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Transfer Site Recycling Guidelines 2010



Other Miscellaneous items recyclable at the Transfer Sites:

- Ni-Cd Batteries
- Lead Acid Batteries
- Inkjet Cartridges
- Cell Phones
- Tires

E-Waste

- Televisions and VCR's
- Computers & Printers
- Computer Monitors
- Keyboards and Wires

Leftover Paint

- Latex and Oil Based
- Aerosol Paint Cans

**Please arrive at least
15 minutes prior to
closing times.**

Sort 1: CARDBOARD and BOXBOARD

ALL Corrugated Cardboard and Boxboard

e.g: shipping and merchandise boxes etc.

**NO Wet or Oily Cardboard
NO Styrofoam or Plastics**

ALL Single Layer Box Board+

e.g: cereal, soap, snack, and merchandise boxes, packaging display cards etc.
(remove clear preformed plastic) +paper pet food bags

NO Waxed Cardboard

Recycle Effectively:

Flatten boxes to increase storage and handling efficiencies..

Sort 2: NEWSPAPER and MAGAZINES

ALL Newspaper

e.g: newsprint and all glossy flyers delivered within newspaper.

NO Hardcover Books

ALL Magazines+

e.g: magazines, +catalogues, can labels, paper sugar bags, gift wrapping paper, phone books and soft cover books

NO Tissues or Washroom Paper Towel

Sort 3: SORTED OFFICE PAPER

ALL Office Paper+

e.g: white and colored ledger, NCR paper envelopes, shredded paper, file folders, printer and copier paper +paper gift bags.

**NO Glossy Paper or Junk Mail
NO Tissues or Washroom Towels
NO Bubble Wrap Envelopes**

Recycle Effectively:

Place shredded paper in double or heavy duty clear or blue bags to reduce breakage during handling.

Sort 4: TIN CANS

All Metal Tin Cans

e.g: empty and clean metal cans with label removed

NO Aerosol Cans

Sort 5: GLASS

All Clean Clear Glass

e.g: empty and clean clear glass bottles or jars.

NO BROKEN GLASS

Sort 6: PLASTIC BAGS and FILM

ALL Plastic Bags

e.g: clean grocery, shopping, bread and retail bags.

**NO Bio-Degradable Bags
NO Saran or Meat Wrap**

ALL Packaging Wrap and Film

e.g: paper towel plastic package wrap, cereal bags, case lot package wrap, and bubble wrap.

NO Styrofoam

Recycle Effectively:

Empty plastic bags, stuff more bags, wrap or film into single bag then tie that bag.
(this increases storage space and reduces blowing bags)

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Statutory Holidays:

Sites that are normally scheduled to be open on a statutory holiday will be closed on that day and will not re-open until the next normal scheduled day of operation.

User Fees apply to the following at a Transfer Site:

- Household Waste
- Furniture & Fixtures
- Renovation Waste
- Construction Waste
- Scrap Metals
- Appliances
- Scrap Wood
- Grass & Leaves

****Operators have the right to refuse any load****

Sort 7: HARD PLASTICS

ALL Plastic Bottles

e.g: plastic bottles can be identified as having a screw on lid or spray pump

ALL Plastic Tubs and Pails

NO Metal Handles

e.g: plastic tubs and pails can be identified by their wide mouth and pry off lid.

ALL Plastic Lids

NO Oil or Pesticide Containers

e.g: all plastic lids associated with the above containers

ALL Clear Pre-Formed Plastic

NO Styrofoam

e.g: clear see through plastic display packaging from toys and electronics, batteries, hardware items and bakery or produce trays.

Recycle Effectively:

- Rinse and Squish Bottles
- Rinse and Nest tubs or pails (to reduce space)

****ALL LOADS MUST BE COVERED OR SECURED DURING TRANSPORT TO A TRANSFER SITE OR LANDFILL****

Sort 8: PESTICIDE CONTAINERS

- PLASTIC Containers Only

-TRIPLE or PRESSURE RINSE

- REMOVE Paper Booklets

- REMOVE Lid or PUNCTURE

Sort 9: USED OIL CONTAINERS

- Any plastic container with a capacity of less than 30 litres

- Keep Lids on Jugs - Remove lids from pails and stack (place lids with jugs)

Sort 10: USED OIL FILTERS

Any Spin on or element type oil filter used in hydraulic, transmission or Internal combustion engine application – includes diesel fuel filters but does not include gasoline or air filters.

Sort 11: USED OIL

Any petroleum or synthetic crankcase oil, engine oil, hydraulic fluid, transmission fluid, gear oil, heat transfer fluid or other fluid used for lubricating machinery.

USED OIL IS ONLY ACCEPTED AT THE BOYLE AND ATHABASCA SITES

Sort 12: SCRAP METALS

- ALL Steel, Aluminum, Copper, Cast and Brass

- ALL Large appliances, HWT's, Furnaces etc.

- Fence Wire must be coiled

- Cable 3/8" dia.+ must be cut in 8ft lengths

- Pipe over 3" dia. must be cut in 8ft lengths

**NO Units with Freon
NO Salvaging**

ALL Fluids must be removed from scrap metal items containing fluids.



If in doubt, please call ahead to confirm your waste disposal options to (780) 675-1117 or email at: arwmcs@mcsnet.ca