

2026 RECYCLING GUIDE FOR CONDOS, APARTMENTS & TOWNHOUSES



Download Burnaby's recycling app to look up recycling information and report a problem.

[Burnaby.ca/RecyclingandGarbage](https://burnaby.ca/RecyclingandGarbage)



JANUARY 2026					FEBRUARY					MARCH					APRIL					MAY				
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Residential Christmas tree collection occurs in January. Place your tree out for collection near the regular collection point. It will be collected by a special truck during the indicated weeks. For more information:

[Burnaby.ca/HolidayWasteReduction](https://burnaby.ca/HolidayWasteReduction)

Large Item & Appliance Pick-Up

Do you have old furniture, a mattress or a large appliance you no longer want? Give us a call at 604-294-7972 before you place it outside, and we can arrange a pick-up.

More information at [Burnaby.ca/LargeItem](https://burnaby.ca/LargeItem)

LEGEND

WEEKLY COLLECTION SCHEDULE IS AVAILABLE BY CALLING OUR STAFFED INFO LINE (SEE BELOW)

REGULAR COLLECTION SCHEDULE SHIFTED OVER TO FOLLOWING DAY

STAT HOLIDAY NO COLLECTION



Coexisting with Wildlife

Many unwanted wildlife encounters in Burnaby can be prevented by responsibly managing garbage, food scraps, recycling and other attractants.

How to manage your garbage & food scraps

- » Store all materials inside the house, shed or secure enclosure until the morning of collection.
- » Freeze food scraps and add it to your green bin on the morning of collection.
- » Rinse blue and grey bin recyclables to remove residues.
- » Wash your garbage and green bin regularly with a mild soap or vinegar and water solution. Do not pour down any outside drains, only onto grass or gravel surfaces.

How to manage other attractants

remove outdoor fridges & freezers	clean barbecues after use	remove bird feeders during bear season	pick fruit & berries as soon as they are ripe	feed pets and store pet food inside	compost correctly
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[Burnaby.ca/Bear-Area](https://burnaby.ca/Bear-Area)

On Collection Day

Set out

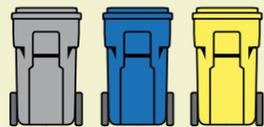
Set out your green bin and recycling carts by 7 am on your collection day.

Do not place your bins out the night before.



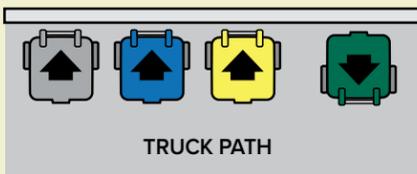
Arrange

Place carts in the correct colour order - grey, blue, yellow (handles will face your property)



Orient handles

Place the recycling carts with the handles towards your property. Place the green bin(s) with the handle(s) towards the collection truck path.



Bring back in

Green bins and recycling carts must be returned to their secure storage locations by 8 pm on your collection day.



Keep clean

Rinse your bins weekly with mild soap or vinegar/water mix (pour soapy water onto grass or gravel, never down an outside drain).



Waste collection during snow and ice conditions

Waste collection may be disrupted during snow and ice conditions. We will issue an advisory at facebook.com/cityofburnaby and on our collection app in the event of collection delays or canceled service.



Call us 604-294-7972

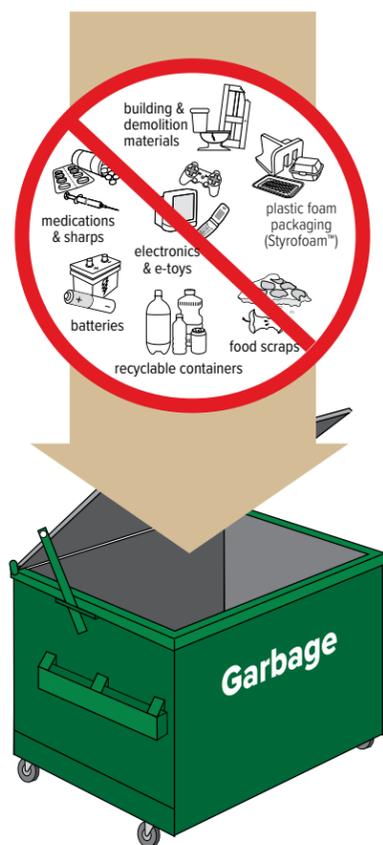
- » changes to bins
- » changes to collection schedule
- » missing or damaged bins

Separate Your Waste Like a Pro

Garbage

Waste that can't be composted or recycled.

Collected 1-2 times per week



Green Bin

Food scraps, food-soiled paper and green waste.

Collected weekly



Yellow Bin (mixed paper)

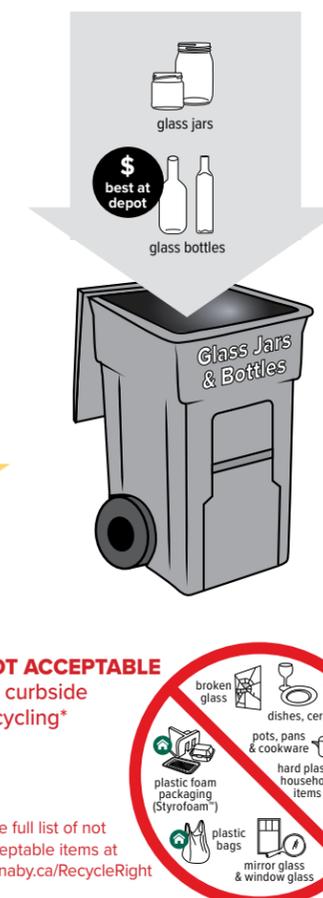


Recycling



Collected weekly

Grey Bin (glass jars & bottles)



Blue Bin (mixed containers)



Bag all garbage



Wrap your scraps in paper



remove lids and place in blue bin



rinse containers



cut down large cardboard



flatten materials



Burnaby Eco-Centre



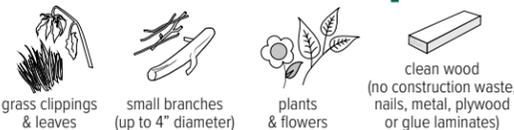
The Burnaby Eco-Centre is open seven days per week for residents to drop off extra recyclables, yard trimmings and more.

LOCATION 4855 Still Creek Drive **HOURS** Monday to Sunday, 8 am-4 pm
Check online for up-to-date hours | Burnaby.ca/EcoCentre

Recycling Drop Off



Green Waste Drop Off



Green waste drop off reminders

- » Residents can drop off up to 100 kg per one (1) load free per day. Fees apply to entire loads over 100 kg.
- » Please have residential ID ready.