

ADD-A-DAY COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Place garbage and recycling out by:



8:00 am

1 can of garbage

1 can of garbage and unlimited recycling

Please review your schedule as your collection date changes throughout the year.

Please note:

The first collection is on:

• Wednesday, January 3rd

There is no collection:

• Monday, May 20th

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January - June 2024

UPCOMING CHANGES

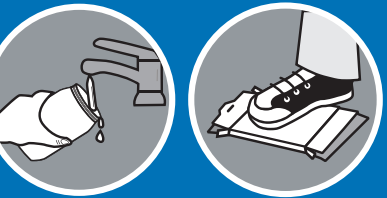
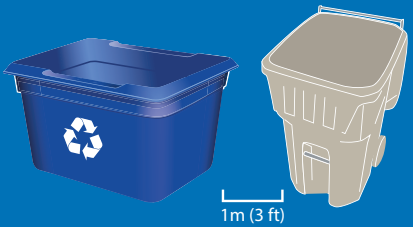
The Royston Curbside Garbage and Recycling program is changing. Beginning summer 2024 the service may include yard and food waste collection.

Garbage will be collected bi-weekly, with recycling and organic pick up weekly. Residents are encouraged to weigh in on waste by providing their comments and feedback to: cswm@comoxvalleyrd.ca

For more information and to review the cost of the new service, please check your mailbox for notices or visit: www.comoxvalleyrd.ca/royston

ENSURE MORE MATERIALS ARE RECYCLED AND KEPT OUT OF LANDFILL BY REMEMBERING THESE PRO-TIPS:

- 1 Line it up.** Keep 1m (3ft) between your recycling container and your garbage bin.
- 2 Keep it clean.** Empty and rinse all containers.
- 3 Flatten and cut.** If your cardboard is too large for your collection container, flatten and cut down to smaller pieces. Stack beside recycling collection container. Remember to keep plastic wrap out of your recycling!
- 4 Make a depot trip.** Return glass, foam packaging, plastic bags and overwrap, and other flexible plastic packaging to a RecycleBC depot.



RECYCLING QUESTIONS?

For information recycling visit: www.cswm.ca/recycling

NEARBY DEPOTS

Comox Valley Waste Management Centre
3699 Bevan Road
Cumberland, BC
Tel: 250-334-6016

Courtenay Return-It Depot
493 Puntledge Road
Courtenay, BC
Tel: 250-338-6013

Find your nearest depot location at:
RecycleBC.ca/Depots

ABOUT RECYCLE BC

Recycle BC is a not-for-profit organization responsible for residential packaging and paper recycling throughout BC, servicing over 1.8 million households. Recycle BC ensures your household materials are picked up, sorted, and responsibly recycled. Our program is funded by over 1,200 businesses that include retailers, manufacturers and restaurants that supply packaging and paper to BC residents, shifting costs away from homeowners.

For more information visit:

RecycleBC.ca

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Royston participates in BC's province-wide recycling program managed by



2024 Royston Garbage & Recycling Collection Schedule



www.comoxvalleyrd.ca/royston

The Royston collection schedule has moved to Add-A-Day.

This schedule is in line with the municipal collection schedules throughout the Comox Valley Regional District (CVRD) and has been put in place to mitigate missed collections due to landfill statutory holiday closures. Add-a-day means that curbside collection days will shift by one weekday after every statutory holiday throughout the year. Kindly review your collection schedule and be sure to note the changes in days of the week your waste is collected. If you have any questions please call the Comox Strathcona Waste Management (CSWM) service at: 250-334-6016.

Emterra Environmental is RecycleBC's curbside collection partner in Royston. Royston's garbage collection is for one can of garbage per week, as well as unlimited recycling bi-weekly. Tags for additional garbage containers can be purchased at the CVRD office at 770 Harmston Avenue, Courtenay.

Emterra will not pick-up loose garbage. All garbage must be in cans, bagged, closed or tied. A recycling container containing items that are not eligible for curbside service will be tagged and left behind.

Please find a detailed material list at:
RecycleBC.ca/what-can-i-recycle

QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR SERVICE OR MISSED COLLECTION?

Call Emterra at: 250-336-8066

If you have questions about your garbage and recycling curbside service, including service disruptions, holiday schedules, the types of recycling and garbage containers to use, or why a certain material was left behind, contact: Emterra Environmental at: 250-336-8066.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE HOURS

Comox Valley Waste Management Centre
3699 Bevan Road, Cumberland, BC
Tel: 250-334-6016
9:30 am to 5:30 pm
Thursdays & Fridays (excluding statutory holidays)
For a complete list of hours visit: www.cswm.ca/hhw

PAPER

PUT INTO SMALLER CURBSIDE CONTAINER

Recycle at curbside or depot
Clean and dry paper only

*You can use any container or cardboard box marked "Recycling".



CONTAINERS

PUT INTO CURBSIDE CONTAINER

Recycle at curbside or depot
Empty and rinse containers

DROP-OFF ONLY

TAKE TO RECYCLING DEPOT



Newspapers, inserts, flyers

Magazines, catalogues, phone books

Boxboard boxes

Moulded paper

Household paper

Envelopes

Paper bags

Shredded paper
(contain in clear plastic bag first)

Cardboard boxes

Plastic bottles, jars and jugs

Plastic trays and clamshells

Plastic garden pots and seedling trays

Caps, tops, lids and pumps

Plastic or paper take-out cups, bowls and lids

Cartons for soup, etc.

Metal cans

Aerosol cans (empty)

Foil wrap and take out containers

- ✓ Greeting cards
 - ✓ Paper gift wrap
 - ✓ Paper gift bags
- ✓ Paper carry-out beverage trays
 - ✓ Cores from paper towel and toilet paper
- ✓ Plastic packaging for toys, batteries etc. Separate plastic from paper backing
 - ✓ Spiral wound cans and lids for frozen juice concentrate, chips, etc.
- ✓ Plastic pails less than 25L for laundry detergent, cat litter, etc.
 - ✓ Plastic tubs for yogurt, margarine, etc.

NOT ACCEPTED

Hard and soft cover books

Plastic bags and overwrap

Clothing and textiles

Food, yard waste and wood

- ✗ Non-paper gift wrap, foil wrap, cards or paper with glitter
- ✗ Rubber bands, ribbons, bows
- ✗ Padded envelopes
- ✗ Bags and boxes with foil liners
- ✗ Paper towels, napkins and tissues
- ✗ Foil or plastic lined paper bags

NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Exclude batteries; medical sharps; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents remaining; compressed gas cylinders, for example used propane cylinders; containers for paint, motor oil, vehicle lubricants, or antifreeze; or containers for pesticides with the words DANGER, WARNING, or POISON, and precautionary octagon or diamond symbols with skull and cross bones.

NOT ACCEPTED

Plastic bags and overwrap

Hazardous waste

Glass

Electronics and appliances

Toys and games

Hangers, pots, pans and other scrap metal

- ✗ Foam packaging
- ✗ Chip or foil bags, candy wrappers
- ✗ Stand-up pouches
- ✗ Packaging labeled biodegradable or compostable

- ✗ Wiring, metal cords, hardware
- ✗ Clothing, textiles and shoes
- ✗ Food and yard waste

GLASS (return to depot)



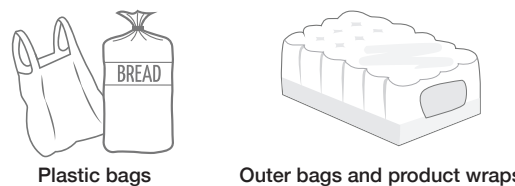
- ! Put all lids in blue box.
- ✗ Drinking glasses, dishes, cookware
 - ✗ Window glass, mirrors
 - ✗ Ceramic products
 - ✗ Light bulbs or light fixtures

FOAM PACKAGING (return to depot)



- ✗ Blue or pink foam insulation, packing chips and peanuts
- ✗ Squishy or flexible foam, foam noodles

PLASTIC BAGS AND OVERWRAP (return to depot)



- ✓ Bags for groceries, produce, dry bulk foods, frozen vegetables, water softener, salt, garden products, newspapers, etc.
- ✓ Overwrap for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, soft drink flats

Want to recycle something not included here?

Search Recycle BC's Waste Wizard or download a full material list at RecycleBC.ca.

To recycle items that are not packaging or paper, contact the Recycling Council of BC (RCBC) at 1-800-667-4321 or visit RCBC.ca.

OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING (return to depot)



- ✗ Plastic squeeze tubes, plastic-lined paper, paper-lined plastic, plastic strapping
- ✗ 6-pack rings, biodegradable plastic, vinyl

SINGLE-USE AND PACKAGING-LIKE PRODUCTS

Starting January 1, 2023 designated single-use products and packaging-like products will be accepted for recycling in our program per amendments to the Province of BC Recycling Regulation.

Formoreinformationonwhatisaccepted, visit: [Recyclebc.ca](https://recyclebc.ca)

SQUISHY CUSHION PACKAGING

Starting January 1, 2023, polyethylene (PE) cushion packaging will also be accepted for recycling.

Withthecombinationofplasticbagsand overwrap,andotheflexibleplasticpackaging into one collection category, we arenowabletoacceptsquishycushion packaging(sometimesknownassquishy foam) in this flexible plastics category.

For more information, visit RecycleBC.ca/FlexiblePackaging