



Grande Cache 2021 CURBSIDE RECYCLING CALENDAR

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INFORMATION:

- 1. REVIEW** acceptable materials included in curbside commingled recycling program on the back of the page.
- 2. CLEAN** recyclables & ensure they are dry.
- 3. BLUE BAG** all recyclables together. Overflow items will not be accepted.
- 4. SET** your Recycle Bin curbside **every 2nd Monday by 7:00 am** for GFL to continue to pick up recycling.
- 5. ENSURE** wheels are touching curb.
- 6. MUST HAVE** 6 feet of clearance on all sides of the car, such as parked cars, etc.

January 2021

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ACCEPTABLE RECYCLING ITEMS

ACCEPTED ITEMS:

These items go in your blue bag.

No sorting required.

Ensure that items are clean & dry.

No food stuck in container.



CONTAINERS

✓ Tin/Steel Food Cans

Labels are not required to be removed.

✓ All Beverage Containers

✓ Plastics #1 & 2

Molded, rigid plastic containers & tubs with lids grade 1 & 2 only.

All must be rinsed (i.e. detergent bottles, yogurt containers, condiment containers, plastic medicine bottle, etc).



PAPER

✓ Office paper

✓ Newspaper

✓ Flyers

✓ Mailed paper

Envelopes, magazines, catalogues, corrugated cardboard, boxboard (for example cereal boxes (no liners) & door to door shipped boxes.

Q: What are plastics #1 & #2



Polyethylene terephthalate (PETE) is a clear or green, glossy, rigid container:

- ✓ Clear and green soda bottles
- ✓ Cooking oil bottles
- ✓ Peanut butter jars (recyclable if clean)
- ✓ Salad dressing bottles and other food and drink containers (recyclable if clean).



High density polyethylene (HDPE) is also a hard plastic but is visibly different from PETE, as it is not transparent. It is usually milky or solid colors & rigid containers.

- ✓ Milk jugs and yogurt or margarine tubs (recyclable if clean).
- ✓ Detergent bottles, shampoo bottles, and other containers (recyclable if clean).
- ✓ Some plastic bags

Q: Do we need to pull off the small plastic bits from some fibres products, such as envelopes, Kleenex boxes, toy boxes?

A: Residents do not need to remove these small bits of plastic. If residents choose to do so, it is welcome but not mandatory.

Q: What about soft cover books? Hard cover books?

A: Please remove the book covers (as many are plasticized).

Q: What about photos?

A: Not recyclable.

Q: Flour bags, pet food bags (empty)?

A: Any paper container that contained a food item should not be put into the recycling. These paper containers (coffee cups, flour bags, pet food bags etc) often have a plastic or other material like aluminum laminated onto the inside of the paper; and often have food residue left in them as well. Either case makes the material non-recyclable.

Q: Tin and aluminum food plates?

A: There is a high likelihood these items have food residue remaining on them, also they are often a laminated material that is not purely tin/aluminum. Only if the item is purely tin/aluminum and fully cleaned is it acceptable.

