The Blue Mountains

WASTE RESOURCE

2025

App: TBM Waste Resource 🖷 篤

Web: thebluemountains.ca/wastecollection

Waste Management By-Law:

The Town now has the ability to charge fines for litter and waste disposal infractions. This strategy has been adopted to build behaviours that protect the beauty and cleanliness of our natural environment and assets. Visit **thebluemountains.ca/littering** for details.

Circular Materials' Information

Circular Materials has assumed residential blue box and grey box collection across Ontario. Blue box inquiries can be directed to Miller Waste at area17@millerwaste.ca or (519) 372-1855.

Key Dates 2025:

Curbside Yard Waste: April 21 to May 30 & October 13 to November 20

Household Battery Collection: September 1 to 30 **Christmas Tree Collection:** January 5-16, 2026

Landfill and Recycling Depot: Closed for all Statutory Holidays

Waste Collection: Christmas Day and New Year's day collection will occur the following day



Town of The Blue Mountains Town Hall PO Box 310, 32 Mill Street, Thornbury ON, N0H 2P0 (519) 599-3131 ext. 276 | (888) BLU-MTNS ext. 276 thebluemountains.ca

Blue (Containers)



Curbside



Clean & remove lids



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Empty & lids off

Grey (Paper)

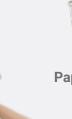
Condo



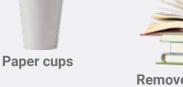
Curbside Condo



Clean & remove lids



Cardboard tubes



Remove & discard covers

Books

- Flatten into bundles no larger than: 61 cm x 46 cm x 15 cm



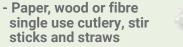
Green (Organics)





Fats, Oils, Grease

Note: Use certified compostable liners only

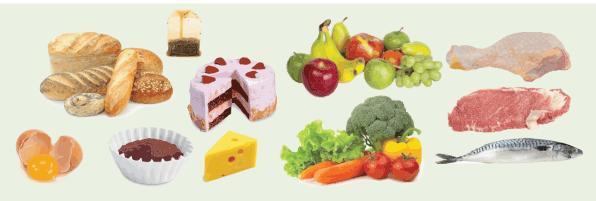






- Paper napkins & plate

- Certified compostable single-use food service ware



Garbage















Styrofoam



Diapers

Battery Collection



Plastic bags and film

- Durable goods PLA plastic containers

Three Bag Limit - One Tag 2nd Bag, Two Tags 3rd Bag

Curbside Yard Waste Collection (Spring & Fall)

Maximum 10 containers or bags per week. April 21 to May 30, 2025 and October 13 to November 20, 2025 on your regular day of collection.



No

< Plastic Bags

For curbside, place batteries in battery bag on top of organics/green bin from September 1 to 30, 2025. For condos, place batteries in battery bag and place inside designated pail in central waste area through September 2025.

Curbside

Curbside Christmas Tree Collection

January 5 to 16, 2026 on your day of waste collection.

No Plastic Bags > or Decorations



SEASONAL SERVICE

Put Waste in Its Place



Items for collection must be out by 7:00 a.m.

Styrofoam Recycling

(limited to white bulky packaging foam)

No curbside collection available. Must be delivered to the Landfill and Recycling Depot.

Blue & Grey Boxes Full?

Use clear bags for the two streams, and can be placed in stationary waste boxes.

Not in the Bin!

WEEKLY SERVICE

Do not place diapers and personal hygiene products, plastic, glass, metal, Styrofoam, cigarette butts and ashes, soil, rocks, bricks, plastic bags, elastics, textiles, waxed paper, other non-compostable waste and yard waste in the green bin.

Residential Garbage Limits

First bag is free, second bag requires one tag, third bag requires two tags. Additional bags are not permitted. Bag limited to 18 kgs. Bag limited to 76 cm x 97 cm in size. Can must have side handles and is limited to 84 cm in height by 56 cm in diameter.

Garbage Bag Tags \$5 per tag (subject to change)

Available at Hindle's Hardware, Foodland, Circle K, Ravenna Country Market, Town Hall, L.E Shore Library, Craigleith Heritage Depot and Waste Disposal Site.

For more information: thebluemountains.ca 1-(888) 258-6867 ext. 276

Landfill and Recycling Depot

The Solid Waste Disposal Site will accept most waste, even many items not acceptable for curbside pickup. For information on waste acceptance and sorting see attendant on duty.

Hours:

Year-Round Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Fees Applicable - (interac, cash or cheque)

Mandatory sorting of metals and appliances, drywall, shingles, mattresses, brush, yard waste, wood waste (treated and untreated wood material & lumber), concrete and landfill waste.

Household Hazardous Waste Depot

The Depot will accept most household hazardous waste such as: paint, used oil, cleaners, solvents, batteries, light bulbs, pesticides and more items free of charge.

Location and Phone:

788090 Grey Road 13, Clarksburg (519) 599-3131 ext.490

No Charge:

Mandatory sorting of blue box recyclables, e-waste, tires, residential yard waste, textiles, household hazardous waste, styrofoam packaging, bottles for BVO (donation drop-off for deposit return containers).

For Purchase:

Finished screened compost, wood chips, green bins, garbage tags and waste bin tabs.

Stationary Garbage Boxes

Proper placement and maintenance of stationary garbage boxes is important to ensure efficient collection and to not obstruct road maintenance.

Bins should be placed at the front property line, 1 metre or less from the driveway and clearly visible for collection crews. They are not permitted on the shoulder of the road or in the ditch.

The bins must remain cleared of snow, bushes and debris at all times. Maintenance of the bins is fully the responsibility of the homeowner.

To avoid missed collection, please ensure that the waste indicator tab is affixed and tethered to the bin and is fully visible at all times.

For more information, please visit our website at www.thebluemountains.ca/resident-services/garbage-recycling-waste

