



RECYCLING

Collection by the City of Nelson

For your garbage and recycling schedule visit: nelson.ca/waste



Newspapers, inserts, and flyers



Magazines, catalogues, and phone books



Boxboard boxes



Plastic bottles, jars, and jugs



Plastic trays and clam shells



Plastic garden pots and seedling trays



Foil wrap and take out containers



Paper egg cartons



Household paper



Envelopes



Caps, tops, lids, and pumps



Plastic or paper take-out cups, bowls, and lids



Cartons for soup, milk, etc.



Aerosol cans (empty)



Paper bags



Cardboard boxes



Spiral wound cans and lids for juice concentrate



Metal cans

DEPOT DROP OFF

Operated by the Regional District of Central Kootenay

FOAM PACKAGING



Foam meat trays (remove absorbent liner)



Foam take-out containers and cups



Foam packaging used to protect electronics, etc.

PLASTIC BAGS & OVERWRAP



Plastic bags



Overwrap

GLASS



Glass bottles and jars (clear and coloured)

OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING



Flexible packaging with plastic seal (e.g. sandwich meat packaging)



Stand-up and zipper lock pouches



Crinkly wrappers and chip bags



Sort it Right!

BLUE BIN RULES

THESE ITEMS ARE NOT ALLOWED!



NO GLASS



NO SOFT PLASTICS



NO FOAM PACKAGING



NO PAPER TOWELS



ALL CONTAINERS MUST BE RINSED!

Recycling must be contained in blue lidded bins



CLIMATE PROGRAMS

Find out how you can participate!

nelson.ca/programs



CITY NEWS

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Sign up to receive City News!

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EMERGENCY

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HYDRO POWER OUTAGES

24 Hour Toll Free Number

1-877-324-9376

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- █ Lower Uphill (Latimer St. to Richards St., Creek St., Perrier Road & Perrier Lane)
- █ Downtown and Gyro/View St. areas (Anderson St. to Mill St. and Front St. to the Rails-to-Trails)
- █ Upper Uphill and Rosemont
- █ Fairview
- █ All other residential pick-up
- █ Statutory Holiday/Holiday day observed in lieu of stat

Not sure which day is your collection day?
Go to nelson.ca/waste for a map.

JANUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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FEBRUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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MARCH

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APRIL

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MAY

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JUNE

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Garbage must be placed in regular-sized garbage bags. Bags may be contained in a bin.



Clearly display entire tag on EACH bag.
Do not tag bin.



Visit nelson.ca/waste to find out your pick-up day & what you can recycle.



FoodCycler™ Pilot Program PRE-TREATED ORGANICS PROGRAM UPDATE

What the neighbours
are saying...

"Love it! It has reduced our garbage to about 1 bag a month for a family of 4."
- Kristina Little

"I'm delighted with the FoodCycler™ in my home—between it and recycling, my garbage is next to nothing. The program's efficiency has me encouraging my tenants to sign up too. It's a win-win for convenient household waste management!"
- Tony Waterfall



1200
units distributed

Interested in getting a FoodCycler™?

This program is free for eligible City residents.

Are you eligible?

If your waste is collected by the City, you are eligible for a FoodCycler™. This includes home-owners, renters, and occupants of secondary suites.

Sign up today!

nelson.ca/organicsregistration

More Information

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