

BECOMING A RECYCLE BC DROP-OFF DEPOT MEANS...

What is Changing?

On October 1, 2018, the Mission Landfill Recycling Depot became an official Recycle BC drop-off depot for the collection of residential recycling.

Among the associated changes, recyclables dropped off at the Mission Landfill must now be sorted into five categories for placement into the following separate bins:

1. Paper & Cardboard
2. Containers (Plastic, Metal, Paper Cups/Cartons)
3. Glass Bottles & Jars
4. Plastic Bags & Overwrap (stretchy plastic only)
5. Other Flexible Plastic Packaging

Residential Recycling Only

The other significant change is that the Mission Landfill Recycling Depot will only accept the above recyclables from a residential source. Materials will not be accepted from a commercial vehicle or from a commercial or institutional source.

For a fee, commercial recycling may be dropped off at the Abbotsford Mission Recycling Depot located at 33670 Valley Road, Abbotsford. Call 604-850-3551 for more information. Alternatively, recycling can also be dropped off at private facilities for a fee. Check with private transfer stations in Abbotsford or with private waste management companies for options.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!

Who is Recycle BC?

Recycle BC is a not-for-profit organization responsible for residential packaging and paper recycling throughout BC. Recycle BC is funded by businesses, as a result of the BC Recycling Regulation, requiring producers and retailers be responsible for the cost of collecting and recycling packaging and paper supplied to BC residents.

Why Recycle BC?

The District joined the Recycle BC program so that recycling collection and processing would be funded by industry instead of residential solid waste utility fees. In addition, with changes in recycling commodity markets, the District was unable to ensure recycling collected at the Mission Landfill Recycling Depot would find a recycling market. Responsibility of ensuring collected materials are recycled has now shifted to Recycle BC.

We Are Not Alone!

Since 2014, over 150 communities in BC have joined the Recycle BC program, which includes over 200 recycling drop-off depots across BC.

Need more information?

District of Mission

www.mission.ca/waste-management
engineering@mission.ca

or 604-820-3736

Recycle BC

www.recyclebc.ca

**And don't forget the District of Mission
Recycle Coach waste app!**

To download the app, go to the
[App Store](#) or [Google Play](#) and search for
"recycle coach"



Sorting Recyclables at the Mission Landfill



Mission Landfill

32000 Dewdney Trunk Road
Open 7 Days a Week from 8 am to 5 pm
Closed on Statutory Holidays, Boxing Day & Easter Sunday
Scalehouse: 604-826-9008

Please Sort Your Household Recyclables Into These 5 Categories:

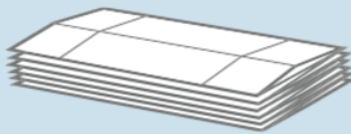
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1. PAPER & CARDBOARD



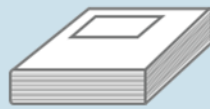
Newspaper & Flyers



Cardboard



Magazines & Catalogues



Telephone Books



Office Paper & Envelopes



Boxboard



Paper Gift Wrap & Cards



Moulded Paper Packaging

KEEP IT CLEAN, KEEP IT NICE!

- Recyclables must be empty and clean of residues.
- Return deposit containers for refund.
- Recyclables must be from a residential source and from retail packaging (except for tin foil).

2. CONTAINERS (PLASTIC, METAL, PAPER CUPS/CARTONS)



Plastic Jugs



Plastic Bottles & Caps



Plastic Jars & Lids



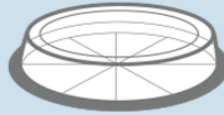
Plastic Pails < 25 L



Plastic Clamshells



Plastic Garden Pots & Trays



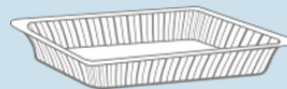
Plastic Trays & Tops



Plastic Tubs & Lids



Microwavable Bowls & Cups



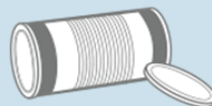
Tin Foil & Take-out Containers



Empty Aerosol Cans



Cold Drink Cups



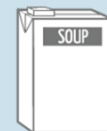
Metal Cans & Lids



Gable-top Cartons



Spiral-wound Cardboard Cans



Aseptic Boxes



Paper Cups



Frozen Dessert Containers

3. GLASS BOTTLES & JARS



Put lids with Containers.

NO drinking glasses, broken glass, ceramics, window panes, mirrors, or light bulbs.

4. PLASTIC BAGS & OVERWRAP



“Stretchy” plastic only.

- NO sandwich wrap
- NO Ziploc bags
- NO “crinkly” plastic, eg. no chip bags or candy wrappers

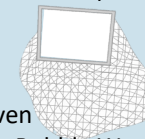
5. OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING



Crinkly Candy Wrappers, Chip Bags



Standup Pouches, Zip Locks



Plastic Woven Onion Bags, Bubble Wrap

NO STYROFOAM™

Styrofoam™ is not accepted at the Mission Landfill for recycling but can be dropped off at the Mission Recycling Depot or the Mission Bottle Depot, if sorted into white and coloured... and no peanuts please!

