Residential Curbside Collection Guide

Inverness County

Waste Wizard

Find out how to dispose of 600+ items of household waste.

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Blue bag 1—Paper

Boxboard (cereal and tissue boxes)

Corrugated cardboard (flattened and bundled)

No bigger than $0.6m \times 0.9m \times 0.2m$ (2 ft x 3 ft x 8 in)

Muffin, burger, and sandwich wraps

Egg cartons

Envelopes

File folders

Flour bags

Toilet paper and paper towel tubes Phone books

Pizza boxes

Shredded paper

Magazines, catalogues, newspapers, flyers

Paper bags

Paper carryout

trays (must be clean and dry)

Pet food bags

Used printer/ writing paper

> Paper must be clean and dry.

Blue bag 2—Plastics & containers

Aluminum pie plates and trays

Bags (bread, grocery, shopping, freezer, etc.)

Cans (aluminium, steel, tin)

Deodorant (roll-on/tubes)

Disposable coffee cups

Drink containers and tetrapaks

Garden pots/seedling trays

Glass bottles and jars

Hand cream tubes

Ice cream containers

Laundry detergent jugs

Milk containers, cartons, and bags

Plastic containers and packaging

Plastic cookie and cake trays

Plastic veggie and fruit trays

Plastic wrap

Shampoo, conditioner, and body wash bottles

Spiral containers (frozen juice, chips, cookie dough, ex: Pringles can) Tea light candle holders

Toothpaste tubes

Wire clothes hangers

Yogurt and pudding cups

Yogurt/sour cream lids

Make sure everything is rinsed out!



Curbside rules

Limit of 4 garbage bags per week, and no limit for recycling.

Bag maximum is 30" by 37" and 20 lbs. Set bags curbside by 7a.m.



For needles
and syringes, please
visit your local
pharmacy for safe
sharps containers.

Bathroom waste and personal hygiene products

Books (please consider donating)

Broken glass (please box and label for safety)

Clothes and textiles (please consider donating)

Coffee/tea pods (Keurig, etc.)

Dirty diapers

Giftwrap, gift bags, ribbons, bows

Kitty litter,

bagged pet waste

Laundry detergent boxes

Meat and cooked

food waste

Toys and

household items (please consider

donating)

Tooth, hair and lint brushes

Used tinfoil, stretch wrap and

plastic wrap

Waxed paper

Not available for curbside collection

Although not appropriate for curbside pick up, the following items can be dropped off at one of two municipal collecting facilities for proper disposal.

Kenloch Waste Management Facility:

Construction & demolition waste (no creosote materials, treated wood must be separated)

Paints & stains

Motor oil, filters, and empty aerosol cans

Strathlorne Municipal Recycling Facility: Electronics, batteries, and light bulbs

To learn more about bulky garbage and hazardous waste collection events, along with other drop-off sites in Nova Scotia, visit:

invernesscounty.ca/services/sortitout

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Kenloch Waste Management Facility

420 West Lake Ainslie Road

Mon-Fri: 8:30a.m. - 4:30p.m.

Saturday: 8:30a.m. - Noon

Sundays and Holidays: Closed

Strathlorne Municipal Recycling Facility

15109 Route 19, Strathlorne

Mon-Fri: 7a.m. – 4p.m.

Saturday: 7a.m. - Noon

Sundays and Holidays: Closed

Ouestions?

waste@invernesscounty.ca Call toll-free, 1-866-258-0223 and select option #1

★ Organics

If backyard composting is an option for you, appropriate items include:

Bread and baked goods

Egg shells

Fruit and vegetable peelings

Hay, leaves and grass clippings

Rice, grains and pasta Soiled paper products