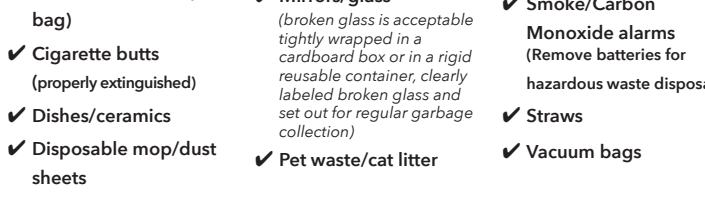
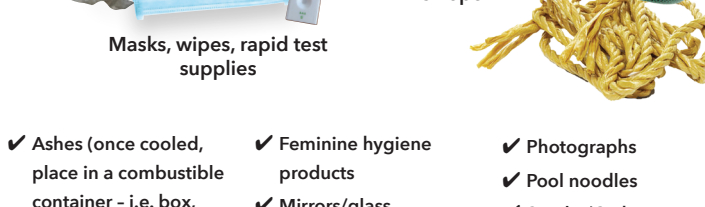
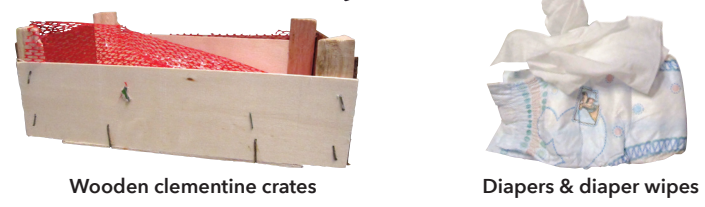


4 BAG/CONTAINER LIMIT PER HOUSEHOLD.
Garbage can be set out in plastic bags or garbage cans.



GARBAGE

To absorb moisture, reduce odours and help keep material from freezing to the cart, place crumpled newspaper at the bottom of your cart or layer dry leaf & yard waste over wet food waste or use a leaf & yard waste bag to line your cart. Material can be wrapped in newspaper, paper bags or other compostable box (i.e. cereal, frozen food, etc.).



GREEN CART (Food Waste)

LARGE ITEM COLLECTION (RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES ONLY)

- Collection occurs on **your collection day** during the week specified on your collection schedule. Items are to be placed curbside no earlier than Sunday of Large Item Collection Week (May 24th & September 13th).
- Scrap metal & Non-Freon appliances, Freon appliances and Electronics **must be placed in separate piles** as they are collected separately for recycling.
- Small items or material placed out in garbage bags or cardboard boxes WILL NOT BE collected.**
- Remove all fluids, gasoline from items (i.e. lawn mower).
- Material must be manageable by two (2) people and cannot exceed 80 lbs (36kg), 27ft³ (.76m³) or 6 ft (1.8 m).

✓ ACCEPTABLE LARGE HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Material must be sorted into **4 separate piles**: Scrap Metal & Non-Freon Metal Appliances, Freon Appliances, Acceptable Large Household Items, Electronic Waste:

- ✓ **Scrap Metal & Non-Freon Metal Appliances (Separate Pile)**
 - ✓ BBQ's, stainless steel sinks, bikes, exercise equipment, microwave
 - ✓ Non-Freon Appliances: oven, washer, dryer, dishwasher
- ✓ **Freon Appliances (Separate Pile)**
 - ✓ Fridge, freezers, air conditioners, water coolers, dehumidifiers. **Freon does not have to be removed. Remove lids & doors from fridges/freezers**
- ✓ **Acceptable Large Items (Separate Pile)**
 - ✓ Artificial Christmas Tree (Remove from cardboard box)
 - ✓ Boxspring/mattresses
 - ✓ Broken garbage cans, plastic totes, etc. **MUST BE LABELED "FOR COLLECTION"**
 - ✓ Carpets & underlay
 - ✓ Furniture (desks, couches)
 - ✓ Plastic - large, bulky household plastic items (children's swimming pool, lawn chair, outdoor toys)
 - ✓ Pool covers
 - ✓ Luggage & hockey bags larger than 9" x 14" x 22" - Empty
 - ✓ Mops, brooms, shovels & rakes (non-metal)
- ✓ **Electronic Waste (Separate Pile)**
 - ✓ TV's
 - ✓ Computers
 - ✓ Radios
 - ✓ Speakers



✗ NON-ACCEPTABLE ITEMS - Must be brought to OVWRC (tipping fees may apply)

- ✗ **Construction/ Renovation Material**
- ✗ Bathrooms, toilets, vanities, cupboards, countertops, sinks (non-metal)
- ✗ Concrete
- ✗ Drywall
- ✗ Flooring
- ✗ Vinyl siding, shingles
- ✗ Windows & doors
- ✗ Wood (Lumber, plywood, etc.)
- ✗ Wood pallets
- ✗ Propane tanks
- ✗ Plastic flower pots & trays
- ✗ Hazardous waste



Electronic Waste (E-Waste) & Hazardous or Special Waste (HSW)

Accepted year round at the Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre's Hazardous & Electronic Waste Depot (Gate 3) during Depot operating hours (**NO CHARGE**)

Please note change in operating hours at the Depot (Gate 3):

Tuesday to Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturdays (April 1 - October 31): 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturdays (November 1 - March 31): 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

CLOSED Sundays, Mondays and Public Holidays

Environmental Days have been discontinued due to their high operating cost.

TIRES

Tires are **NOT** collected curbside. Tires (passenger & light truck tires, 10/tires/day/customer) can be dropped off at OVWRC, no charge.

HSW MATERIAL ACCEPTED (Containers 5 gallon (20L) or smaller)

Ensure HSW is in the original or a well-marked container to indicate the contents. Containers must be properly sealed with no visible leaks. Unlabeled/ unidentified products cannot be accepted.

- Batteries
- Helium tanks (single use)
- Light bulbs (fluorescent, incandescent, LED)
- Mercury thermometers & switches
- Needles, syringes, lancets (packaged in a sealed plastic container or sharps container OR return to local pharmacy)
- Oil, oil filters & empty oil containers
- Paints
- Propane cylinders
- Pesticides & herbicides

Small businesses must receive pre-approval before bringing HSW - visit www.ovwrc.com to download application forms.

Please bring small loads of household hazardous waste to the depot. Large loads may not be accepted ½ hour before closing. If a load consists of a combination of solid and liquid hazardous waste, the total of the wastes cannot exceed 90 kg/litres per load. **Individual containers/pails cannot exceed 20 L (5 gallon).**

DO NOT throw these items in garbage or recycling.

E-WASTE ACCEPTED (RESIDENTS & BUSINESSES)

Display Devices (TVs, Monitors, Tablets, E-Books)

Telephones, Cell Phones, Pagers

Desktop & Portable Computers & Peripherals

Portable Audio/Video Systems

Kids Electronics (Toys, Robots, RC Toys)

Drones

Wire & Cabling

Electronic Automotive Parts

Power Tools

Light Fixtures & String Lights

Musical Instruments

Power Supplies & Extension Cords

Video Gaming Systems

Small Appliances (i.e. hair dryer, iron)

Printers & Print Cartridges

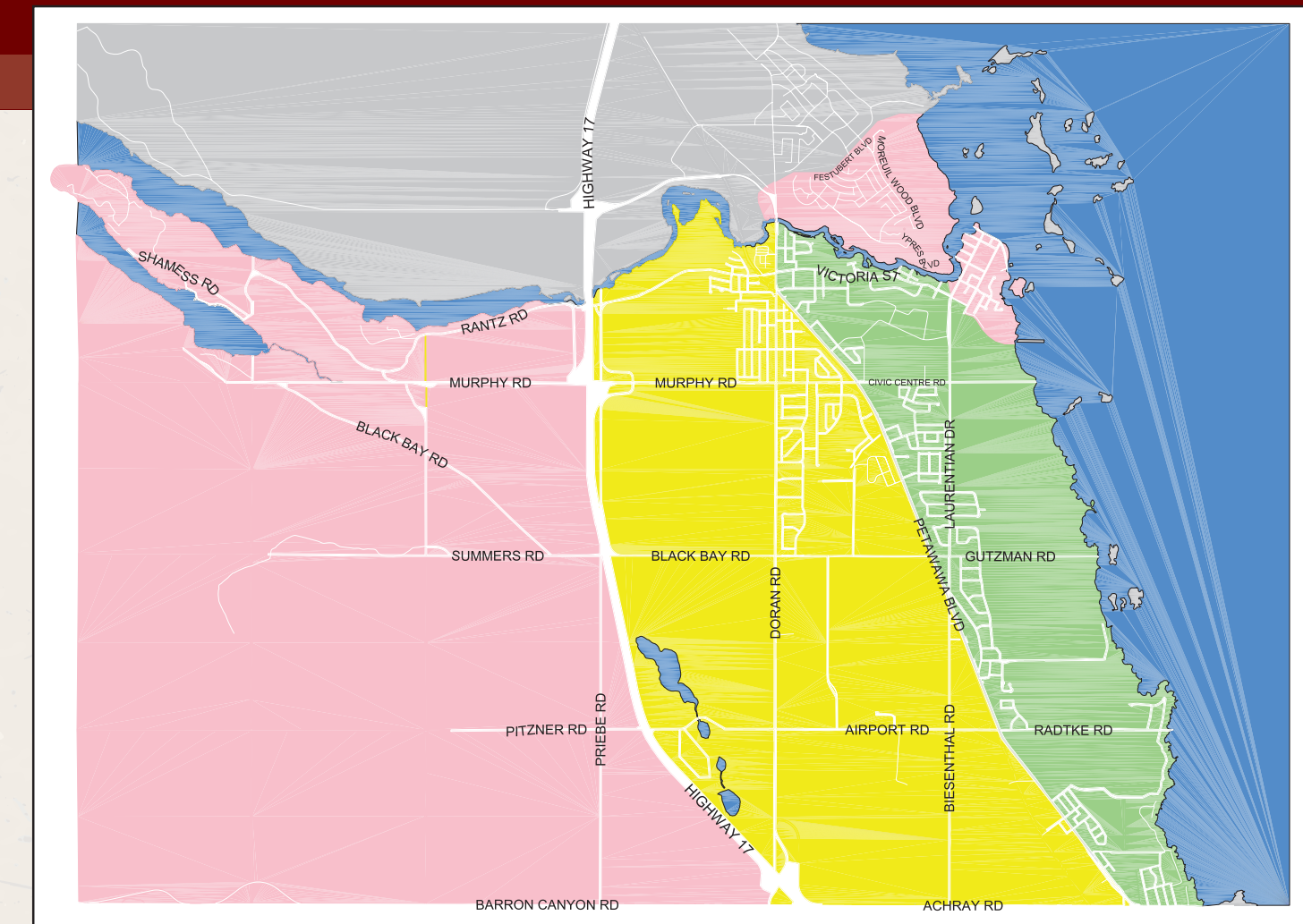
Air Treatment Devices (i.e. fan)

E-Waste Accepted Curbside During Large Item Collection (remove all batteries) and Gates 1 & 3 at OVWRC year round during regular operating hours.

Due to Health & Safety concerns, OVWRC staff are not able to assist with unloading of material from customer vehicles

Collection Schedule 2026-27

Please refer to the map for your collection day



WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

RECYCLING INQUIRIES, MISSED COLLECTION & REPLACEMENT RECYCLING BINS

1-855-752-3257
area3@millerwaste.ca

OTHER COLLECTION INQUIRIES
Miller Waste Systems Inc: 613-735-6925
or Contact the Municipal Office
613-687-5536
email@petawawa.ca

Contact the Municipal Office for Purchase of Green Carts.

OTTAWA VALLEY WASTE RECOVERY CENTRE OPERATING HOURS (GATE 1)

April 1st to October 31st: Monday to Friday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
November 1st to March 31st: Monday to Friday 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
CLOSED Sundays

CLOSED Statutory Holidays (Check your calendar for changes in collection)
CLOSED at 2:00 p.m. on December 24th and 31st.
Secure loads during transport to OVWRC to prevent roadside litter

*Hours subject to change
Hours for the Hazardous & Electronic Waste Depot and Reuse Centre (Gate 3) differ. Please refer to the inside of the collection schedule for more information.

www.ovwrc.com | info@ovwrc.com | 613-735-7537
900 Woito Station Rd., Laurentian Valley, ON K8A 6W5

LITTER PROBLEMS? We Have You Covered! Nets for sale at your Municipal office.

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TOWN OF Collection Schedule



ATTENTION RESIDENTS

The Town of Petawawa's recycling program is managed by Circular Materials, a national not-for-profit organization that is committed to building an efficient and effective recycling system in Ontario.



RECYCLING COLLECTION INQUIRIES AND QUESTIONS ABOUT REPLACEMENT RECYCLING BINS:

Phone: 1-855-752-3257
Email: area3@millerwaste.ca

For more information, visit circularmaterials.ca/PETAWAWA

****Under the program, you can now recycle more! Please review the sorting guide included with this calendar.****



CHANGES TO HAZARDOUS WASTE DEPOT HOURS & ENVIRONMENTAL DAYS

The Centre's two Environmental Days (Petawawa and Pembroke) have been cancelled due to the increasing cost of hosting these events. Hazardous Waste and Electronic Waste is still accepted at the Centre's Depot at 900 Woito Station Road (Gate 3) year-round.

NEW DEPOT OPERATING HOURS:

Tuesday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday (April 1 - October 31): 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday (November 1 - March 31): 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
CLOSED: Mondays, Statutory Holidays (including Boxing Day) and Sundays

****Hours subject to change****

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TOWN OF PETAWAWA

Collection Schedule 2026-27

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JANUARY 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Thursday & Friday Collection moves ahead one day due to holiday: Christmas Tree Collection - Week of January 5 on your regular collection day. Natural trees only. Trees wrapped in plastic WILL NOT be collected.				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

FEBRUARY 2026						
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
Containers & bins must be placed 5 to 6 feet (1.5 to 1.8 m) from curb or roadside (in driveway, not on sidewalk, multi-use pathway or snowbank)						

MARCH 2026						
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	Do not place batteries or items containing batteries in your garbage. Dispose of batteries safely at OVWRC's Hazardous Waste Depot.			

APRIL 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Friday collection moves ahead one day due to holiday.				1	2	3
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		

MAY 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Large Item Collection - Week of May 25th. Collection occurs on your regular collection day. Items are to be placed curbside no earlier than Sunday, May 24th. RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES ONLY.				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

JUNE 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	Household Hazardous Waste is accepted at Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre year-round! **Please note new operating hours of Hazardous Waste Depot**			

JULY 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Collection moves ahead one day due to holiday: Canada Day				1	2	3
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	

AUGUST 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
OVWRC turns your food waste into compost! Do not place plastics of any kind, metal, glass or Styrofoam in your green cart.				1		
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

SEPTEMBER 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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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	Large Item Collection - Week of Sept. 14th. Collection occurs on your regular collection day. Items are to be placed curbside no earlier than Sunday, Sept. 13th. RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES ONLY.		



Not Sure Where It Goes?

Easily find out at www.ovwrc.com/what-goes-where

Search 100's of items to see if something can be recycled, composted, reused or disposed of using the on-line search tool available on our website.



Please refer to the map for your collection day.

OCTOBER 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Leaves & grass clippings (loose or in paper bags) accepted at OVWRC - No charge. Fees apply for branches, tree limbs and stumps.				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

NOVEMBER 2026						
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	Containers & bins must be placed 5 to 6 feet (1.5 to 1.8 m) from curb or roadside (in driveway, not on sidewalk, multi-use pathway or snowbank)				

DECEMBER 2026						
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	Christmas Day	

JANUARY 2027						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Friday collection moves ahead one day due to holiday: Christmas Tree Collection - week of January 4th on your regular collection day. Natural trees only. Trees wrapped in plastic WILL NOT be collected.				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

FEBRUARY 2027						
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	Electronic Waste (including electronics containing batteries) accepted year-round at Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre.					

MARCH 2027						
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	New collection schedules beginning March 29 will be delivered mid-March.		

Recyclables must be placed loose inside your yellow bin or other open top, reusable container (i.e. laundry basket, Rubbermaid container, etc.)

Residential recycling in plastic bags WILL NOT be collected.

ENSURE ITEMS ARE EMPTY AND FREE FROM FOOD RESIDUE

Do not include alcoholic beverage containers. Return all eligible liquor, wine, and beer containers for a refund at an Ontario Deposit Return Program location.

Plastic containers (lids on)

Laundry detergent and household cleaner jugs, shampoo, body wash, salad dressing, condiment, dish soap, mouth wash bottles, plastic beverage bottles.

Food trays, salad, yogurt, peanut butter, bakery and egg containers, plastic cups, plastic tubs and lids.

Toothpaste tubes, deodorant, hand cream tubes, small item packaging, hand sanitizer bottles, plant pots.

Paper laminate containers

Spiral cans, cookie dough package, ice cream containers and hot and cold beverage cups. Remove lids.

Cartons

Beverage cartons, juice and milk cartons, sugar cartons, soup and sauce cartons. Lids on.

Do not include alcoholic beverage containers.

Foam packaging

Remove film wrap and absorbent pads from meat trays.

Meat trays, takeout containers, cups, plates, bowls, foam packaging for products.

Glass containers

Clear and coloured glass. Food containers, jars and bottles, cosmetic containers, spice bottles, oil and vinegar bottles, non-alcoholic glass beverage containers. Lids off.

Aerosol containers

Food sprays, hair spray, air fresheners, shaving cream, deodorant. Lids on.

Aluminium (foil & trays)

Aluminum foil, pie plates, frozen food trays. Ball up aluminum foil.

DO NOT PUT IN RECYCLING

- Containers filled with liquid
- Sharps & needles (dispose of at your local pharmacy)
- Sharp items such as knives
- Home health care waste
- Batteries
- Propane tanks



YELLOW BIN (Containers)



LEAF & YARD WASTE (L&YW)

Extra L&YW will ONLY be collected on specific days. Check your schedule for the L&YW symbol.

- ACCEPTABLE ITEMS
- Leaves
- Branches
- House & garden plants
- Garden/hedge/tree trimmings



Individual branches must be no more than 2" (5 cm) in diameter or 4 ft (1.2 m) in length. Bundled branches must be no more than 2 ft (0.60 m) in diameter. Individual bag/bundle/container cannot exceed 50 lbs (23 kgs).

Use open top, reusable containers, cardboard boxes, or paper yard waste bags.

Material in plastic bags will not be collected.

L&YW is collected separately from other materials. Green carts will only be collected on green cart collection days.

Leaves & Grass Clippings (loose or in paper bags) accepted at OVWRC, no charge. Fees apply for Mixed Leaf & Yard Waste, Branches, Tree Limbs and Stumps.

LEAF & YARD WASTE

Paper recycling must be placed loose in a blue box, cardboard box, paper bag or other reusable open top container.

Residential recycling in plastic bags WILL NOT be collected (with the exception of shredded paper).

ENSURE ITEMS ARE EMPTY AND FREE FROM FOOD RESIDUE

Cardboard boxes

Pizza boxes, shoe boxes, moving boxes. Flatten.

No larger than 60 cm x 60 cm (2 ft x 2 ft)

Boxboard

Cereal boxes, tissue boxes, egg cartons, empty toilet paper and paper towel rolls. Flatten.

Paper

Flour bags, white or coloured loose paper, file folders, newspapers, flyers, magazines, greeting cards, envelopes.

Place shredded paper in a tied, clear bag. Separate from plastic bags used to cover items (i.e. newspaper bag). Remove elastic bands and rope handles from bags.

Do not include soft or hard covered books/novels.

Paper laminate packaging

Pet food bags, food service paper bags, and plates.

Flexible plastic packaging

Bags used for dry cleaning, bread, newspapers and flyers.

Overwrap (paper towel & toilet paper, beverage containers).

Coffee bags, deli pouches, chip bags, bubble wrap, snack wrappers, cereal liner bags, plastic gift bags.

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BLUE BOX (Paper & Cardboard)

For a list of acceptable items please refer to the guide included with this calendar or visit www.ovwrc.com/what-goes-where
Questions? Contact OVWRC 613-735-7537 or info@ovwrc.com.



Green Cart



Paper



Containers



Garbage



Large Item Collection



Leaf & Yard Waste Pick-Up



Christmas Trees

All waste streams to be set-out by 5:00 a.m. for collection. Material must be placed 5 to 6 feet (1.5 to 1.8 m) from curb or roadside (in driveway, not on sidewalk, multi-use pathway or snowbank). Green cart must have 2 to 3 feet (0.6 to 0.9 m) clearance around it to allow for proper collection and with wheels facing away from the road with the lid closed. Containers cannot exceed 50 lbs (23kg) (with the exception of the green cart).