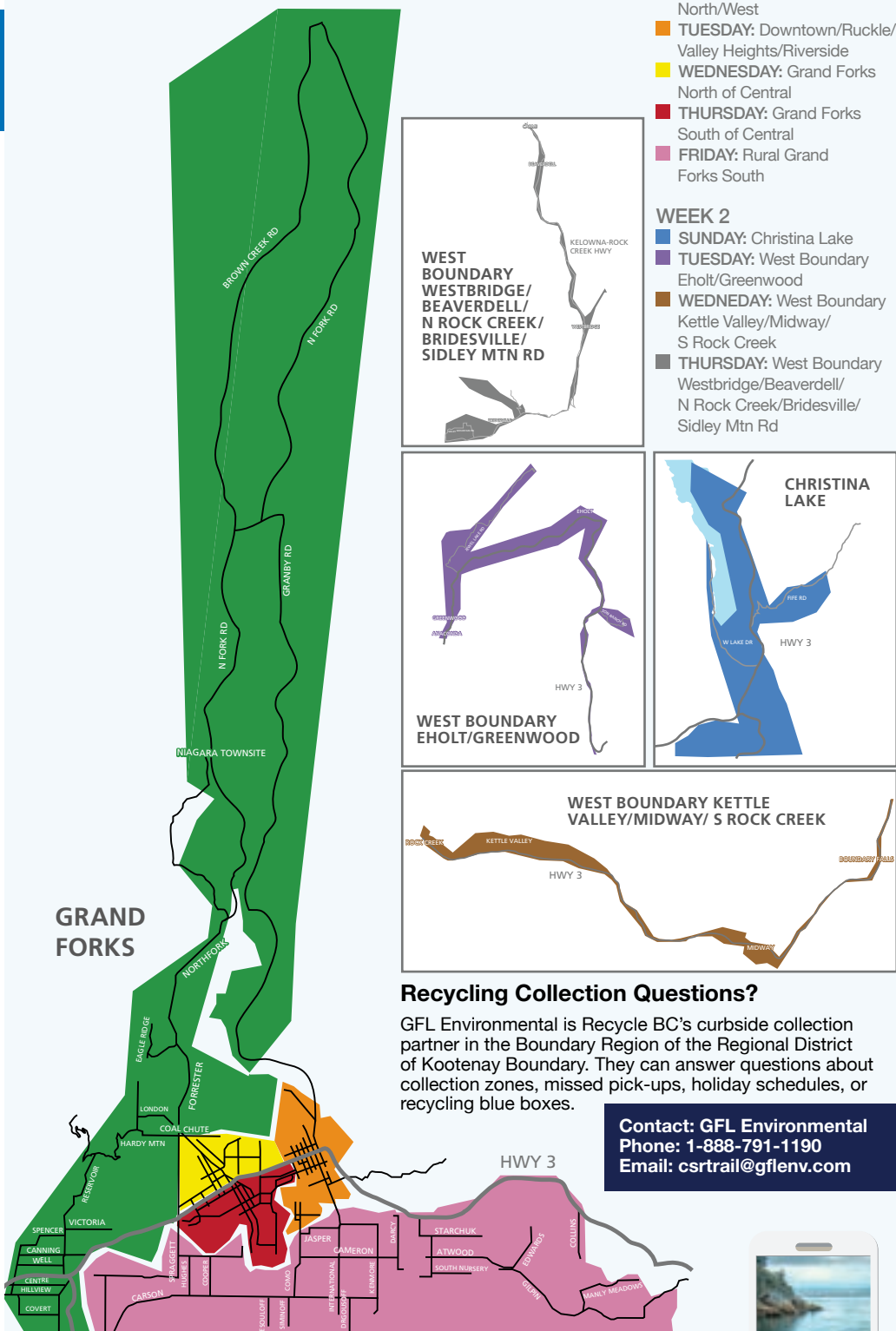
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COLLECTION MAP



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 查詢物料清單中文版。
ਗਿਆਰਾਂ ਕਰਕੇ ਇਕ ਅਨੁਵਾਦਿਤ ਸਮੱਗਰੀ ਸੂਚੀ ਨੂੰ ਇਥੇ ਦੱਖੋ RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle.
번역 된 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:

- 1 Line it up.** Put your recycling boxes beside each other. Keep 1m (3 ft) to allow room for garbage/green bin collection trucks.
- 2 Keep it clean.** Empty and rinse containers to prevent contamination, ensure more material is recycled, and avoid attracting wildlife when material is set out for collection.
- 3 Flatten and cut.** If your cardboard is too large for your recycling box, flatten and cut it down to smaller pieces. 30 inches by 30 inches (76cm x 76cm) or smaller. Loosely stack them between recycling boxes. Remember to keep plastic wrap out of your recycling!
- 4 Help avoid littering the streets and alleys.** Avoid overfilling your recycling boxes to ensure they are not spilled during collection. If you are unable to comfortably fit your material into your boxes, contact Recycle BC's collection partner to order an additional box, or use a similar, open box (e.g. laundry basket, storage box) to set out correctly sorted material.
- 5 Connect with us.** Download our app, email us at info@recyclebc.ca, or connect with us on social media @RecycleBC.



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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.

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 and has contact information for you to follow up with our collection partner directly.

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 recycling throughout BC, servicing over 1.8 million households. Recycle BC ensures your household materials are picked up, sorted, and responsibly managed and 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
@RecycleBC



NEW MATERIALS

MORE ITEMS ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING

UPDATED FLEXIBLE PLASTICS CATEGORY



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Making a difference together.

2023-2024 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Kootenay Boundary (BOUNDARY REGION)



RecycleBC.ca/Boundary

PAPER

PUT INTO ONE BLUE BOX

Clean and dry paper only
Cut excess cardboard to 76cm x 76cm
and stack beside box



CONTAINERS

PUT INTO BLUE BOX

Empty and rinse containers




DROP-OFF ONLY


TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT

Not accepted in your blue boxes







Newspapers, inserts, flyers




Magazines, catalogues, phone books




Boxboard boxes




Moulded paper



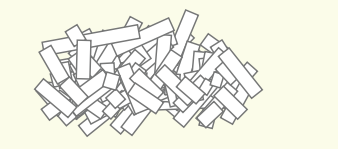
Household paper



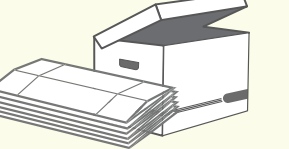
Paper bags and boxes



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



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, 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.

GLASS



Glass bottles - clear and coloured



Glass jars - clear and coloured

! Put all lids in blue box.

NOT ACCEPTED

- ✗ 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](https://www.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](https://www.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.

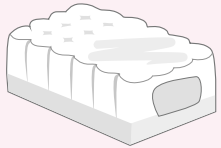
NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

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.

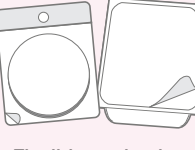
FLEXIBLE PLASTICS



Plastic bags



Outer bags and overwraps



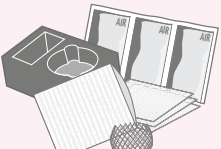
Flexible packaging with plastic seal



Zipper-lock and stand-up pouches



Crinkly wrappers and bags



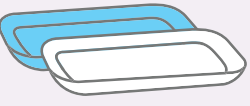
Protective and squishy cushion packaging



Woven plastic bags

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

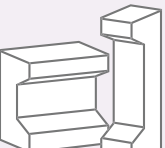
FOAM PACKAGING



Foam meat trays (remove absorbent pad)



Foam containers and cups



Foam cushion packaging used to protect electronics, etc.

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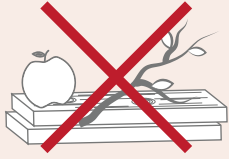
Hard and soft cover books



Flexible plastics



Clothing and textiles



Food, yard waste and wood

- ✗ Non-paper gift wrap, foil wrap, cards or paper with glitter
- ✗ Rubber bands, ribbons, bows
- ✗ Padded envelopes

- ✗ Bags and boxes with foil liners
- ✗ Paper towels, napkins and tissues
- ✗ Foil or plastic lined paper bags

NOT ACCEPTED



Flexible plastics



Hazardous waste



Glass



Electronics and appliances



Durable products



Metal hangers, pots, pans and other scrap metal

- ✗ Foam packaging
- ✗ Chip bags, candy wrappers
- ✗ Stand-up pouches
- ✗ Packaging labeled biodegradable or compostable

- ✗ Wiring, metal cords, hardware
- ✗ Clothing, textiles and shoes
- ✗ Food and yard waste

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

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