

BLUE BAG

Curbside Recycling Program

SERVICE PROVIDED:

blue bag recycling



WHAT CAN I RECYCLE?

The blue bag system is designed to accept household paper, cardboard, tin & plastic containers. For a more detailed list of recyclable items or any questions regarding the recycling program, please refer to the Alberta Beach website www.albertabeach.com or contact the office at 780.924.3181

WHEN WILL BLUE BAGS BE COLLECTED?

Collection will occur every second and fourth Wednesday of the month (Starting March 8th, 2017).

Please place Blue Bags in the same area you place your solid waste carts. Blue bags placed in solid waste carts will not be collected.

WHAT SHOULD NOT GO IN THE BLUE BAG?

- Plastic toys
- Bubble wrap / Plastic film, soft plastics, bags, wrap
- Styrofoam
- Un-rinsed food containers
- Diapers
- Toxic items (batteries, paint cans, aerosol cans)
- Electronics or small appliances
- Ceramics
- Scrap metal or wood
- Coloured & clear glass jars
- Food or yard waste.
- Soiled paper (used tissue or paper towel, pizza boxes smeared with cheese, etc.)
- Soiled containers

WHAT GOES INTO THE BLUE BAG?

Newsprint/Heavy paper: newspaper, magazines, phone books, catalogues, flyers

Mixed Paper: office paper, junk mail, shredded paper, etc.

Boxboard: cereal boxes, pasta boxes, etc.

Containers: milk jugs & cartons, food cans, beverage containers, plastic containers #1-7.

Corrugated cardboard (heavy duty cardboard boxes): Please fold down and collapse all cardboard you intend for recycling flattened and folded beneath the blue bag. Uncollapsed cardboard will not be collected. If you are unsure whether a particular item is recyclable, please contact: CSREdmonton@gflenv.com



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Coming Soon!

BLUE BAG RECYCLING

Using Blue Bags Reduces Waste:

Blue Bag Collection will occur every second and fourth Wednesday of the month starting March 8th, 2017. Please place your Blue bags out by 8:00a.m. in the same area you place your solid waste cart(s). Blue Bags must be in the open and clearly visible.

Blue Bag recycling collection is easy, efficient and eco - friendly. Using blue bags protects materials from the elements and prevents materials blowing around in the wind. Blue bags also allow a higher volume of recyclables to place out with greater ease, relieving you from throwing so much in the garbage.

What Can I Recycle?

All acceptable items can be placed in the blue bag together.

The blue bag system accepts:

- **Newsprint/Heavy Paper:** newspaper, magazines, phone books, catalogues & flyers.
- **Mixed Paper:** office paper, junk mail, shredded paper etc.
- **Boxboard:** cereal boxes, pasta boxes, etc.
- **Containers:** food cans, beverage containers, rigid plastic #1 - 7.
- **Corrugated Cardboard:** flattened and folded beneath the blue bag - no larger than 2 ft. by 3 ft. (60 cm x 90 cm.)
- Please place folded boxboard (cereal boxes, etc) and smaller cardboard **INSIDE** the blue bag.

Note: Blue Bags with unacceptable items will not be picked up.

BLUE BAG RECYCLING

PLASTICS OVERVIEW

To help assist recycling, each plastic container has a code on the bottom surface. The code or number is enclosed by a triangular shape symbol with three arrows.

Plastic coding #1 - #7 are accepted in our Blue Bag Recycling Program

Coding

Common Use

Code #1 - Polyethylene Terephthalate (PETE)

Plastic soft drink, sports and water bottles, peanut butter, salad dressing containers, berry boxes and cake domes.

Code #2 - High Density Polyethylene (HDPE)

Milk, water and juice containers, liquid detergent bottles, laundry soap containers, ice cream containers, yogurt and margarine tubs.

Code #3 - Vinyl

Clear Food packaging, shampoo bottles and vegetable oil bottles with handles.

Code #4 - Low Density Polyethylene (LDPE)

Bread bags, frozen food bags, dry cleaning bags, carry-out snacks, squeezable bottles (i.e. honey, mustard.)

Code #5 - Polypropylene (PP)

Yogurt containers and margarine tubs.

Code #6 - Polystyrene

Aspirin bottles and other rigid plastic.

Code #7 - Other

Some citrus juice and ketchup bottles, some flexible packaging for items like bacon and cheese.

**VILLAGE OF ALBERTA BEACH
PICK-UP SCHEDULE
Solid Waste \ Blue Bag \ Organic**

NOTE: FOR STATUTORY HOLIDAYS THAT FALL ON A MONDAY, PICK-UP OF SOLID WASTE, BLUE BAGS & ORGANICS WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR THE FOLLOWING DAY.

2017


Solid Waste


Blue Bag


Organic Yard Waste

January

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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February

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December

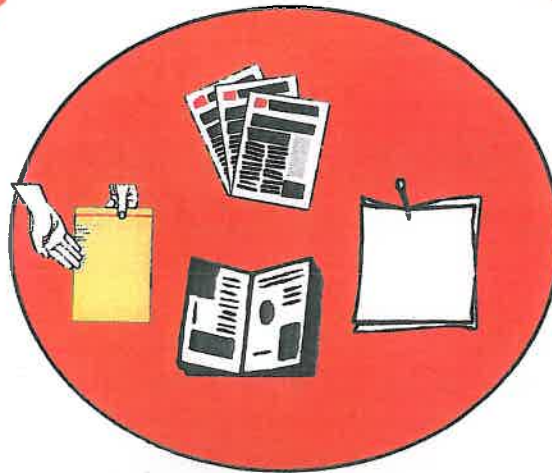
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Alberta Beach

WE ENCOURAGE OUR RESIDENTS TO CONTINUE TO USE THE FREE CARDBOARD AND PAPER RECYCLING BINS LOCATED BEHIND THE VILLAGE OFFICE FOR OVERFLOW OR EXCESS CARDBOARD AND PAPER.

Paper Products

- ✓ Coloured Paper
- ✓ White Paper
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Magazines
- ✓ Catalogues



- ✓ Box Board
- ✓ Cereal Boxes
- ✓ Shoe Boxes
- ✓ Corrugated Cardboard



Cardboard Products

Recycling Depot

**Your Cooperation In Sorting Cardboard and Paper Products Into Their Appropriate Bin Is Absolutely Essential To Ensure The Recycling Depot Remains Running!
Thank You!!**