



BROCKVILLE

CITY OF THE 1000 ISLANDS



2025 Waste Collection Calendar & Information Guide

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December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	 	 	 	 		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	 	 	 	 		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	 	 	 	 		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	 	 	Christmas Day	Boxing Day	 	 
29	30	31				
	 	 				

January 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			New Year's Day  	 	 	
	5	6	7	8	9	10
	  	  	  	  		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	 	 	 	 		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	 	 	 	 		
26	27	28	29	30	31	
	 	 	 	 		



= Collection shift due to holiday



= Collection shifts
due to holiday



= Christmas Tree
Collection

February 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3  	4  	5  	6  	7	8
9	10  	11  	12  	13  	14	15
16	17 Family Day 	18  	19  	20  	21  	22
23	24  	25  	26  	27  	28	1

March 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3  	4  	5  	6  	7	8
9	10  	11  	12  	13  	14	15
16	17  	18  	19  	20  	21	22
23	24  	25  	26  	27  	28	29
30	31 Compost Site Opens  					



= Collection shift due to holiday

April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		 	 	 		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	 	 	 	 		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	 	 	 	 	Good Friday	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Easter Monday  	 	 	 		
27	28	29	30			
	 	 	 			

May 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				 		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	 	 	 	 		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	 	 	 	 		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Victoria Day	 	 	 	 	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	 	 	 	 		

*No Change due to Good Friday or Easter Monday

 = Collection shift due to holiday

June 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	 	 	 	 		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	 	 	 	 		 Treasure Day
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	 	 	 	 		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	 	 	 	 		
29	30					
	 					



= Community Treasure Day

July 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		 	 	 	 	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	 	 	 	 		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	 	 	 	 		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	 	 	 	 		
27	28	29	30	31		
	 	 	 	 		

Canada Day



= Collection shift due to holiday

August 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Civic Holiday					
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						



=Hazardous Waste Day
(Saturday, August 23rd)

September 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Labour Day					
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
						Treasure Day
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				



= Collection shift due
to holiday



= Community
Treasure Day

October 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			 	 		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	 	 	 	 		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Thanks-giving	 	 	 	 	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	 	 	 	 		
26	27	28	29	30	31	
	  	  	  	  		

November 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	 	 	 	 		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	 	Remem-brance Day  	 	 		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	  	  	  	  		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	 	 	 	 	Compost Site Closes	
30						
 	 	 	 			



= Collection shift due
to holiday



= Leaf collection



= Leaf collection

December 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	 	 	 	 		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	 	 	 	 		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	 	 	 	 		
21	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26 Boxing Day	27
	 	 	 	 		 
28	29	30	31			
	 	 	 			



= Collection shift due to the holiday

Why Wasn't My Waste Collected?



Additional bags without a bag tag.

Any additional bags over the one bag limit per household require a \$3 bag tag to be collected.

Late placement.

Waste and large items must be placed at the curb prior to 7:00am on collection day only.

Bag was oversize or overweight.

The maximum size of a garbage bag is 26 x 36 inches and it must weigh less than 22.6 kilograms or 50 pounds.

Unacceptable materials.

Garbage in the recycling or unacceptable items at the curb (appliances, barbeques, electronics, construction waste, hazardous waste, tree branches, etc.)

Recycling placed in a plastic bag.

Recycling must be placed in a bin.

Collection schedule delays.

Due to a holiday or unforeseen circumstance. Check the RecycleCoach App and City Facebook Page for updates.

Throw trash away responsibly.

Garbage & Recycling Collection Requirements

Garbage Collection Requirements

- Waste and large items must be placed at the curb prior to 7:00 am on the day of collection only.
- Garbage bags and cans must weigh less than 22.6 kilograms or 50 pounds to be collected.
- Residents are allowed one bag of garbage (maximum 26 inches x 36 inches) per household per week.
- Any additional bags must each have a \$3 bag tag attached to be collected.
- Large items must have a \$10 large item tag attached to be collected.
- If you need an exemption from bag limits for medical reasons, send us an email.
- If your waste was not collected, a red sticker indicating why will be placed on it.
- There may be a delay between your regular waste and your large item being collected.
- Please ensure that your garbage is secure from wind and pests as much as possible. This includes avoiding early set outs and using a can with a removable lid, if necessary.

Bag Tags and Large Item Tags

When you want to place more bags than the permitted limit, you must attach a green bag tag. Green bag tags are sold individually for \$3.

When you want to dispose of a large item (such as couches, dressers, chairs, mattresses, box springs, tables, etc.) you must attach an Orange Large Item Tag. Please check “What Goes Where?” on the Recycle Coach App to see if your large item is acceptable for collection. Orange Large Item Tags are sold individually for \$10.

Green Bag tags and Orange Large Item Tags can be purchased at the following locations:

- City Hall
- Metro
- Superstore
- Canadian Tire
- Home Hardware
- Gord Watts Municipal Centre
- Local Convenience Store
- Quickie Convenience Stores



Recycling Collection Requirements

- Recycling must be placed at the curb prior to 7:00 am on the day of collection only.
- Recycling must be placed in a bin, not a plastic bag. Recycling placed at the curb in plastic bags will not be collected.
- There is no limit to the amount of recycling you can set out.
- Recycling can be co-mingled, meaning all plastics, metal, glass, and paper products can be placed together in the same recycling bin.
- Please ensure materials are clean.
- If garbage is found in the recycling it will be refused.
- Corrugated cardboard must be cut and folded into bundles with dimensions less than 76 centimetres (30 inches) in any direction.
- If your recycling wasn't collected a red sticker indicating why will be placed on it.
- If you're unsure about an item, check “What Goes Where?” on the RecycleCoach App to see what is acceptable for recycling collection.

What Can be Recycled

Recycling must be placed in a bin, not a plastic bag. Recycling can be CO-MINGLED, meaning all plastics/metal/glass AND paper products can be placed together in the same recycling bin - no additional sorting required. Please ensure material is clean. If garbage is found in recycling it will be refused. Check the City's Free Recycle Coach App on the App Store and see "What Goes Where".

Recyclable



- ✓ Empty plastic containers, including plastics #1-7
- ✓ Glass containers
- ✓ Steel and aluminum cans, containers, pans and clean foil
- ✓ Empty & dry paint cans, aerosol cans with lids off and jar lids
- ✓ Newspaper, flyers, magazines and catalogues
- ✓ Soft cover books, paper and clean boxes
- ✓ Food & Beverage Cartons (Milk, juice, broth, soup etc.)
- ✓ Corrugated cardboard (**Must be folded/cut into bundles less than 30 inches (76 cm) in any dimension**)

Not Recyclable



- ✗ Styrofoam
- ✗ Ceramics
- ✗ Film plastic (bags, shrink wrap)
- ✗ Windows and tempered glass
- ✗ Toys (donate)
- ✗ Footwear & clothing (donate)
- ✗ Pots/pans (donate)
- ✗ Oversized plastic pails, buckets, laundry baskets
- ✗ Products with mixed materials
- ✗ Chip bags
- ✗ Broken glass (securely place in a box, tape up, and place beside your garbage bag with a note saying "Broken Glass")
- ✗ Soiled cardboard (pizza boxes, coffee cups, take out boxes)

Items Not Accepted for Collection

- ✗ Appliances
- ✗ Air conditioners
- ✗ Dehumidifiers
- ✗ Auto parts
- ✗ Fuel tanks
- ✗ Pools & liners
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Propane tanks
- ✗ Needles (please use a Sharps program)
- ✗ Electronics (computers, TVs, radios, speakers, printers, etc.)
- ✗ Demolition, construction, and renovation materials (drywall, lumber, windows, tempered glass, doors, shingles, stones, bricks, tiles, cupboards, cabinets, toilets, etc.)
- ✗ Large metal items (can be brought to Waste Management for free or to a scrap metal recycler)

How do I dispose of these items?

Some of these items require special disposal or may be brought to the Waste Management transfer station for a fee. Please contact beforehand. Sorted recyclable materials can be brought to Waste Management for free (**see page 14 for more details about Waste Management**). For information on other items listed, visit www.brockville.com.



Stay informed about Brockville's waste and recycling program, including holiday collection changes, event reminders and more!



Download the FREE Recycle Coach app

Search "recycle coach"





Ontario's transition to producer responsibility

In 2021, the Ontario government released the [Blue Box Regulation](#) that shifts the financial and operational responsibility of recycling programs to producers – those that produce and supply blue box materials to residents. In this new extended producer responsibility framework, producers become financially and operationally responsible for collecting and recycling blue box materials.

Who we are

Circular Materials is a national not-for-profit organization that builds efficient and effective recycling systems where materials are collected, recycled and returned to producers to use as recycled content in new packaging and paper. As the administrator of Ontario's common collection system, Circular Materials is responsible for operating the new system for blue box materials. We are committed to increasing recycling rates across Ontario and ensuring more materials are looped into the circular economy, benefiting both people and the environment.

What does this transition mean for residents?

Transition to the new framework will occur in a phased approach over the next two and a half years. During this time, Ontarians will not notice any differences to their recycling schedule and will still be able to recycle the same materials as before.

Residents with recycling questions can contact their community's contractor.

Community-specific recycling information can be found at circularmaterials.ca/ON.

Transition timeline

Transition to extended producer responsibility will take place between 2023 – 2025, with the new framework fully in place on January 1, 2026. Along with the Regulation, the government released a [schedule](#) that assigns each of the 376 Ontario communities a transition date.



Why the transition is important



- Historically, Ontario's blue box programs were operated by municipalities who shared the costs with producers. Now, under the Blue Box Regulation, Ontario is transitioning to a new model where producers are fully responsible for operating and funding the entire blue box program.
- In 2026, Ontario can expect a convenient, consistent, and effective recycling system in place that will improve recycling rates. This includes a consistent list of recyclable materials across the province.
- This new system operated by Circular Materials represents the evolution from product stewardship to a more circular economy where materials are collected, recycled and used again as recycled content in new packaging and products.

What does extended producer responsibility (EPR) mean?

EPR is a framework in which producers – the businesses that supply paper and packaging to residents – are responsible for managing the end-of-life management of these materials. EPR enables innovation, operational efficiencies, increased standard levels, and access to materials. It is recognized as one of the most effective mechanisms to improve recycling rates.

How we are enhancing Ontario's recycling system



Strategic partnerships and collaborative initiatives to drive innovation



Optimizing recycling operations and infrastructure



Promotion and education that drives recycling rates



Ensuring a continuous loop where materials are used again in new packaging and products



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Leaf & Yard Compost Site

The Leaf & Yard Compost Site accepts leaves, indoor and garden plants, small amounts of soil, brush, hedge trimmings, and tree limbs.

- Grass clippings, sod, weeds, and household organic wastes are not accepted at the compost site.
- Leaves are accepted loose or in paper leaf bags only.
- Paper leaf bags must not be taped or stapled.
- Plastic Bags are not permitted on site.
- Brush must be debagged.
- Tree limbs must be less than four (4) feet in length and less than eight (8) inches in diameter.
- Brockville residents are entitled to two (2) free wheelbarrow sized loads of compost per year. Residents are responsible for loading and transportation of small quantities of compost.

Hours of Operation		
Dates:	Monday to Friday	Saturday
March 31 - August 31	2:00pm - 7:00 p.m.	10:00am - 3:00pm
September 1 - October 31	1:00pm - 6:00pm	10:00am - 3:00pm
November 1 - November 28	12:00 pm - 5:00 p.m.	10:00am - 3:00pm
Closed Statutory Holidays		

Site Fees (Cash Only)	
Brush, Tree Limbs & Hedge Trimmings:	
Car Load	\$3.00
Trailer less than 10'	\$6.00
Van, Truck or SUV	\$6.00
Car & Trailer	\$8.00
Truck & Trailer	\$11.00
Trailer more than 10'	\$20.00
Tandem Wheels	\$20.00
No Charge for Leaves	

Compost Sales (Cash Only)	
Pickup, Van, or Trailer	\$25.00
Pickup or Van with Trailer	\$40.00
Single Axle Dump Truck	\$100.00
Tandem Axle Dump Truck	\$200.00
Triaxle Dump Truck	\$300.00
Dump trucks are loaded by the City by appointment only. To book an appointment and arrange payment call 613-342-8772 ext. 3220.	

Fall Curbside Leaf Collection

Curbside collection of leaves will take place during the following weeks:

October 27th - October 31st
November 17th - November 21st

- Place the leaves out for collection prior to 7:00am on your regular collection day.
- Leaves are collected in a separate vehicle and may be picked before or after garbage and recycling.
- Leaves will be collected in paper bags or reusable containers only.
- Reusable containers are to be labeled that they contain leaves.
- Leaves in plastic bags of any kind will not be collected.
- Paper leaf bags must not be taped or stapled.

Regulations & prices quoted are applicable at the time of printing and are subject to change during the calendar year. The City reserves the right to limit the type or quantities of waste accepted, or of compost given or sold.

Hazardous and Special Products (HSP)

Some items cannot be collected at the curb and must be disposed of properly. Examples of hazardous and special products include batteries, paints, motor oil, antifreeze, herbicides & pesticides, propane tanks, light bulbs, and prescription drugs, etc.

The City of Brockville hosts an annual Household Hazardous Waste Day for these items. Household Hazardous Waste Day is scheduled for **Saturday August 23rd between 8:00am and 2:00pm** and will be held at the **Brockville Youth Arena**.

Traffic will be one way. Please enter from the north on Oxford Avenue and turn right on Broadway Avenue only. Please monitor our website, facebook page, local papers and radio stations, or call for information and updates.

Use the RPRA's 'Where to Recycle' map to find locations across Ontario where you can drop off HSP materials to be recycled, such as batteries, electronics, household hazardous waste, lighting and tires, for free.

<https://rprr.ca/where-to-recycle/>

Paints

- Dulux Paints, 7748 Kent Boulevard, 613-342-3762 *Please Call Ahead

Prescription Medication

- Pharmasave, 173 King Street West, 613-345-3030
- Shoppers Drug Mart, 126 King Street West, 613-345-1486
- Shoppers Drug Mart, 2399 Parkedale Avenue, 613-342-6701
- Rexall Pharma Plus, 30 Pearl Street West, 613-342-2672
- Brockville Medical Pharmacy, 100 Strowger Boulevard, Unit 108, 613-498-1100

Needles/Syringes

Needles NEVER belong in the garbage or recycling. The Leeds, Grenville & Lanark District Health Unit provides information on Needle Disposal & Safety. Please visit: **<https://healthunit.org/health-information/drug-use-harm-reduction/needle-disposal-safety/>**

Batteries

- Brockville Public Library, 23 Buell Street, 613-342-3936.
- Gord Watts Municipal Centre, 251 North Augusta Road, 613-342-8772.
- City Hall, 1 King Street West, 613-342-8772.
- Brockville Memorial Civic Centre, 100 Magedoma Boulevard, 613-342-8775.
- These locations accept consumer dry cell batteries weighing less than 5kg or less each and do not accept automotive batteries.

Empty Oil Containers, Oil Filters, Antifreeze

- Riverside Ford, 25 Eleanor Street, 613-342-0234

Tire Recycling

Most locations that sell tires in Brockville are tire collectors and will take back tires to ensure that they are recycled.

Donation, Re-Use, and Recycle Partners

Whenever you are throwing something away, please consider re-use or donation options for anything still in good, usable condition. Many charities and thrift shops in the Brockville area accept donations of items that are in reasonable condition.

Second Hand Stores & Charitable Organizations

Please drop off donations during Open hours ONLY!

- The Score (in support of the MS Society of Canada), 260 King Street West, 613-345-5353
- The Greater Good, 2400 Parkedale Avenue, 613-498-1985
- May Court Thrift Shop, 75 King Street West, 613-342-2251
- Habitat for Humanity ReStore, 3039 County Road 29, 613-342-3521
- Salvation Army Thrift Store, 181 King Street West, 613-342-1616
- Hock Shop Canada, 358 Stewart Boulevard, 613-345-2274
- Thrifty's In Tincap 4501 Rowsome Road East, 613-341-7775

***Please DO NOT drop off or leave donations at these locations outside of open hours. This can cause issues with removal and may be considered illegal dumping. Please always call ahead to confirm items accepted for donations. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.**

*Donations
Welcome*

Electronics Recycling and/or Repair Companies

- Waste Management, 1380 California Avenue, 613-342-1081
- Eastern Independent Telecommunications, 100 Strowger Boulevard, 613-342-9652
- Habitat ReStore, 3039 County Road 29, 613-342-3521
- Staples, 1000 Islands Mall, 613-498-2616
- Compu-Silv Computers, 144 Waltham Road, 613-342-1377
- Kinda Electronics, 176 King Street West, 613-342-9098

Scrap Metal Dealers

- Zigman Metals, 700 Central Avenue, 613-342-2929
- Glenview Iron & Metal, 2411 Lyn Road, 613-345-3263

Private Waste Removal Companies

If your items cannot be recycled or donated, and will not be picked up curbside, you can call a private waste collector.

Waste Management Transfer Station

Residents may bring waste, recycling, construction and demolition waste, electronics, and some other items that are not accepted for curbside collection to the Waste Management Transfer Station. **Please call ahead for materials accepted and fees that may apply.**

Waste Management also provides many other services for homes. Please visit their website for details. <https://www.wm.com/ca/en>



WASTE MANAGEMENT

Brockville Transfer Station

1380 California Avenue,
Brockville, ON
K6V 6K8

Scale House Phone Number: 613-342-1081, ext. 22

Hours of Operation:

Monday to Friday: 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Fees: (Please Call to Confirm)

- Waste Up To 160 kg: \$50 Flat rate
- Recycling & Metals: FREE
(Recycling must be separated and plastic bags are not accepted)
- Non-refrigeration Appliances: FREE
- Refrigeration Appliances including air conditioners: FREE
(Freon must be removed by a technician and service slip presented to Waste Management)
- Electronic Waste: FREE

Methods of Payment:

- Accepts Debit, Visa, Mastercard
- No Cash or American Express





REMINDERS

Community Treasure Days

Saturday June 14th and September 13th. The garage sale where everything is free! Leave any unwanted but still useful items at the curb by 9:00 a.m. Remove any uncollected treasures from the curb and cease collecting by 6:00 p.m. Please do not remove items from anyone's property - only collect items from the curb.

Municipal Household Hazardous Waste Day

Saturday August 23rd, from 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the Brockville Youth Arena. Residents of Brockville can drop off any hazardous materials generated from their individual households for free.

Fall Curbside Leaf Collections

Weeks of October 27th to 31st, and November 17th to 21st. Place leaves out for collection prior to 7:00am on your regular waste collection day in reusable containers or paper bags ONLY. Paper leaf bags must not be taped or stapled and leaves in plastic bags will not be collected.

Wintertime Garbage & Recycling Collection

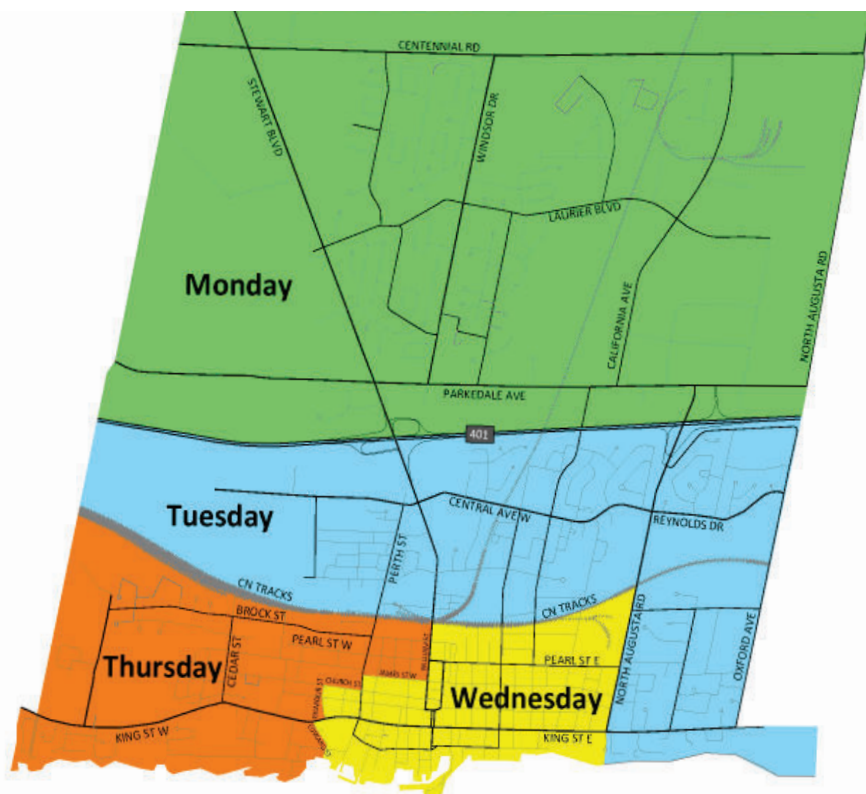
The winter months can be challenging for your waste and recycling collector. Following the suggestions below can make their job easier, safer, more efficient, and will reduce late and missed collection:

- Place your waste at the end of your cleared driveway or shoveled out part of the boulevard.
- Waste should not be placed on the road or sidewalk as it creates a hazard for pedestrians and snow plow operators.
- Don't leave your waste on your front lawn, steps, against your house, on top of or behind snowbanks, away from the curb, or where it cannot be accessed by the collectors without difficulty.

Please consider that the collectors are coming from the roadside and place waste where it can easily be accessed without the collectors having to climb through snow or leave the roadside and go onto your property.



Collection Days Map



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Having trouble remembering collection dates? **Download the FREE Recycle Coach** app on your smartphone, tablet or use the plug-in on our website at www.brockville.com to set reminders, search instructions on disposing of items and more!



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