



Your recycling and garbage services guide

Land Acknowledgement

Winnipeg is located in Treaty One Territory, the home and traditional lands of the Anishinaabe (Ojibwe), Ininew (Cree), and Dakota peoples, and in the National Homeland of the Red River Métis. Our drinking water comes from Shoal Lake 40 First Nation, in Treaty Three Territory.

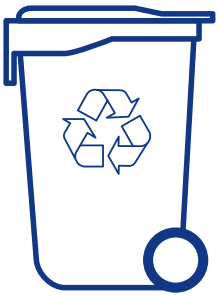
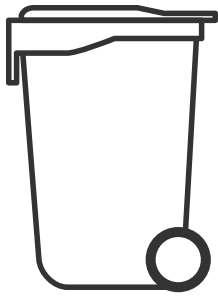
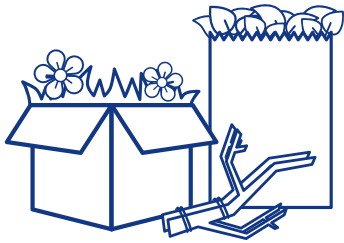
Winnipeg est situé sur le territoire visé par le Traité n° 1, le berceau et territoire traditionnel des peuples anishinaabe (ojibwé), ininew (cri) et dakota, et sur les terres ancestrales nationales des Métis de la Rivière-Rouge. Notre eau potable provient de la Première Nation Shoal Lake, n° 40, qui est située sur le territoire visé par le Traité n° 3.

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The City of Winnipeg provides a number of waste collection services including a curbside recycling, garbage, and seasonal yard waste program.

There are also additional garbage and recycling services available, some for an additional fee. To learn more about the services we provide to residents, read this guide, visit myutility.winnipeg.ca, or call 311

Services we offer to help you reduce, reuse, and recycle in your home

Recycling 	Garbage 	Yard waste 
Collected once a week		Collected every other week (spring through fall)
Things to remember: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Items are collected on the same day each week (e.g. every Tuesday)• We do not collect on the following days:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New Year's Day• Remembrance Day• Christmas Day• Collection will resume one day later for that week only		Things to remember: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• You must use paper yard waste bags or reusable containers in good condition
Cart care & collection tips <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moving your carts back onto your property as soon as possible after collection• Between collections, store your carts in a safe place on your property• Write your address on your carts• Put your carts out by 7 a.m.• Keep carts an arm's length (one metre) apart and away from any structures• Empty the contents of boxes and containers before placing in your cart• Do not jam or pack items into your cart - items should fall out easily when emptied into truck• If you move homes, please leave your carts at the residence• Only put accepted items in your recycling cart. Including unaccepted items in your cart leads to cost increases. Find out what is accepted at winnipeg.ca/whatgoeswhere• Learn more tips at winnipeg.ca/carts		

Walk-up service

If you are unable to bring your carts out on collection day, you may be eligible for our walk-up service. With this service, our collectors will walk up to your home, empty the carts, and return them.

For more information or an application form:

- Visit winnipeg.ca/walkup
- Call 311

Upgrade your service

You can upgrade your collection services additional fees.

Upgrade options:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Garbage upgrades incur an annual fee• Recycling upgrades incur a one-time rental fee		
Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
Switch your 240-litre cart for a 360-litre cart	Keep the original 240-litre cart and get an additional 240-litre cart	Keep the original 240-litre cart and get an additional 360-litre cart

For current upgrade fees:

- Visit winnipeg.ca/cartupgrades
- Call 311

Extra garbage & large item pickup

Extra garbage or large items that do not fit in your garbage cart can be **scheduled for pickup** for an extra fee.

You can request for a pickup for the following items:

- Up to three standard garbage bags per pickup
- Large items like furniture or mattresses (limit of 10 per pickup)
- Large appliances like stoves, refrigerators, or washing machines (limit of 10 per pickup)

The **4R Winnipeg Depot** locations also accept certain items. Visit winnipeg.ca/4RDepot or read the 4R Winnipeg Depot section of this guide to learn what materials are accepted.

For more information about this service, fees, or to schedule a pickup:

- Visit winnipeg.ca/extrastuff
- Call 311

Extra recycling

Extra recyclables that do not fit in your blue cart at home can be dropped off at any **4R Winnipeg Depot** or **community recycling depot** within the city. Please make sure all boxes and containers are empty before you drop them off.

4R Winnipeg depots

4R Depots are recycling facilities where Winnipeg residents can drop off materials that can be reduced, reused, resold, or composted for **free**.

Locations (hours may vary, Pacific & Panet locations closed on Wednesdays)

• **Brady 4R Winnipeg Depot**
1777 Brady Road

• **Pacific 4R Winnipeg Depot**
1120 Pacific Avenue

• **Panet 4R Winnipeg Depot**
429 Panet Road

Accepted materials:

Items accepted at 4R Winnipeg Depots can change. Please visit winnipeg.ca/4RDepot for an up to date list.

Household hazardous wastes:

- Chemicals*
- Electronics
- Batteries
- Motor oil products and antifreeze*
- Gasoline (in jerry can)

**Household hazardous wastes must be brought in their original containers.*



Do not toss items with these symbols in your carts, take them to a 4R Winnipeg collection depot for safe disposal.

Recyclable and reusable materials:

- Blue cart recyclables
- Bikes
- Ceramics
- Clean lumber
- Glass
- Large appliances
- Empty large plastics
- Tires
- Rubble and masonry
- Scrap metal
- Mattresses**

****Accepted only at the Brady 4R Winnipeg Depot location**

Compostable materials:

- Clean fill
- Leaves and grass
- Tree waste (branches, logs, stumps)

For more information about 4R Depots, including accepted materials, permitted vehicles and hours of operation, visit winnipeg.ca/4RDepot.

Community recycling depots

Community recycling depots accept all the recyclable materials that are accepted in your blue cart. They are open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Locations

- **St.James Civic Centre**
2055 Ness Avenue at Guildford Street
- **Pan Am Depot**
Taylor Avenue at Poseidon Bay
- **Magnus Eliason Recreation Centre**
430 Langside Street
- **1539 Waverley Street**
At Chevrier Boulevard

Events

We offer many events throughout the year to help you reduce, reuse, and recycle within the city. For additional information on these events, visit the event websites listed below, or call 311

Let's Chip In

A seasonal program, where you can drop off your real Christmas tree after the holiday season for recycling. The trees are recycled into wood chips, which are available to the public for free in January (while quantities last). Learn more at winnipeg.ca/letschipin

Compost giveaway

To promote food source sustainability and thank the citizens of Winnipeg, we have an annual compost giveaway of the compost made from our leaf and yard waste collection program. Learn more at winnipeg.ca/compostgiveaway

Giveaway weekend

Every spring and fall, residents can give their reusable, unwanted items a new home and keep them out of the landfill by putting them on their curbs for giveaway weekend. Learn more at winnipeg.ca/giveawayweekend

For more information about our recycling and garbage services:

- Visit winnipeg.ca/recyclingandgarbage
- Call 311

WHAT CAN I RECYCLE?

YES

Place items loosely into your recycling.
Make sure items are empty of food, liquid or other objects, inserts or bags.

EMPTY PLASTIC



Bottles



Containers



Jugs



Rigid Plastic



Tubs



Personal/House Cleaning Containers

EMPTY GLASS



Jars



Bottles



Jugs

EMPTY METAL



Food Cans



Beverage Cans



Food Containers/
Tins

EMPTY CARDBOARD/PAPER



Newspaper/
Flyers



Boxes



Cartons



Mail



Pizza Boxes



Magazines



Papers



Rolls

NO

You cannot put these items in your recycling.

PLASTIC



Bags



Plastic Wrap



Cutlery



Sporting
Equipment/Toys



Diapers

GLASS/CERAMIC



Light Bulbs



Mirrors



Drink Glasses



Ceramics

METAL



Pots/Pans



Hardware



Foil



Foil Containers/
Pie Plates



Electronics



Coat Hangers

PAPER/FABRIC



Paper Towel/
Tissues



Coffee Cups



Shoes



Clothes



Blankets

ORGANICS



Food



Yard Waste



Wood



Stone



Cords/Wires



Hoses

CONSTRUCTION

POLYSTYRENE FOAM (STYROFOAM)



Packing
Peanuts



Cups



Foam
Packaging



Meat Trays



Containers

Did you know?

You can find out where items that can't be recycled should go with the Recyclepedia at winnipeg.ca/whatgoeswhere

Many items that don't go in your recycling at home can be recycled for free at the 4R Winnipeg Depots. Visit winnipeg.ca/4Rdepot for accepted items.

For more information, visit winnipeg.ca/recycling or call 311

