

ELECTORAL AREA B: Rural Roadside Garbage and Recycling Collection Service

SURVEY RESPONSE REPORT

27 July 2020 - 14 September 2020

PROJECT NAME:

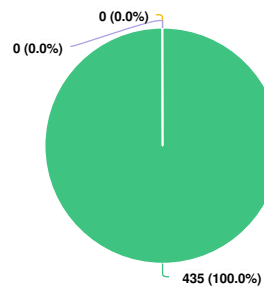
Rural Roadside Garbage and Recycling Collection

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Answered : B2—Little-River-Area

SURVEY QUESTIONS

Q1 | By number, please tell us what part of Electoral Area B you live in:

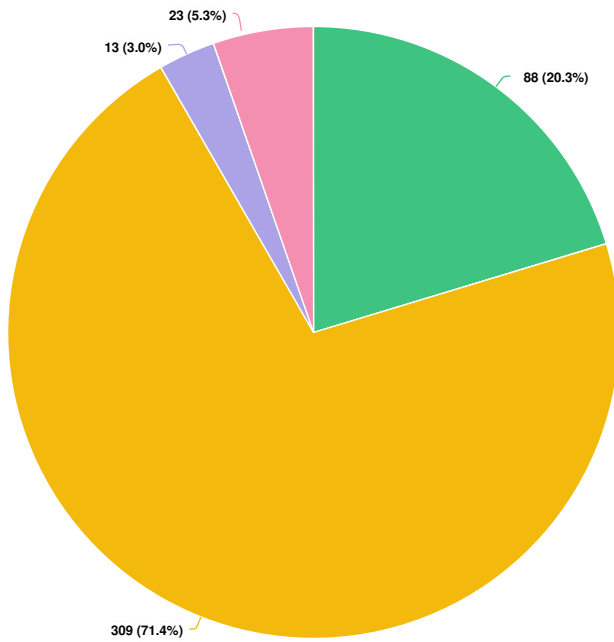


Question options

● B2 - Little River Area ● B1 - Lazo Road Area ● B3 - Bates Beach Area

Mandatory Question (435 response(s))

Q2 What do you currently do with your household garbage the majority of the time?

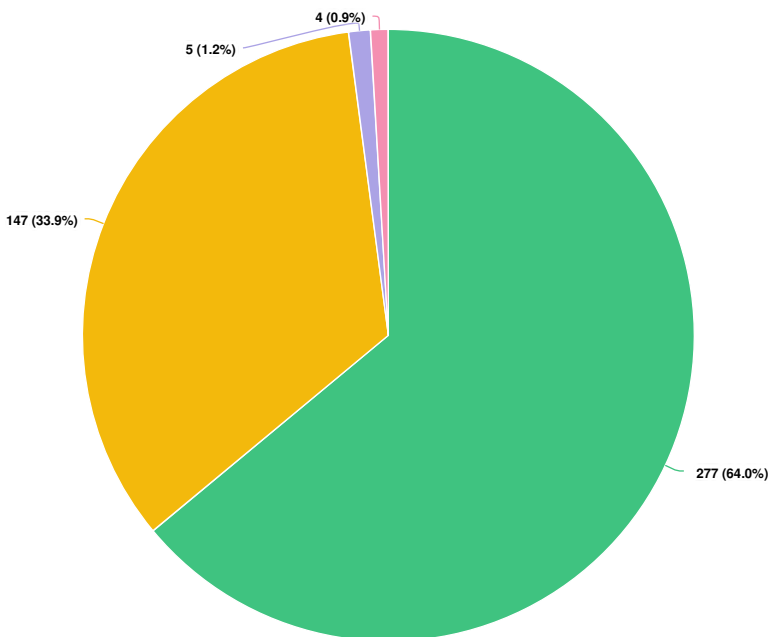


Question options

- Take it to the landfill yourself
- Subscribe to a private roadside pick-up service
- Use a community collection spot (ie: large bins at a strata)
- Other (please specify)

Optional question (433 response(s), 2 skipped)

Q3 How dedicated are you to recycling?

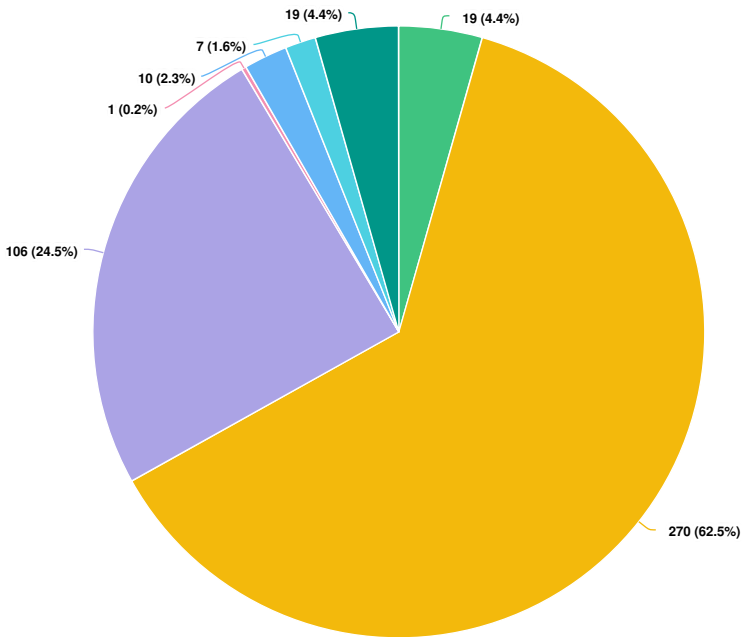


Question options

- Very – Aiming for zero waste, willing to make multiple stops/trips to properly divert
- Somewhat – Recycle obvious or easy choices but let others go to landfill
- Not very – Limited diversion of recyclables
- Not at all – This is not something I am committed to

Optional question (433 response(s), 2 skipped)

Q4 If you are recycling, what facility do you use the most?

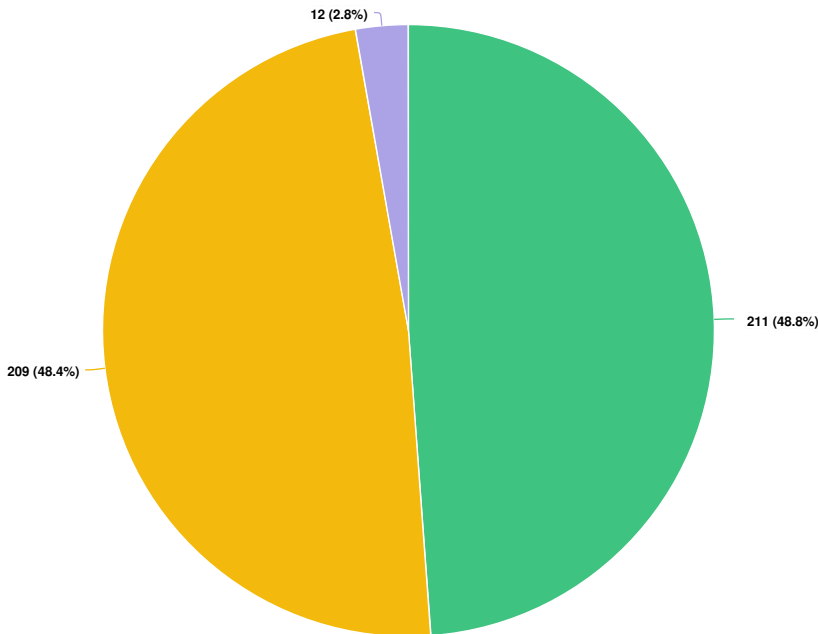


Question options

- Landfill
- Unstaffed Community Depots (ie: Old Fire Hall in Black Creek or Canex)
- Return-It Depots in Courtenay or Comox
- Take to alternate location (ie: workplace)
- Subscribe to a private collection company
- N/A
- Other (please specify)

Optional question (432 response(s), 3 skipped)

Q5 What do you currently do with most of your food waste?

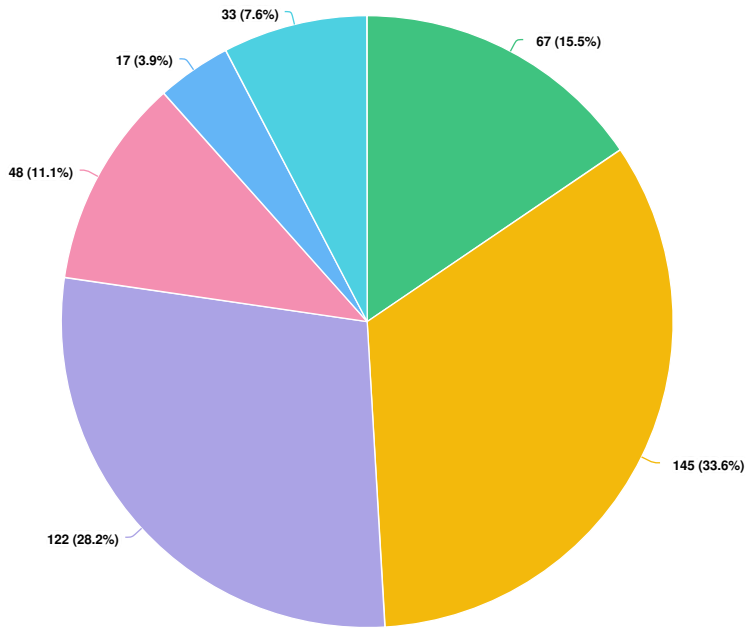


Question options

- Dispose with household garbage
- Personal compost
- Other (ie: animal feed) (please specify)

Optional question (432 response(s), 3 skipped)

Q6 What do you do with most of your yard waste?

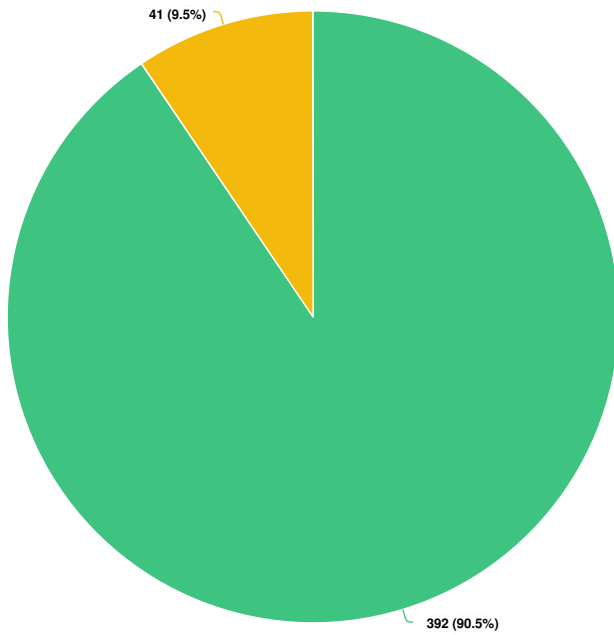


Question options

- Landfill
- Personal compost
- Burn when allowable
- Drive to a private facility
- N/A
- Other (please specify)

Optional question (432 response(s), 3 skipped)

Q7 Do you currently operate a business from your home?

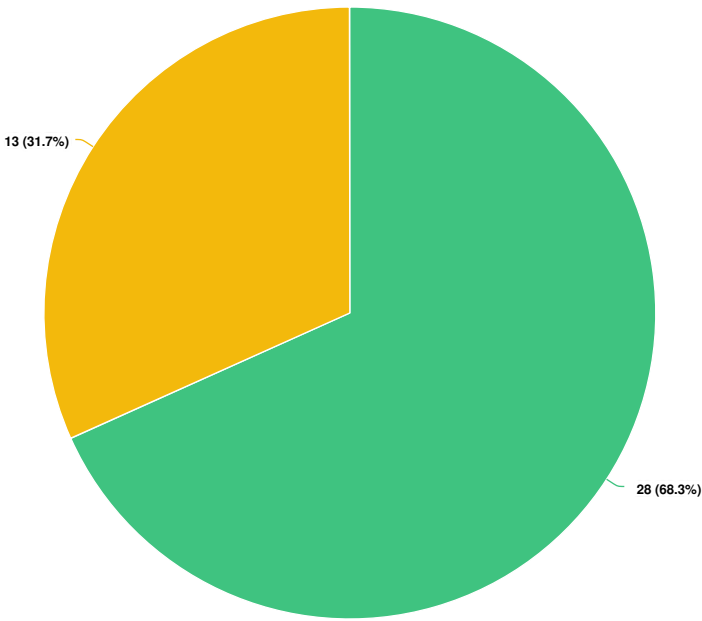


Question options

- No
- Yes

Optional question (433 response(s), 2 skipped)

Q8 Do you currently dispose of your household waste with your business waste?

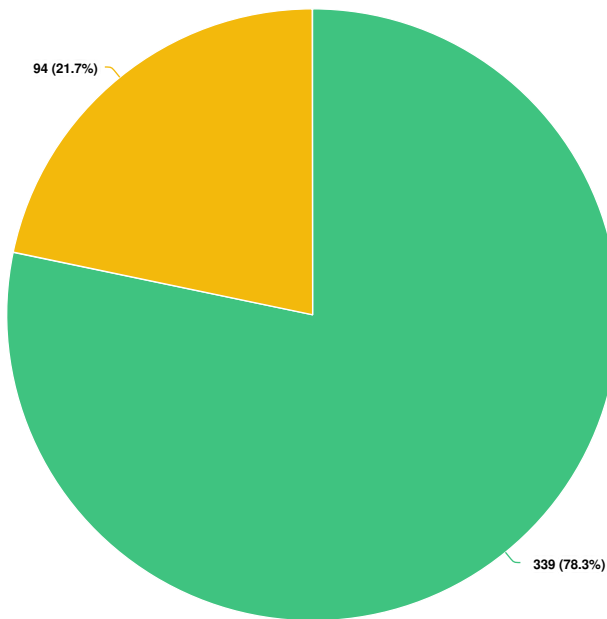


Question options

- Yes
- No

Optional question (41 response(s), 394 skipped)

Q9 In other rural areas on Vancouver Island, public service roadside collections costs between \$150-\$250/year per household. Based on this cost range, are you interested in further consideration of a roadside garbage/recycling collection service?

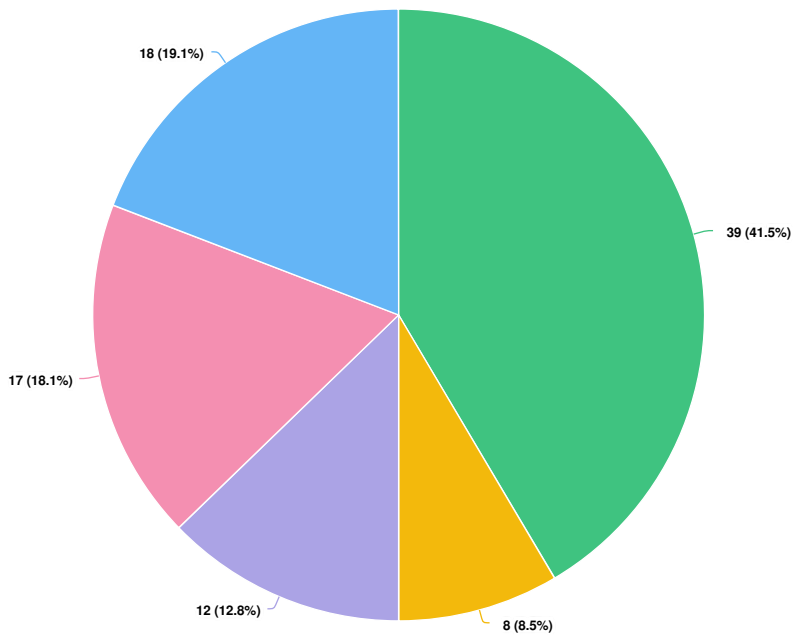


Question options

- Yes
- No

Optional question (433 response(s), 2 skipped)

Q10 Let us know the main reason this service isn't of interest right now:

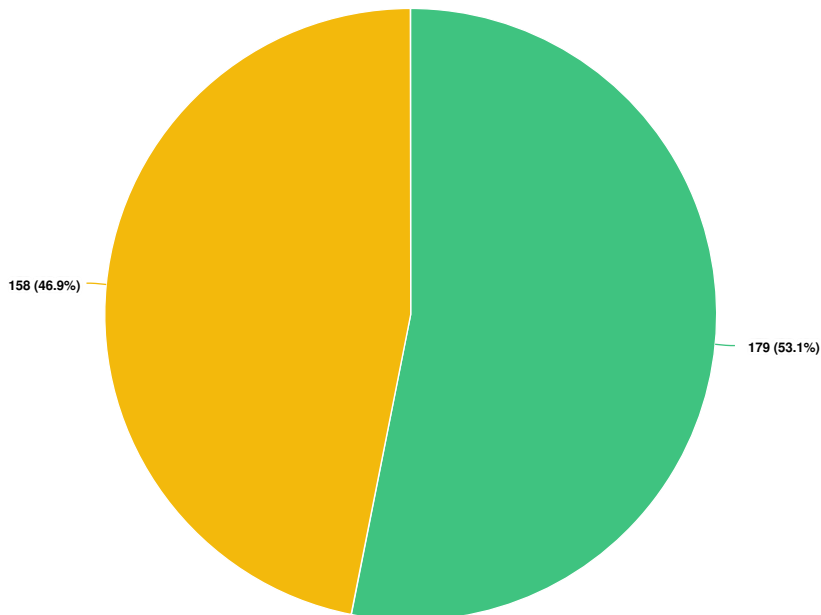


Question options

- Happy with current method of management
- Cost is too high – would consider if cheaper
- Opposed to any new additional costs
- Won't use it enough to make it cost effective
- Other (please specify)

Optional question (94 response(s), 341 skipped)

Q11 Would you like to see garbage pick up:

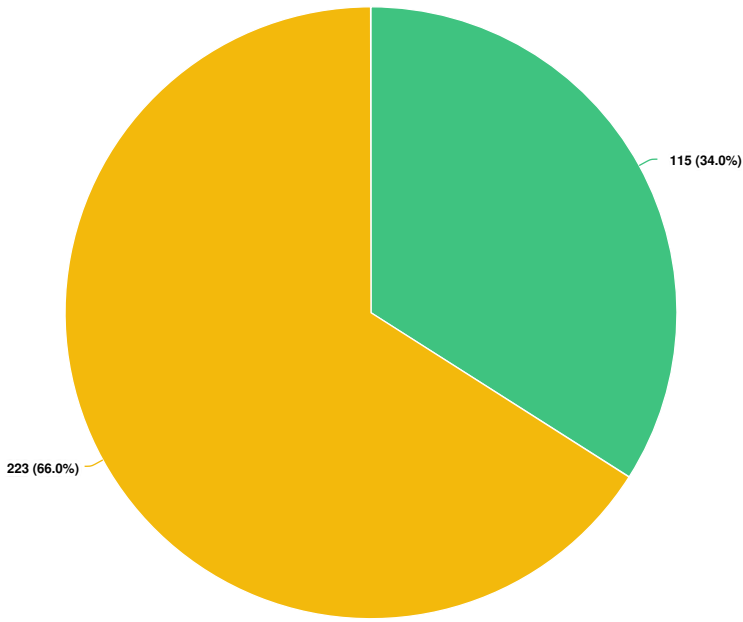


Question options

- Once a week
- Once every two weeks

Optional question (337 response(s), 98 skipped)

Q12 Would you like to see recycling pick up:

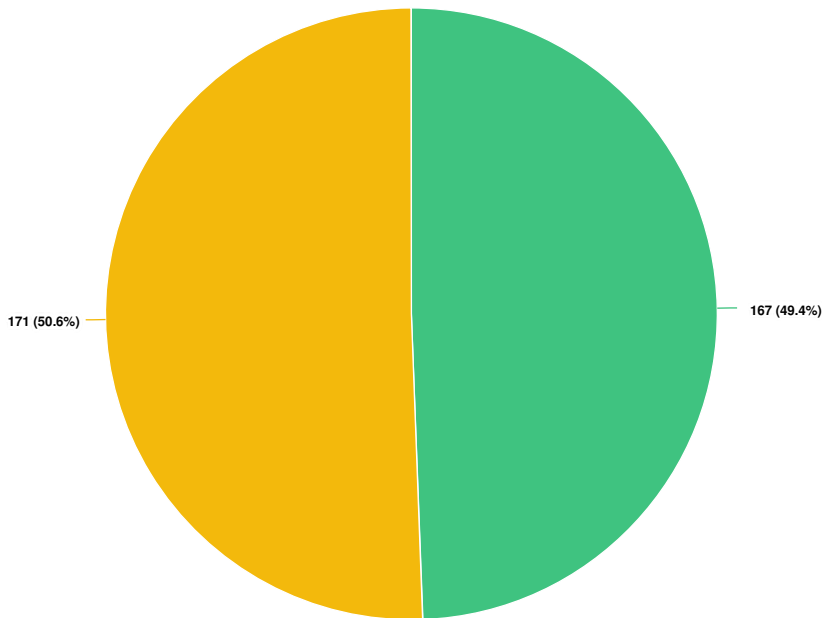


Question options

- Once a week
- Once every two weeks

Optional question (338 response(s), 97 skipped)

Q13 How many cans of garbage would you like available for pick up? (Recycling is unlimited!)

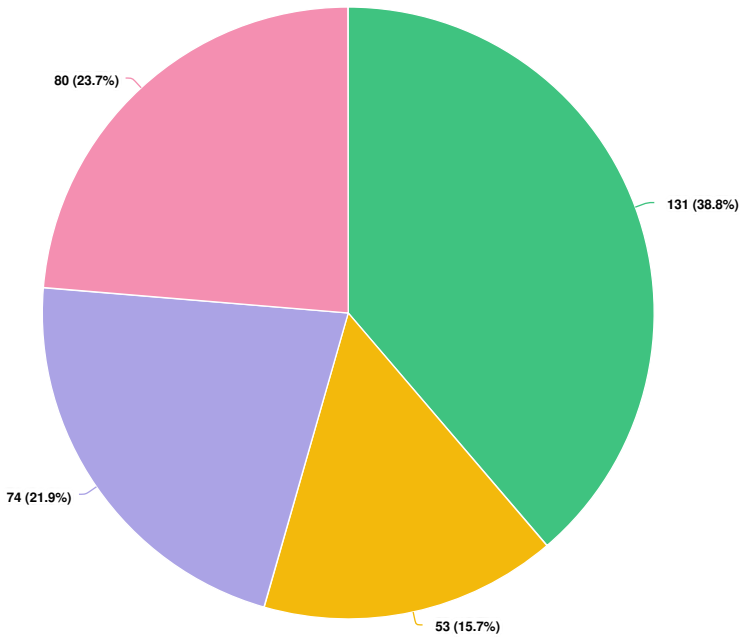


Question options

- 1 per collection
- 2 per collection

Optional question (338 response(s), 97 skipped)

Q14 Would you also like yard waste pick up?



Question options

- No
- Yes - weekly
- Yes - monthly
- Yes - seasonally

Optional question (338 response(s), 97 skipped)

Q15 Why would your neighbourhood be a good candidate for a roadside garbage and recycling pick up service?

Anonymous
7/28/2020 12:03 PM

the convenience and the ease of it all

Anonymous
7/28/2020 01:16 PM

The private companies are expensive and often unreliable / difficult to get through to customer services, very few options for private pick up. The Canex depot will be closing which will make recycling very difficult soon.

Anonymous
7/28/2020 02:35 PM

Yes - long overdue.

Anonymous
7/28/2020 02:43 PM

Houses are close together, lots of seniors.

Anonymous
7/28/2020 02:44 PM

Reasonable density with large retired resident component with time to sort for recycling

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Anonymous 7/28/2020 02:57 PM	We live in the Huband area and have a denser population per acre than merville or black creek. Please ensure our cost reflects our closeness to town rather than prorating for the entire electoral area.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 03:08 PM	Lots of seniors on limited income could use a price reduction.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 03:11 PM	This question doesn't make any sense.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 03:35 PM	Many houses close together. Multiple different services now could be streamlined to one. Recycle depot at Canex closing.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 03:37 PM	Mostly because the recycling depots are closing.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 03:48 PM	many residents are seniors and it's hard for them to drive around
Anonymous 7/28/2020 03:58 PM	Might reduce illegal dump sites in rural areas
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:16 PM	We are called rural but are actually as densely populated as many areas of Comox and Courtenay. We need the same level of service as the municipalities.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:23 PM	Mostly smaller lots, semi urban area
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:23 PM	We are rural residential with less than acre lots. We need the ability to recycle just like areas in towns.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:44 PM	we are a close neighbourhood who deeply cares about each other and our waste/recycling
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:45 PM	My neighborhood is probably the most dense.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 05:07 PM	large community and people want to be conscientious about their recycle and garbage
Anonymous 7/28/2020 05:12 PM	Not interested.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 05:23 PM	Because you are closing the canex recycling depot which forces me to drive into town and waste fossil fuels. Also, the comox return it sucks. Parking spots are too small to even get stuff out the side doors of your car. The facility is too small too.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 05:47 PM	It would cut down on costs and make recycling more feasible
Anonymous 7/28/2020 06:23 PM	Yes, everone has waste collected here weekly but on different days.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 06:31 PM	Rural,area and heard the canes recycle is closin
Anonymous 7/28/2020 06:33 PM	I think it would be a good candidate for roadside garbage and recycling pick up service because the Canix is supposed to be closing and are used to live in the town of Comox and had weekly pick up of garbage and recycling so I know about putting it out at
Anonymous 7/28/2020 07:35 PM	I have no opinion
Anonymous 7/28/2020 07:36 PM	we have wanted to do recycling but the cost is to high
Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:29 PM	We are a neighbourhood committed to care of the environment, we are away from regular pickup/recycling sites and recycling means a trip into Courtenay or Comox

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Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:36 PM	Because of the density of our neighborhood. There's a lot of homes in our area.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:39 PM	Close to town of comox and city of courtenay. Pick up would not be out of the way
Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:42 PM	easy access, mostly senior citizens with concerns about proper disposal of items
Anonymous 7/28/2020 09:16 PM	approx. 45 home subdiv
Anonymous 7/29/2020 05:20 AM	would save trips to landfill with yard waste.Easier to recycle without driving
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:52 AM	Because you removed the local community recycling bins in our area, making it less convenient tonrecycle
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:59 AM	Private company already picking up. Cost savings
Anonymous 7/29/2020 07:51 AM	I want these services mostly to stop many of my neighbours from throwing recycling in the garbage and from burning yard waste. The service is actually far more expensive than what we currently pay to responsibly take care of our own recycling and yard
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:16 AM	Because that's the way it should be.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:38 AM	it is a fairly compact area of rural housing. i would only support local company though. so if you are considering WM Garbage Pick up, i am not interested. There is a great local company.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:49 AM	Shutdown of unstaffed recycling dropoff points
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:54 AM	South side of Knight Road - City of Comox. North side of Knight Road - Area B1.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:57 AM	A seasonal weekly Yard waste collection would be fantastic, to stop rats and mice nesting in waste piles.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:58 AM	Because here we have 2 contractors that pick up waste on different days with little to pick up and is not friendly for the environment to burn that much fuel for next to nothing in pick up each serviced day
Anonymous 7/29/2020 09:54 AM	Many of the residents in my community are elderly and choices for them are limited.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 10:46 AM	Most of them use a private collection agency now
Anonymous 7/29/2020 10:49 AM	We are 30 minutes from the dump. There is a lot of wildlife in our area. Decreasing the waste sitting around waiting for a monthly dump run would be safer for everyone. Houses are fairly close together which would mean pickup services may reduce fuel use.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 11:27 AM	Many older people here who find it hard to load everything into vehicle to go to the dump
Anonymous 7/29/2020 12:13 PM	It's not
Anonymous 7/29/2020 12:47 PM	Neighbours have the same problems as us.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:05 PM	All our neighbours pay for private garbage pick up. We currently take our recycling to the Canex, but once that closes, all recycling will go in garbage, not willing to drive to Cumberland dump.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:10 PM	As the CANEX recycle bins will be removed next Spring, there will be a huge void in our area for recycle. As well, we have three different garbage trucks entering our dead end road per week. It's a waste of manpower and

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	environment costs....one pick up
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:23 PM	large lots, rural and closest recycling depots closing, each household multiple trips to various recycling facilities, wooded area behind us frequently has yard waste etc illegally dumped
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:40 PM	I am one block away from Knight road, which already has garbage and recycle and yard waste pickup. We are very close to town....
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:46 PM	Neighborhood has lots of older residents who would benefit; I believe it is dense enough to justify having roadside collection
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:57 PM	Lots of demand
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:17 PM	Some business have residents above/on-site and those residents have to deal with their own waste often.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:25 PM	The houses are not spaced out very far. I notice a lot of homes do not have private garbage pickup and I wonder what they do with their garbage. I know some that burn it which is not acceptable as it stinks and bad for the environment and animals
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:27 PM	it is cost effective
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:32 PM	It would work for those that can afford the extra costs. Retired widow no more expenses!
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:44 PM	We pay a lot of garbage pick up and make several trips weekly to recycle but I don't think many do. they would be more likely to reduce landfill if there was garbage and recycle pickup.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:45 PM	* Everyone in my area uses private companies, at a greater cost than what will be offered by the CVRD, and as there are 2 companies that service the neighbourhood that doubles the pollution as two trucks go by every weekd,
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:48 PM	* older residents, recycling becoming more tiring/difficult to do
Anonymous 7/29/2020 02:50 PM	we would save quite a bit of money (I am on limited income, this is very important), and get better service and more recycling
Anonymous 7/29/2020 03:42 PM	Loong drive to Cumberland now that Canex is closing
Anonymous 7/29/2020 03:59 PM	nearby recycling is disappearing
Anonymous 7/29/2020 04:50 PM	because is older and would like the help and recycle
Anonymous 7/29/2020 04:52 PM	We really need recycle services. If the roadside collect it stations are cut down, we will have to drive very far to recycle which will deter a lot of people.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 05:15 PM	Relative high density for rural zoning
Anonymous 7/29/2020 05:18 PM	would like recycle - convenience of all in one company
Anonymous 7/29/2020 05:55 PM	more fuel efficient than individual households driving to recycling depots. I believe more rural residents would recycle if curbside service was available.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:04 PM	Leave things the way they are - it works fine as it is. CVRD should include garbage / recycling in the existing tax structure. Find the money by cutting back somewhere else
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:07 PM	We are at the mercy of the private sector and our costs are high.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:38 PM	Although we are Regional District, we have fairly high density in a lot of areas so the travel cost to not be as costly as areas with further distance between properties

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Anonymous 7/30/2020 04:03 AM	Why wouldn't we? We pay taxes and would love to have simple things like garbage pick up. It is important. Plus, what huge impact on the environment having people individually take garbage and recycling on their own.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 05:57 AM	All neighbourhoods should have access to garbage and recycling pick up service. We should not be excluded.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 07:23 AM	The Huband area I notice there are not alot of people who use private garbage companies so it concerns me that people are not disposing their garbage properly. Also I see a lot of garbage and waste left on the sides of the road.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 07:25 AM	Too much garbage is left on the sides of the road on Huband road and area.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 09:04 AM	With the Canex slated for being closed in the near future, i believe curbside pick up would keep residents recycling as opposed to throwing items in the garbage for ease of disposal. Collection on one day per week would be ideal in the area as well.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 09:15 AM	We all currently have private up. Our homes are close together so it would be a cost efficient route. I worry that less recycling will happen once the Canex recycling bins are removed.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 09:21 AM	no
Anonymous 7/30/2020 10:33 AM	We have garbage pickup and we do our own recycling at Canex
Anonymous 7/30/2020 10:41 AM	Increased density of permanent residential housing is increasing.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 11:51 AM	It would be so wonderful to have recycling pickup with our garbage. Compost would be even better. We don't compost our food due to rats. 16 homes on our street provides slightly higher density than other areas within the greater electoral region.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 11:55 AM	Why would it not be? This seems like a no brainer.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:01 PM	I have noted 2-3 private companies picking up garbage on different days. An all-in-one neighbourhood seems more practical.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:15 PM	we are real close to comox easy peazy
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:22 PM	I think anything we can do as a community to reduce the amount of waste in our landfill is beneficial. By having more services available, especially roadside recycle pickup, it makes it easier for our community to do so.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:27 PM	We don't have recycling pick up
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:31 PM	I live in a small subdivision with twenty or more detached homes requiring service.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:41 PM	We presently pay for garbage pickup by a multinational company and they do a good job. However, if most of the area residences signed on to a new public service the cost should be reduced for garbage collection.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 02:43 PM	We are so so far behind other communities.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 02:45 PM	We just signed up for private garbage collection after 11 months of taking it to the dump ourselves. Our dedication to being good recyclers is time consuming, and both these trips cost money for gas as well.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 03:02 PM	We are rural but fairly densely populated. Neighbours always talk and wish we would have a recycling and yard waste pick up as all of our providers don't do that
Anonymous 7/30/2020 03:19 PM	houses are close together (urban density)
Anonymous	Much cheaper than current service.

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7/30/2020 04:08 PM

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7/30/2020 04:47 PM

Once you took away the recycle place at Country Grocery, only Canex remains.

Anonymous

7/30/2020 05:45 PM

We pay more for pick up then the costs in this survey.

Anonymous

7/30/2020 06:34 PM

Why not? So difficult to get stuff recycled. People want to but its such a task - so many places to go and glass is a real pita.

Anonymous

7/30/2020 06:59 PM

It is far to the landfill and to expensive for private providers of garbage pick up.

Anonymous

7/30/2020 07:37 PM

We don't compost to avoid attracting rats. If there was a farm We could give our food waste to we would gladly drive and drop it off. Our neighbourhood is very far from the landfill the carbon footprint to drive waste is not good.

Anonymous

7/30/2020 07:39 PM

Location from landfill , pick up would reduce the carbon footprint.

Anonymous

7/30/2020 08:44 PM

Right now we have a dumpster that's emptied every 2 weeks. It's usually overful, other people dump their garbage because they dont have roadside pickup where they live, and would keep the risk of attracting animals!

Anonymous

7/30/2020 10:45 PM

All residents have pickup with several different companies-1 company saves on fuel. I use a local collection company called Strathcona Waste and Recycling. Please award a local company instead of Waste Management who is from the USA.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 07:34 AM

EVERY neighbourhood is a good candidate for roadside pick up - its a basic necessity and teh fact that there is no garbage or recycling options for CVRD in 2020 is a really shortcoming.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 08:08 AM

The Canex recycling depot is closing and we take all our recycling there.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 10:05 AM

Road side pick up would be convenient, cheaper, insure waste is properly sorted and save the mess at local drop-offs where people seem to think thing an be thrown in close proximity to the bins also saving the cost of keeping these areas clean.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 10:05 AM

Houses close together, virtually all residents already using one of three private contractors. Single source would be much more efficient and cost effective.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 10:59 AM

We dont have many near by drop off spots. As for yard waste, we have large properties with lots of trees, so more maintenance

Anonymous

7/31/2020 11:16 AM

Because we don't have any currently available to us we pay privately for garbage

Anonymous

7/31/2020 11:53 AM

small acreages close to Comox

Anonymous

7/31/2020 12:43 PM

Recycling takes a lot of effort as we go to community drop off area at Ryan Rd by base which is soon closing and we also have to make a trip to return it for items such as styrofoam, glass and plastic. It is very inconvenient sometimes

Anonymous

7/31/2020 12:58 PM

Save dumping food waste into the garbage

Anonymous

7/31/2020 02:00 PM

Eliminate animals getting into garbage, convenience, proper recycling. Eliminating recycling being thrown in the garbage.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 03:24 PM

The Canex recycling facility is closing, so roadside pickup would be a great convenience.

Anonymous

7/31/2020 06:15 PM


impact on the environment - saving carbon by driving to multiple sites to drop off

Anonymous

7/31/2020 06:41 PM

proper disposal of trash and proper recycling

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Anonymous 7/31/2020 07:07 PM	Our road is being serviced by a couple different companies.
Anonymous 7/31/2020 07:14 PM	Any neighborhood would be a good candidate, people would do a bigger effort in sorting if they got it picked up by the curb, rather than go to recycling depot.
Anonymous 7/31/2020 07:44 PM	Consistent service. Less driving to the dump and recycling centres
Anonymous 7/31/2020 07:45 PM	garbage yes . large limbs etc. would not work for me . would it?
Anonymous 8/01/2020 08:46 AM	Houses are close in proximity. All subscribe to private services
Anonymous 8/01/2020 11:17 AM	Mostly seniors in this area. Private company pickup is expensive.
Anonymous 8/01/2020 12:36 PM	it wouldn't.
Anonymous 8/01/2020 12:47 PM	the canex collection site will be closing next year and it is a 1hr round trip to the landfill from here
Anonymous 8/01/2020 01:33 PM	Older residents will appreciate it. Cost of private garbage pick up is pretty high. Residences not too far apart.
 8/01/2020 02:15 PM	There are enough households to make it work.
Anonymous 8/01/2020 08:28 PM	Private pick up is expensive
Anonymous 8/02/2020 09:28 AM	Area is fairly developed and roadside garbage pickup and recycling is needed. With the planned closing of Canex recycling we will have to travel further to recycle or basically just put everything in the garbage
Anonymous 8/02/2020 09:41 AM	it is currently collected by private companies. Many people do not recycle because there is a lack of recycling facilities close by
Anonymous 8/02/2020 11:08 AM	Far away from recycling depot
Anonymous 8/02/2020 12:11 PM	Location, on Ryan Rd.
Anonymous 8/02/2020 12:45 PM	To discourage some neighbors from burning waste and polluting the air; To make a commitment to improved recycling in the CV
Anonymous 8/02/2020 12:56 PM	concerned about canex being shut down - we have worked too hard to become recyclers to let it go back into the landfil
Anonymous 8/02/2020 01:50 PM	A lot of our neighbours currently recycle very little, I'm sure having pickup would change that.
Anonymous 8/02/2020 03:03 PM	We are in a populous area, surrounded by Comox and Courtenay currently paying a lot more money for pickup privately. Looking community recycling centre soon.
Anonymous 8/02/2020 07:30 PM	Because you are closing the nearest, most convenient recycling depot (Cannex)
Anonymous 8/02/2020 07:32 PM	You are closing Cannex and other depots too much trouble to bother with so recycle could end up in the landfill.
Anonymous 8/02/2020 08:11 PM	Good road in front of house and we need to be doing this.
Anonymous 8/02/2020 09:32 PM	Most homes pay privately. Would be nice to have a garbage truck come once weekly rather than multiple times.

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Anonymous 8/02/2020 11:14 PM	We are in a relatively densely populated area
Anonymous 8/03/2020 07:30 AM	to create less abuse of the privilege's of having a recycling depot
█ 8/03/2020 09:47 AM	I have seen other areas with collection services and see no reason why it wouldn't work in Little River.
Anonymous 8/03/2020 11:47 AM	I think much less recycling will end up in the landfill. We have neighbours that burn their garbage and that is rather disgusting.
Anonymous 8/03/2020 11:57 AM	I personally don't want recycling pick up as most of it ends up blowing down the street based on past experience. I would like to see garbage pick up only. I am paying Waste management, a foreign company, to pick it up, and I would rather pay local.
Anonymous 8/03/2020 12:22 PM	Our street has eight homes and we have three different trucks showing up on different days! Seems very wasteful?
Anonymous 8/03/2020 02:47 PM	Our close proximity to both the Town of Comox and the City of Courtenay
Anonymous 8/03/2020 03:02 PM	Cut side recycling
Anonymous 8/03/2020 03:20 PM	cost difference; more recycling
Anonymous 8/03/2020 05:34 PM	Our neighborhood/street is very close to Town of Comox/Courtenay borders. I think it would allow for easy incorporation into existing pick up routes.
Anonymous 8/03/2020 08:18 PM	Population in Little River has increased dramatically: we are a subdivision with considerable population density. And since the CVRD is foolishly closing the recycle venue at the Base/CANEX, we need convenient recycling! Few will drive farther to recycle
Anonymous 8/04/2020 10:27 AM	We are a big recycling household and value our environment. We recycle a lot, which means almost weekly trips to the public recycle bins - big carbon footprint.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 11:06 AM	Canex is said to be closing
Anonymous 8/04/2020 11:57 AM	Why would we want to pay more?
Anonymous 8/04/2020 12:01 PM	Recycling depots are closing...it would end up in the garbage.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 12:41 PM	Reasonably dense collection of homes is easy to service and to lower costs for homeowners.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 01:11 PM	Canex recycling is closing. Most of us committed to recycling. Pigeon Lake too far for most people to drive. Also environmentally, private vehicles not that sound.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 02:10 PM	Housing density, disappearance of nearby recycling facility (Canex).
Anonymous 8/04/2020 02:26 PM	Our area has relatively dense housing supportive of efficient service and most people recycle.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 02:49 PM	Many of us either already have it or would like it at a minimal cost
Anonymous 8/04/2020 03:36 PM	Neighbourhood has quite a few residences in close proximity to each other, and based on garbage containers that are set out use this kind of service.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 03:45 PM	Cost and potential for options of once every two weeks instead of once a week, neighbors are small not many family with kids

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Anonymous 8/04/2020 03:49 PM	We reside in a strata community. We already have a private waste company picking up our garbage but economically it is expensive.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 06:34 PM	we already have garbage pickup by the same company that Courtenay and Comox use. having recycling would divert some of the waste and take the pressure off our landfill
Anonymous 8/04/2020 09:54 PM	There is a need in our area for these services. A lot of people do not recycle because it is inconvenient right now but if we had recycling pickup at our homes I believe it would help significantly.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 10:18 AM	because we are rural and waste disposal to the dump is to far and to costly in dump fees an fuel cost per personal transport and the air quality
Anonymous 8/05/2020 10:57 AM	convenience, cut down on rodent as people are storing right now, don't have to drive to many places to dispose of materials, likely more economical
Anonymous 8/05/2020 12:49 PM	The houses are close together here and it would be efficient.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 01:20 PM	I think people including myself would take the extra time to recycle more things when it is being picked up.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 03:54 PM	Most of our neighbors are committed to recycling. This would offer a comprehensive program without multiple providers covering the same area
Anonymous 8/05/2020 08:06 PM	It is not a good candidate. This area is a full-on car-culture area with residents who are more than capable of taking their waste/recycling to a facility. It is sheer laziness and no thought to imposing costs on others for their own convenience.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 08:14 PM	It isn't. There are already two pickup days a week in this neighbourhood - we are well serviced by private sources if you can't take your garbage and recyclables out yourself.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 11:29 PM	Seems like everyone has private pickup already, so it might as well be locally done.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 09:33 AM	Numerous homes in subdivisions
Anonymous 8/06/2020 11:08 AM	We are a semi rural area with many of our properties under .5 acre or slightly larger. I believe with our population density this would be quite feasible. Seeing as the Canex drop off is slated to close, we require an alternate option for recycling.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 11:24 AM	Almost everyone already has private pickup. We would love to have it.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 12:56 PM	We all have garbage and recycle - whatever we can do to make it better for the environment and us
Anonymous 8/06/2020 01:47 PM	Properties are large on Seabank Road so there is a lot of yard waste.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 03:11 PM	Most residents on our short road are elderly, Canex recycling depot closing next year will make it harder for them to get out and recycle.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 03:39 PM	It would probably work for my neighbourhood but not for Farmere. We went through this befor and now your are doing this so we only have say in ourneighbourhood.Unless the Farmers can drop out as it is not good for them, I AM NOT FOR ANY CHANGES.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 03:44 PM	Because we are a contentious bunch who respect our properties and are diligent with yard maintenance and management.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 04:47 PM	Save us all from having to drive to multiple drop zones. save sorting if we have to go to Return it depots.
Anonymous 8/06/2020 05:32 PM	We are on the edge of Comox
Anonymous 8/06/2020 06:08 PM	Neighbourhood is contracting with several different garbage pickup contractors. they are not always very dependable. Hopefully residents would

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	be in favour of one truck per week hitting the neighbourhood. Our neighbourhood is very residential.
Anonymous 8/07/2020 07:07 AM	Currently there isn't recycling pick up.
Anonymous 8/07/2020 09:24 AM	Already garbage pick done. By 2 different companies so some competition. Minimal recycle pickup
Anonymous 8/07/2020 09:30 AM	Community recycling is too limited these days, and as a disabled senior, impossible for me to get to. Private garbage companies charge way too much money.
Anonymous 8/07/2020 10:47 AM	living close to CVRD borders of Comox & Courtenay the area has similar density
Anonymous 8/07/2020 11:33 AM	More info is needed re who wi
Anonymous 8/07/2020 11:49 AM	Lots of trailer parks in area. So lots of waste that is unpropoetly disposed of. Also with plans of shutting down the recycling at canex lots will end up dumped.
Anonymous 8/07/2020 12:18 PM	I don't agree with the canex recycling closing next year. I use this option all the time. If it closes then the Only benefit of roadside pickup would be the recycling
Anonymous 8/07/2020 01:35 PM	since it is a relatively remote area, driving to the landfill and recycling depot generates unnecessary polution. Some neighbors are already using a pickup service - having a municipal pickup available would eliminate these overlaps
Anonymous 8/07/2020 01:44 PM	na
Anonymous 8/07/2020 02:01 PM	not good candidate
Anonymous 8/07/2020 03:53 PM	most houses pay a high price for private pickup of garbage only
Anonymous 8/07/2020 05:18 PM	too many recyclables go into the landfill, convenience, would be able to continue to recycle because is more convenient to go to another facility, busy lifestyle need roadside
Anonymous 8/07/2020 05:22 PM	Because it would cut down truck traffic because everyone in our neighborhood uses different services with different pickup days . We are a small deadend neighborhood . But lots of family homes
Anonymous 8/07/2020 07:19 PM	There are two different companies that pick up down our road and others of us take our own or share taking it. Many of us are getting to be older seniors and it would help to have more organized reasonably priced pick up.
Anonymous 8/07/2020 08:33 PM	Already have but would like organic waste pick up
Anonymous 8/07/2020 11:10 PM	There has been a lot more development on the area in recent years, so the local population has grown enough to warrant it, especially since the landfill is quite a distance to travel each time
Anonymous 8/07/2020 11:50 PM	Everyone has private collectors, which means garbage trucks driving through the neighbourhood almost every day.
Anonymous 8/08/2020 07:08 AM	A lot of population here, mostly seniors but some families too
Anonymous 8/08/2020 08:38 AM	Alot of seniors live her and more things would be recycled if easier
Anonymous 8/08/2020 09:32 AM	People here throw waste on the lawn or burn it. Covid means I will not go to the Recycle Depot. Driving recycling around seems stupid but that is what we were forced to do. We need organic waste pickup as we have rats by the dozens on the River.
Anonymous 8/08/2020 09:33 AM	Located right next to developed Courtenay and Comox. Would eliminate 1 hour round trip to land fill for yard waste. Reasonable density of households on our road. More cost effective than private service.

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Anonymous 8/08/2020 09:40 AM	Close to both Courtenay and Comox. Smaller rural properties along street with closely spaced roadfronts.
Anonymous 8/08/2020 01:50 PM	properties fairly close together.
Anonymous 8/08/2020 03:10 PM	Once a month I use Canex or recycling. I understand it will be closing in 2020. Recycling on Anderton IS VERY LIMITED
Anonymous 8/08/2020 08:22 PM	Our recycling centre is closing in 2021.
Anonymous 8/09/2020 09:24 AM	i do not know
Anonymous 8/09/2020 09:30 AM	We are close to the 'city'. We all value recycling and do our best to dispose of it. Due to the large number of wildlife in the area, composting doesn't seem like a good idea. However, we would love to do this as we did it for 10+ years on the Mainland.
Anonymous 8/09/2020 06:59 PM	Our road is on the outskirts of town, older citizens who may have mobility issues and difficulty getting to recycling areas..
Anonymous 8/10/2020 08:41 AM	Very convenient
Anonymous 8/10/2020 09:19 AM	older population / limited mobility
Anonymous 8/10/2020 10:43 AM	Negotiating with a single provider should reduce cost. Recycling would increase - better for the environment.
Anonymous 8/10/2020 11:31 AM	WOULD LOVE TO NOT PAY FOR PRIVATE PICKUP. Also they are closing the canex recycling spot, so I feel like a lot of people won't recycle after that. Would love compost pickup as well as we live in an area that is prone to bears and it is hard to have one
Anonymous 8/10/2020 12:10 PM	Would prevent many items, including food waste, from going to the landfill
Anonymous 8/10/2020 02:42 PM	it would be very convenient for a recycling pick up service
Anonymous 8/10/2020 03:22 PM	It is not. I make very careful choices of what products I purchase as I want to take responsibility for the waste generated - there are private options available to the throw-away culture and I resent going through this process again after the last NO.
Anonymous 8/10/2020 05:07 PM	I feel like we are in this bubble where everyone but us gets their garbage and recycles picked up.
Anonymous 8/11/2020 09:35 AM	I would only consider the pick-up service if the cost can remain low. I am not interested in paying more than I pay now as I can recycle on my own or go to the landfill when needed. Consistent recycling pickup is needed in our area.
Anonymous 8/11/2020 09:51 AM	would work but people should be able to opt out if they can manage their own waste
Anonymous 8/11/2020 11:35 AM	Getting quite populated so should be treated like Comox.
Anonymous 8/11/2020 12:36 PM	lot of seniors who would find it useful
Anonymous 8/11/2020 04:12 PM	Mostly to reduce the number of private garbage trucks that pick up each day of the week. At least three days a week a garbage truck drives through for pickup.
Anonymous 8/11/2020 05:00 PM	Roads have light traffic and seem manoeuvrable for large trucks. Driveways are fairly short for residents to bring their waste to the curb
Anonymous 8/12/2020 09:23 AM	Presently divided by two private companies. More efficient and cost effective to have one service

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Anonymous 8/12/2020 09:55 AM	Most in our neighbourhood recycle
Anonymous 8/12/2020 02:36 PM	neighbours close together, depends on cost. I currently pay over \$370 annually for twice a month pickup and drive to canex plus the courtenay place for glass and other things that canex site does not do.
Anonymous 8/12/2020 06:14 PM	Hopefull reduce cost of private pickup
Anonymous 8/13/2020 06:17 AM	It would NOT be for me as I already pay for my waste at Island Enterprises on Knight Road. I only go to the dump a few times/year
Anonymous 8/13/2020 04:37 PM	Quiet street
Anonymous 8/13/2020 04:46 PM	We have to take our recycling to an unstaffed community depot and it's a hassle. Roadside pick up would be easier and maybe more people in the neighbourhood would recycle more.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 08:45 AM	The new garbage pickup company is out of country and difficult to communicate with. Canex Recycling Depot is closing down limiting options for recycling.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 10:53 AM	not sure
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:03 PM	It would encourage people (including us) to recycle more frequently.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:28 PM	For 1, to discourage rats -garbage builds to make it worth a dump run.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:30 PM	Convenience for homeowners and encourage recycling.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:58 PM	To standardize pickup days and reduce overall traffic. Private services result in collection 3 or 4 days per week as we all use different companies. Lower costs would be a factor too. Hopefully more would recycle/compost if it was part of the service.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 01:07 PM	There are several private properties and several strata properties in our area and it would benefit a lot of people and the environment if we had community roadside pick-up and recycling. We ought to have both. NO YARD BURNING!
Anonymous 8/14/2020 02:08 PM	I think it would encourage more people to recycle, especially the older people in our neighborhood that might not be able to take recycling out as easily. We often take our neighbors for them. Would also love to see a roadside compost pick up like Comox
Anonymous 8/14/2020 03:25 PM	The road I live on is almost fully developed, with relatively small (<0.5 acre) lots. From a personal standpoint garbage collection alone costs me ~\$400 per year without factoring in numerous trips to recycle depots and garden waste disposal sites
Anonymous 8/14/2020 05:23 PM	more recycling
Anonymous 8/15/2020 09:13 AM	I see all of our neighbours putting out one or two garbage bins every week, which I know includes recycling and compost. Additionally, our enighbour burn a lot of leaves and debris, so yard waste pickup would improve our neighbourhood's air quality.
Anonymous 8/15/2020 02:21 PM	Since recycling pick-up is not currently happening, I wonder if most people throw their recyclables in the garbage instead of taking them to a facility.
Anonymous 8/15/2020 10:19 PM	area has really grown over the last 20 years
Anonymous 8/17/2020 12:03 PM	Ease of disposal, cost of private pick up.
Anonymous 8/17/2020 01:58 PM	It would save having to transport it to a recycle centre.

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Anonymous 8/17/2020 09:21 PM	because the private pick-up is too expensive and not as flexible as the former Sun Coast company was. Suncoast always willing to accommodate seasonal residents. I despise the waste of time, and additional carbon emissions expended driving garbage around.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 07:42 AM	While the recycling depot is close, the landfill is EXTREMELY far away and the private service available here is not easy to contact or deal with.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 08:45 AM	We love everything about our spot in north Courtaney EXCEPT the constant burning of yard waste. Some days we get completely fogged in with smoke. Yard waste pick-up, or composting education would be very valuable.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 10:38 AM	Strata can be billed, increasing fees to cover the cost of the pick up. Saves time.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 11:56 AM	Commercial garbage trucks come down my quiet dead end street 3/4 times a week, they pick up at my house every second Thursday, my neighbours to the right on Fridays and my neighbours to the left
Anonymous 8/18/2020 12:01 PM	we currently have trucks picking up garbage and recycling on our small dead end street 4 or 5 days a week seems crazy the regional district should be able to negotiate a much better rate than we are paying individually. I am currently paying \$90 a quarter
Anonymous 8/18/2020 05:01 PM	Several neighbours on my street are burning their garbage in their backyards. On calm days the air quality is terrible and we have to keep our windows closed to avoid the strong burning plastic smell.
Anonymous 8/19/2020 09:50 AM	because our roads are in terrible state of disrepair, more trucks will not help
Anonymous 8/19/2020 02:54 PM	Our neighbourhood has a private garbage pick-up service, but we have to take our recyclables away to the Return It depot. We would be happy to have the two services combined by the CVRD if the cost was comparable.
Anonymous 8/19/2020 02:57 PM	I DEFINITELY AM NOT INFAVOUR OF the CVRD taking over this service! In my experience with Area B CVRD any services are too expensive and inefficient. Most of my neighbours feel the same way. Again definitely not interested in any more services from you.
Anonymous 8/19/2020 03:44 PM	convenience, elderly hard to haul around, no longer drive
Anonymous 8/19/2020 06:25 PM	Its just a great service and if people can save money then this is the way to go
Anonymous 8/19/2020 09:13 PM	We are easily accessible, and already 2 providers look after all the homes, so it would be easy to use a CVRD sponsored provider.
Anonymous 8/20/2020 09:16 AM	Can count at least 18 homes on our street that currently have private company pickup
Anonymous 8/20/2020 01:48 PM	Recycling at the Canex is frustrating. So much garbage is thrown in, defeating the purpose.
Anonymous 8/20/2020 02:06 PM	There are enough homes in the immediate area to make a pickup service cost effective and I believe if you make recycling and composting easy enough you will get more participation in the programs
Anonymous 8/20/2020 02:54 PM	too many vehicles possibly access neighbourhood on 1 lane narrow road
Anonymous 8/20/2020 03:19 PM	Astra Road, with its small 50' lots and multiple houses per lot, is quite densely populated. There are at least 3 different companies collecting here through the week and the road noise from the vehicles is significant.
Anonymous 8/20/2020 04:24 PM	Wasre Management (Texas) has increased rates 40%.
Anonymous 8/20/2020 06:58 PM	Because we pay too much for private collection
Anonymous 8/21/2020 11:20 AM	It sounds much cheaper than my private service

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Anonymous 8/21/2020 12:49 PM	A large majority of households already pay for carbage collection by a private company. Also, being a rural area, a lot of illegal dumping happens at night. With a public garbage collection service, people would be more prone of picking up messes.
Anonymous 8/21/2020 05:30 PM	we have more recycle than garbage
Anonymous 8/21/2020 09:20 PM	It wouldn't.
Anonymous 8/23/2020 12:40 PM	Because we currently have to contract this out
Anonymous 8/23/2020 04:01 PM	Most of us on our street have private collectors. Your service would be cheaper. The local recycling depot will close in the future so we'd have to take our recyclables further. That would be inconvenient.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 08:40 AM	We already have pickup available. Area already clogged with overload of parked vehicles all over the roadways from the over-densification caused by too many condos.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 10:58 AM	It wouldn't be
Anonymous 8/24/2020 11:14 AM	I don't think it is.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 01:45 PM	I imagine that people would want it.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 10:38 PM	It would NOT be a good candidate! Next time please provide more space for ALL of our comments!!!
Anonymous 8/25/2020 07:47 AM	Most neighbours are using private service then recycling at Canex, which is suppose to close in July 2021.
Anonymous 8/27/2020 11:57 AM	Location
Anonymous 8/27/2020 03:48 PM	Local 11 property estate strata gated.
Anonymous 8/27/2020 05:15 PM	Because its a trailer park with 75 unit
Anonymous 8/28/2020 08:48 AM	no comment
Anonymous 8/28/2020 11:59 AM	Don't think it would. Most neighbors some how make do with sharing garbage pickup, or do dump runs etc.
Anonymous 8/29/2020 02:57 PM	Clean it up, less dumped garbage
Anonymous 8/30/2020 03:39 PM	Smaller lots with homes close together
Anonymous 8/30/2020 05:06 PM	It would be nice if it was all picked up on the same day of the week
Anonymous 8/30/2020 08:03 PM	We are somewhat rural and it would save the drive to the collection spots and the return it depot.
Anonymous 8/30/2020 09:39 PM	Everyone needs garbage pickup and everyone would be more likely to recycle if it were easy and available and affordable
Anonymous 8/31/2020 09:34 AM	Nestled against the border between Courtenay and Comox
Anonymous 8/31/2020 12:21 PM	Recycling pick up would likely work in our neighbourhood and might encourage others to recycle more.

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Anonymous 9/01/2020 09:18 AM	It is high volume and traffic area and is 17km to the landfill. I would love to compost my food waste which would reduce my garbage volume significantly but living next to a nature reserve I won't compost due to the potential of increased rodents.
Anonymous 9/01/2020 02:24 PM	Good household density and desire to do the right thing in terms of recycling
Anonymous 9/01/2020 05:01 PM	While it is considered a rural area, there are multiple single family homes on multiple streets here.
Anonymous 9/01/2020 10:05 PM	It would save us money over private garbage pickup. It would make recycling easier!
Anonymous 9/02/2020 01:06 PM	Many houses in our area and we are close to town. It's not as if we are located way out of town. Recycling pickup should be available to encourage people to do it. Easy access means more compliance to recycle
Anonymous 9/02/2020 03:35 PM	Recycling depots near us are being removed (unstaffed) and pickup already goes halfway down our street but stops before our house (hector/acacia). It would take much to extend it that little
Anonymous 9/02/2020 03:41 PM	several residence including apartment complex
Anonymous 9/02/2020 04:02 PM	It would reduce trucks on the road. Different garbage trucks come by almost every day since people use different companies.
Anonymous 9/02/2020 05:40 PM	Because we all want it and are overpaying private companies to get it
Anonymous 9/04/2020 08:32 AM	My area has enough residents. Currently there are three different companies that provide garbage pickup. This is totally inefficient, costly for residents, and truck exhaust is bad for the environment. Job loss is not a reason to keep status quo.
Anonymous 9/04/2020 11:51 AM	We already have a private company for roadside pick up. The main reason I'd like a new CVRD service would be if it reduces cost to me..
Anonymous 9/04/2020 12:29 PM	If the service under consideration matches the private service I currently receive ... once per week, 2 can limit, take away whatever I place to be collected within the established limit at a cost less then or equal to my current cost.
Anonymous 9/04/2020 02:01 PM	Like the convenience of the service, encourage more people to recycle because of the convenience - 100 % want
Anonymous 9/04/2020 09:14 PM	more things would get recycled
Anonymous 9/05/2020 05:36 PM	There are enough homes in the area, and with plans to close the unattended recycle centre at the Canex I believe it would be a beneficial service.
Anonymous 9/07/2020 12:36 PM	We don't think it is a good candidate area.
Anonymous 9/07/2020 04:01 PM	currently most people recycle and pay to have their garbage collected.
Anonymous 9/08/2020 03:16 PM	It would become far more convenient to have everything picked up. Well worth the cost
Anonymous 9/08/2020 07:20 PM	NOT
Anonymous 9/09/2020 08:30 AM	We have 5 families on this road close together and we all subscribe to a private company, also we are all very good at recycling and would like to continue with less fuss.
Anonymous 9/09/2020 10:29 AM	Private too expensive, would reduce emissions by not driving to landfill and It would stop people throwing their garbage into communal recycling bins
Anonymous	N/a

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9/10/2020 01:44 PM

Anonymous
9/10/2020 04:24 PM

Relatively high density, already served by private garbage collection service, but no recycling.

Anonymous
9/10/2020 08:19 PM

We have two points of view in our household, I think so as it would reduce trips to town with recycling, my husband believes a easy to access one stop recycle centre is the answer.

Anonymous
9/10/2020 08:55 PM

It would be a good candidate for this service for reasons explained above.

Anonymous
9/10/2020 08:58 PM

Not a good candidate, no. If my neighbours have to have drive-up curbside service, they can hire it just like they would if they don't want to do their own lawns, or gardening or anything else local businesses provide for a fee. No thank you!

Anonymous
9/10/2020 09:11 PM

No.

Anonymous
9/11/2020 11:47 AM

convenience

Anonymous
9/11/2020 01:56 PM

Closure of recycling depots means longer, and less-likely trips to staffed recycling centers due to wait and hassle; this will result in more recyclables in the trash. Also, absorption of our local co. by a large firm mean poor customer svc.

Anonymous
9/12/2020 10:48 AM

Because 'Waste Management Inc.' is a ripoff and its currently VERY HARD to recycle stuff. It needs to be easier. WAAYY EASIER.

Optional question (319 response(s), 116 skipped)

Q16 Why might a roadside garbage/recycling pick up service NOT work in your neighbourhood? Let us know:

Anonymous
7/28/2020 12:03 PM

n/a

Anonymous
7/28/2020 02:43 PM

Getting people in trailer park to cooperate might be an issue.

Anonymous
7/28/2020 02:45 PM

Larger lots

Anonymous
7/28/2020 03:08 PM

nothing to add

Anonymous
7/28/2020 03:11 PM

There is no reason it wouldn't

Anonymous
7/28/2020 03:35 PM

No reason.

Anonymous
7/28/2020 03:37 PM

There is absolutely no reason it wouldn't. The last time it was supposed to happen we just assumed it would but apparently all the people that don't live here went to the meeting and voted against it.

Anonymous
7/28/2020 03:48 PM

can't think of any reason why it would not work

Anonymous
7/28/2020 04:16 PM

If it costs more than the private service, you won't get the area's support, because many are on fixed incomes and won't see the value in recycling (not

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	having experienced it). To many, it is only an economic issue.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:23 PM	Insufficient participation in survey/recycling
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:23 PM	No reason.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:44 PM	no reason - we would love it
Anonymous 7/28/2020 04:45 PM	My neighbors burn their trash in their woodstove. They cannot afford garbage pickup. My next door neighbor and the lady across the street both burn their trash.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 05:07 PM	Lots of interest
Anonymous 7/28/2020 05:23 PM	N/a
Anonymous 7/28/2020 06:23 PM	No reason not to pick up.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 06:33 PM	There's no reason that it wouldn't work here
Anonymous 7/28/2020 07:35 PM	Most people take their garbage to the dump.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 07:36 PM	it would work
Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:29 PM	It WILL work
Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:39 PM	I don't think it wouldn't work.
Anonymous 7/28/2020 08:42 PM	if costs are inordinate.... (tend to be small families here).... then not good
Anonymous 7/29/2020 05:20 AM	cost for some
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:52 AM	Because it would be too expensive
Anonymous 7/29/2020 06:59 AM	It would work
Anonymous 7/29/2020 08:57 AM	No reason at all why it would not work.
Anonymous 7/29/2020 09:46 AM	Some people have very little garbage and share commercial pickup with a neighbour. Some farm residences handle garbage disposal on site. Changing Single Stream back to sorted bins at community depots would be a better idea
Anonymous 7/29/2020 10:46 AM	I cannot think of any reason
Anonymous 7/29/2020 11:27 AM	I can't think of any reason why it wouldn't be good
Anonymous 7/29/2020 12:13 PM	Too expensive and our road is a problem
Anonymous 7/29/2020 01:05 PM	I don't see any reason it wouldn't work
Anonymous	cost per household

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7/29/2020 01:23 PM

Anonymous Can't imagine a reason why it would not work

7/29/2020 01:46 PM

Anonymous Houses/Businesses are fairly spread out, and some are business only so might be skipped.

7/29/2020 02:17 PM

Anonymous I can't see it not working. I would hope more people would sign up if there were a cost effective way to collect garbage and recycling as private pickup is expensive. I pay \$180/mo for biweekly pickup with no recycling.

7/29/2020 02:25 PM

Anonymous ?

7/29/2020 02:27 PM

Anonymous For the retired person that can afford this and the working people it would work for them.

7/29/2020 02:32 PM

Anonymous There is no reason at all that it can't work and would be cheaper for residents on an annual basis.

7/29/2020 02:44 PM

Anonymous It is a great idea.

7/29/2020 04:52 PM

Anonymous Cost - eligible for pick up service for \$29

7/29/2020 05:12 PM

Anonymous ?

7/29/2020 05:15 PM

Anonymous costs

7/29/2020 05:18 PM

Anonymous Very apposed - do not need additional costs or to be directed to a service that is not wanted

7/29/2020 05:28 PM

Anonymous Bear attractant if residents left recycling and garbage out the night before pick up.

7/29/2020 05:55 PM

Anonymous Any recycling service that is provided will not cater for the surges in volume needed. A drop off location is better - keep the existing facilities.

7/29/2020 06:04 PM

Anonymous People I think it will be more expensive and what they currently pay

7/29/2020 06:38 PM

Anonymous It will work!

7/30/2020 04:03 AM

Anonymous Older retired people who do not pay and instead throw it all in the ocean. I witness this daily.

7/30/2020 05:57 AM

Anonymous Your cost numbers do not seem accurate. This looks like a way to try and get more tax revenue from people. We pay less for private garbage pickup than the \$487 you say in your flyer. We do not believe it will be what you say your cost to us will be.

7/30/2020 08:02 AM

Anonymous Not interested in higher taxes. This seems like a cash grab. Once everyone is on board and paying through property taxes there is no way out of it. The potential for "cost increases" is not appealing, find another way to pay for your new office please.

7/30/2020 08:10 AM

Anonymous I can not think of a reason why it wouldn't work. Our area is fairly populated.

7/30/2020 09:04 AM

Anonymous we already are paying more than city residents for the landfill and we have to take are garbage there ourselves.

7/30/2020 09:21 AM


Anonymous We are happy with what we have now and do not need you to add another cost to our taxes!!!

7/30/2020 10:33 AM

Anonymous N/a

7/30/2020 10:41 AM

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Anonymous 7/30/2020 11:51 AM	can't think of a reason.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:01 PM	I can't see any reason... a less expensive way to have garbage and recycle collected is a bonus!
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:27 PM	n/a
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:31 PM	It might be cost prohibitive
Anonymous 7/30/2020 12:57 PM	Doesn't work for me I look after my own waste.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 01:17 PM	Because your a government agent you start a service of cheap and in know time you wine you lost money at the service so you can justify raising rates. We're not all stupid to your ways.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 02:45 PM	I can't think of any reason why this would not work.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 03:02 PM	It will , we love the ideas
Anonymous 7/30/2020 03:19 PM	many households use a private pick-up and may not want to switch, thus impeding efficiency of the municipal service
Anonymous 7/30/2020 04:08 PM	it will work
 7/30/2020 04:47 PM	If the bins are too full, the stuff blows about the neighbourhood. Some folks are good at cleaning plastic containers, others leave dirty which may attract animals. There are no lids on Blue bins like garbage cans. Would like blue bin with lid.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 06:34 PM	If you make it reasonable, most peeps would be doing so. Works fine.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 06:59 PM	Can not think of a reason why not.
Anonymous 7/30/2020 07:37 PM	Not t
Anonymous 7/30/2020 07:39 PM	Not enough people interested
Anonymous 7/30/2020 10:45 PM	Most use a weekly service, however most cans are 1/2 empty. I have 1 time a month pickup which is fine when one recycles!
Anonymous 7/31/2020 07:34 AM	It will work. I currently pay \$102 every 3 months for weekly garbage pick up and take recycling to the canex. That site will close next year, and people need another option.
Anonymous 7/31/2020 10:05 AM	Varying collection volume and frequency preferences by individual households. Contractors can adjust to individual needs.
Anonymous 7/31/2020 11:16 AM	Can't see why it wouldn't work
Anonymous 7/31/2020 02:00 PM	Cost
Anonymous 7/31/2020 05:01 PM	cost, would not be extra convenience, feel return it is convenient how set up, landfill not as convenient or as well run
Anonymous 7/31/2020 06:15 PM	n/a
Anonymous	No reason that it would not work

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7/31/2020 06:41 PM

Anonymous
7/31/2020 07:44 PM
No reason except people not wanting to pay

Anonymous
7/31/2020 07:45 PM
i have large trees .roadside pickup would not pick up lрге branches

Anonymous
8/01/2020 08:46 AM
No reason why it wouldn't work

Anonymous
8/01/2020 11:17 AM
No reason why it would not work.

Anonymous
8/01/2020 12:36 PM
Too expensive. In 2+ years at my address, I have spent less than \$100 on Garbage disposal. With avid recycling and home composting, there isn't enough garbage left to justify the added cost to homeowner.

Anonymous
8/01/2020 12:47 PM
wildlife getting into the garbage

Anonymous
8/01/2020 01:33 PM
No reasons

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8/01/2020 02:15 PM
Some residents may want to continue doing it on their own.

Anonymous
8/01/2020 08:28 PM
n/a

Anonymous
8/02/2020 09:41 AM
it is cheaper to minimize garbage and take it to the landfill once a month

Anonymous
8/02/2020 11:08 AM
Do not see why it wouldn't work.

Anonymous
8/02/2020 12:11 PM
No reason.

Anonymous
8/02/2020 12:56 PM
some recycle, many do not - population density might be too small to be viable

Anonymous
8/02/2020 03:03 PM
Can't think of any reason

Anonymous
8/02/2020 03:31 PM
to far from pick up

Anonymous
8/02/2020 04:25 PM
most have privet pick up

Anonymous
8/02/2020 07:30 PM
Too many condos and they

Anonymous
8/02/2020 07:32 PM
Too many condos and a trailer park...those people won't be motivated to pay for a service.

Anonymous
8/02/2020 08:11 PM
I think it would work.

Anonymous
8/03/2020 07:30 AM
there's no reason why it shouldn't

Anonymous
8/03/2020 11:47 AM
No concerns. It will work!

Anonymous
8/03/2020 11:57 AM
The recycling blows down the street as noted above.

Anonymous
Cost, I take my garbage to the dump every few months, if the cost is to high I

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8/03/2020 12:22 PM	will continue doing this, I also believe this service should be included in our property taxes!
Anonymous 8/03/2020 02:47 PM	Not applicable, it would work great in our neighborhood.
Anonymous 8/03/2020 03:20 PM	road clearing in the winter
Anonymous 8/03/2020 08:18 PM	Some may question the ability of BIG government getting involved in another venture. What is the CVRD costs? How many highly paid positions will be added. Many see the cost of 4 governments in the Comox Valley as the real problem. Bigger government - PUKÉ
Anonymous 8/04/2020 10:56 AM	not much garbage, 90 years old and disabled, paying for something wont use, not even able to carry to curb due to age and disabilities
Anonymous 8/04/2020 11:57 AM	Why would we want to pay more?
Anonymous 8/04/2020 12:01 PM	It could work if everyone was cooperative
Anonymous 8/04/2020 02:10 PM	Cost too high compared to alternatives when calculated.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 02:26 PM	People subscribe to weekly pickup; if it is every two weeks many people will not be supportive.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 03:49 PM	no reason
Anonymous 8/04/2020 05:00 PM	Rural neighbourhood. Bears, dogs and other wildlife present at times that would get into garbage and recyclables if left at the roadside.
Anonymous 8/04/2020 06:08 PM	Garbage was being thrown in with recycle material in the past
Anonymous 8/04/2020 06:34 PM	I don't believe that you can do it as cheap as you are claiming. I currently pay \$345 for just garbage. if you want me to accept your proposal you will have to itemize the cost for each service (garbage, recycling and yard waste.)
Anonymous 8/04/2020 09:54 PM	possibly because of the cost.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 06:42 AM	This looks like a revenue scheme. I don't want to pay more taxes. The cost numbers for private service in your brochure are not accurate, I pay less than that. Please be more truthful in your intentions. You just built an expensive office for yourselves.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 10:18 AM	na
Anonymous 8/05/2020 12:49 PM	I support local businesses and would not like to see an out of area company given the contract.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 03:56 PM	Can't speak for others but we are extremely happy with the excellent work ethic and service we receive from the private company we deal with. Will switch to comox recycling depot when canex depot closes.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 05:54 PM	I have a seasonal property (second home), so it is not cost effective for me.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 08:06 PM	Taxes are already too high. No additional luxury costs are welcome. There is already an option for residents to have their waste/recycling picked up curbside. We don't generate enough waste. You can't opt out. If we get this, I am putting EVERYTHING in.
Anonymous 8/05/2020 08:14 PM	Not a good fit - I don't have enough garbage to warrant curbside. I take my stuff out while doing other errands and its no problem. If someone doesn't want to pay a private company for it then do it yourself but don't make me subsidize it. Not in favour.
Anonymous	No reason

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8/05/2020 11:29 PM

Anonymous

8/06/2020 09:27 AM

We have a long driveway to haul waste out to the road. Wet, windy days (half the year) makes the street messy. Garbage prone to wind and animals spreading it around. Would probably be at the higher end of the cost estimate because houses are further apart

Anonymous

8/06/2020 10:56 AM

Right now we go to the land fill 4 times a year max, at 20\$ a dump cost of gas to get there \$10 so thats \$90 a year. We enjoy the ride there and back so why would be pay \$150 -\$250 per year to have curb side pick up.

Anonymous

8/06/2020 11:08 AM

I can think of no reason. I believe it would be well received and well used!!!

Anonymous

8/06/2020 11:24 AM

N/A

Anonymous

8/06/2020 01:47 PM

If it become too expensive.

Anonymous

8/06/2020 03:11 PM

Elderly residents on our short road don't produce much garbage and are on fixed income. I doubt they would be on board with paying more for a service they will use half as much..

Anonymous

8/06/2020 03:44 PM

I see no reason why it wouldn't

Anonymous

8/06/2020 04:47 PM

no reason why not

Anonymous

8/06/2020 06:08 PM

Following the "no" result of the last referendum for pickup in the Electoral Areas - I would hope residents would have a more positive response this time around. We are also loosing our recycle depot at the Canex.

Anonymous

8/07/2020 09:24 AM

People have large variation in how many cans put out weekly

Anonymous

8/07/2020 10:47 AM

If the cost of the service is higher than private company and CVRD service is not all inclusive with green waste and recycling as well as garbage pickup.

Anonymous

8/07/2020 11:43 AM

This a poorly constructed survey more info required to make a non political decision.

Anonymous

8/07/2020 12:18 PM

I like our current garbage pickup. They come every week and aren't picky on how much we put out.

Anonymous

8/07/2020 01:35 PM

dead end street, large truck will have a hard time to turn around

Anonymous

8/07/2020 01:44 PM

na

Anonymous

8/07/2020 02:01 PM

not needed

Anonymous

8/07/2020 07:19 PM

People who live rural are quite independent.

Anonymous

8/07/2020 11:10 PM

I don't think compost is needed as most people compost their own and use it for their own gardens

Anonymous

8/07/2020 11:50 PM

Some old people want something to do, and want to save a couple \$\$\$. Also, some

Anonymous

8/08/2020 07:08 AM

For us: because we are a collection of 3 stratas : 4 buildings and 7 townhouses, we're likely needing bin services

Anonymous

8/08/2020 09:32 AM

I think my neighbours will vote no as they currently put their waste in my private collection bin and throw organics on the lawn or side of the river. They all voted no before. Not forward thinkers.

Anonymous

8/08/2020 09:34 AM

I think people would create more garbage since it wouldn't be as challenging to discard garbage. Each neighbour looks after their needs separately.

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Anonymous 8/08/2020 07:02 PM	People in our neighborhood do a good job of looking after the environment. It costs me about \$10.00 for you annual trip to the dump. Like single stream recycling where people fire any and every thing in the bins what makes you think they will be any more.
Anonymous 8/08/2020 08:22 PM	No reason I can think of except of course if the cost is to high.
Anonymous 8/09/2020 08:14 AM	Residents have differing needs and look after them individually.
Anonymous 8/09/2020 09:30 AM	N/A
Anonymous 8/09/2020 06:59 PM	Residents may not want to pay this cost. However, this is a cost that some, certainty my household, already pays to a private company.
Anonymous 8/10/2020 08:41 AM	No downside
Anonymous 8/10/2020 09:19 AM	people unwilling to pay
Anonymous 8/10/2020 10:43 AM	People burning garbage (plastic) is a bad sign that at least some people don't care. :(
Anonymous 8/10/2020 12:10 PM	No reason. It would work!
Anonymous 8/10/2020 03:22 PM	Rural living is not city conveniences - you want curbside - live in Comox where you can pay an increase every year for a service most smaller households do not need. It is ridiculous to impose city costs on rural areas. Enough already we said no last time
Anonymous 8/10/2020 05:07 PM	They are older residents who don't mind running around taking their recycles all over, burn most of their stuff. And probably cheap.
Anonymous 8/11/2020 09:35 AM	Cost is too high - not willing to pay more than \$400 per year for both garbage and recycling. We need garbage pickup once per week.
Anonymous 8/11/2020 09:51 AM	this is a rural area and many people can manage their own waste themselves. It is interesting that the CVRD closes the local recycling depots and then wants to conduct a survey on waste pick up. as usual, the decision appears to be predetermined
Anonymous 8/11/2020 12:36 PM	Not enough capacity for yard waste as I have to use a dump trailer to get rid of my yard waste
Anonymous 8/12/2020 02:36 PM	Perhaps some people can't be bothered to change? I think a good price plus the convenience of picking up all our recycling deposits might be an excellent argument for us to change.
Anonymous 8/12/2020 06:14 PM	currently it is easy and frequency is not as often as proposed
Anonymous 8/12/2020 07:39 PM	Cant speak for others
Anonymous 8/13/2020 10:30 AM	just more regional district empire building and money grab!
Anonymous 8/13/2020 04:37 PM	not everybody would participate
Anonymous 8/14/2020 08:45 AM	Too many people around here who don't trust government and will vote it down. I'd be happy to see this implemented without a vote since it works well everywhere else - and people need reliable recycling curbside pickup to meet waste management goals.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 10:53 AM	not sure

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Anonymous 8/14/2020 11:31 AM	We currently have 3 companies to provide this service. On my street of 5 houses, all 3 companies are used. Free market enterprise!
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:03 PM	It would depend on the cost.....if it is higher than what we are currently paying, then it would not have any value to us.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:30 PM	Cost
Anonymous 8/14/2020 12:58 PM	We prefer supporting local service providers. Some residents are absent for longer periods of time over winter and private services offer more flexibility.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 02:08 PM	no reason.
Anonymous 8/14/2020 03:25 PM	I can't see any reason why it would NOT work and it might encourage some of my neighbours to recycle more of their household waste rather than simply send it to the landfill (as they have told me on numerous occasions)..
Anonymous 8/14/2020 05:23 PM	??we need this service
Anonymous 8/17/2020 12:03 PM	It would be great. I look forward to it starting.
Anonymous 8/17/2020 01:58 PM	I believe it would work
Anonymous 8/17/2020 09:21 PM	Because old timers and long time residents may think it's a CVRD 'con' to get more money and regularly raise costs.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 07:42 AM	Not everyone in our area is a year-round resident so there may not be a pickup needed at each house each week. However, having the ability to "hold" your pickup would be helpful to ensure the service isn't wasting time.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 09:19 AM	I pay less because I only have my garbage picked up once a month. I would like to see options for savings if you produce less garbage.
Anonymous 8/18/2020 10:38 AM	Many residents in my neighbourhood do not mulch their lawn, so they would be opposed to monthly pickups of yardwaste. Education on the benefits of mulching may improve the amount of yardwaste going to the landfill, but it may not be well adopted in our n
Anonymous 8/18/2020 05:01 PM	People are too cheap to pay for garbage pick up. They'd rather burn their garbage.
Anonymous 8/19/2020 09:50 AM	refer to answer above.
Anonymous 8/19/2020 02:57 PM	Your record for providing services inexpensively and efficiently is deplorable. Most of my neighbours feel the same way. Combined with that the private service I receive is inexpensive and efficient. They're not weighed down with bureaucracy.
Anonymous 8/19/2020 03:44 PM	if cost effective
Anonymous 8/19/2020 04:35 PM	This is a good example why we don't want government involvement. This box will only accept 255 characters of text. I can't do anything about it. Not enough space to convey my thoughts, but some bureaucrat thinks it is. When you get serious ask me agai
Anonymous 8/19/2020 06:25 PM	If people have more than 2 cans of garbage a week
Anonymous 8/20/2020 09:16 AM	It will work!
Anonymous 8/20/2020 02:54 PM	too few homes and road access listed above
Anonymous 8/21/2020 12:49 PM	No reason as the service is already being used by most households through private sector.

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Anonymous 8/21/2020 06:50 PM	its cheaper for me to go to the dump periodically
Anonymous 8/21/2020 09:20 PM	People in this area for the most part recycle and compost.
Anonymous 8/23/2020 11:42 AM	There's no certainty of what an RD service would cost, or whether there would be any competition with private contractors to keep costs in line and assure good service.
Anonymous 8/23/2020 12:40 PM	no reason
Anonymous 8/23/2020 04:01 PM	Can't imagine why it wouldn't.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 08:40 AM	Too many vehicles already parked all over roadways because of over-densification from condos.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 10:58 AM	government costs would go higher and pay enough for taxes
Anonymous 8/24/2020 11:14 AM	I feel our neighborhood is handling recycling well. What would be effective is a enforcement person at the canes recycle depot. Lock the gate.
Anonymous 8/24/2020 11:18 AM	I was unable to complete my previous note. I would like to see current recycle at Canex with a enforcement person to restrict unlawful dumping. This paid position would be a cheaper alternative and be cost effective. Recycle could have more limited hou
Anonymous 8/24/2020 11:42 AM	we have road side garbage pickup
Anonymous 8/24/2020 10:38 PM	For many of us living on rural farms or acreages the cost of weekly pickup would be too high to justify such a service. When we compost, reduce, and reuse I only need to visit the landfill once every 6 weeks (\$10).
Anonymous 8/28/2020 08:48 AM	no comment
Anonymous 8/28/2020 11:59 AM	Long term residents have managed just fine without the RD's involvement. Wont be keen on price probably..
Anonymous 8/29/2020 11:15 AM	I don't know how neighbours view the garbage/ recycling pick up issue. The issue will probably be addressed at our next strata meeting.g
Anonymous 8/29/2020 02:57 PM	People would miss use and dump everything in garbage
Anonymous 8/30/2020 08:03 PM	Cost?
Anonymous 8/31/2020 12:21 PM	I think to encourage recycling there needs to be an incentive to have less garbage. Our system of handling all our waste ourselves drives us to be closer to zero waste. I have seen cardboard, Styrofoam and dead chickens together in the garbage here.
Anonymous 9/01/2020 02:24 PM	Might not be frequent enough (eg. if not weekly)
Anonymous 9/02/2020 10:00 AM	can go to landfill for landfill, have about one bag a month, not cost effective for what would use for
Anonymous 9/02/2020 03:41 PM	think it will
Anonymous 9/02/2020 04:02 PM	No reason for it not to work.
Anonymous 9/02/2020 05:40 PM	For those who already have a routine they may not like change

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Anonymous 9/03/2020 07:40 AM	long driveway, easier to load & bring to canex bins every 2 to 3 weeks. less mess @ roadside.
Anonymous 9/04/2020 11:51 AM	No reason why it would not work
Anonymous 9/04/2020 12:29 PM	Less service then I current receive and if service level is increased to match my current level of service, the final cost would exceed my current cost.
Anonymous 9/04/2020 09:14 PM	if service is weekly and costs too much it may not pass
Anonymous 9/07/2020 12:36 PM	Nobody we know is complaining about current situation and want the CVRD to stay out of it. We all have good choices available now. We believe the message was loud and clear a few years ago when the referendum was held.
Anonymous 9/07/2020 04:01 PM	If the expense is higher what you have proposed \$150 - 250
Anonymous 9/08/2020 07:20 AM	We already have an excellent garbage and recycling pick up service from a local company-Strathcona recycling and disposal. They offer choices -you only pay for what you want eg-#of cans and how often, recycling even has 2 options.
Anonymous 9/10/2020 07:28 AM	I like to be in control of my disposals. I currently have 8 people on my property and only one can a week at the curb(which I hope to reduce even further, to 0 cans) and also a full size truck load of recyclables once every 6 wks to return it.
Anonymous 9/10/2020 01:44 PM	It would be added to our pad rent and he would just raise the cost for everything
Anonymous 9/10/2020 04:24 PM	n/a
Anonymous 9/10/2020 08:19 PM	Depends on whether everyone participates and how much the charge is per household
Anonymous 9/10/2020 08:44 PM	Heavy traffic on road. Garbage cans and contents would end up all over the road. Ditches have enough garbage in them that regional doesn't clean up. We pay enough Taxes and fees, and you quote this price now then it will go up!! NO TO GARBAGE/ rec PICK UP
Anonymous 9/10/2020 08:58 PM	The Town of Comox is a good example why contract-driven services are a danger. They now have less service, costing more money and no other options as this contract was set up for an astonishing 10 years. What a crock! or crook.
Anonymous 9/10/2020 09:11 PM	There are contractors currently serving the neighbours who want this. Are you going to hire some firm and charge everyone more taxes to come cut my grass? Makes as much sense. Please do not impose the wants of a few onto the wallets of the many.
Anonymous 9/11/2020 01:56 PM	If intervals were too long (e.g., two weeks); if customer service worse than current private sector pickup; if recycle and garbage bins were too large for long driveway hauls (lots of elderly here with big setbacks); if bins attracted wildlife marauders.
Anonymous 9/12/2020 10:48 AM	sparse population ? McQuinn Dr. - hard to turn around?

Optional question (224 response(s), 211 skipped)