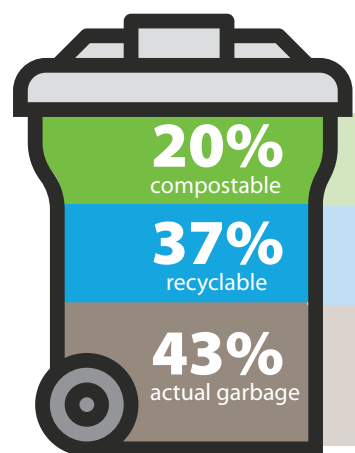




WHAT GOES WHERE

This guide provides useful information to divert residential materials from the landfill through recycling and composting.



OUR WASTE AT A GLANCE

Recent* audit results of residential garbage collection showed:

20% could be composted.

37% could be recycled through the curbside and depots

43% actually belonged in the trash.

*audit results from September 2022

KEEP THESE ITEMS OUT OF YOUR RECYCLING BIN

- Books
- Flexible Plastics
- Plastic Toys and Products
- Clothing and Fabric
- Scrap Metal
- Glass
- Organic Materials
- Garbage

NEED HELP SORTING?

Search for an item using the Waste Wizard look up tool available through the Squamish Curbside Collection app or at: squamish.ca/waste-wizard

Sign up for collection reminders by phone, email or app notification at: squamish.ca/collection-schedule or download the **Squamish Curbside Collection app**.



NEED TO RE-SIZE YOUR TOTE?

Garbage tote exchanges happen once a year. The deadline to request a change to your curbside garbage tote size is October 31 each year. Learn more at: squamish.ca/garbage-tote-size-selection-form

BROKEN TOTE?

If your tote has been damaged by wildlife, please contact GFL at: squamishtotes@gflenv.com or 604.892.5604 for a repair or replacement.

KEEP READING FOR MORE INFORMATION





ORGANICS



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GARBAGE



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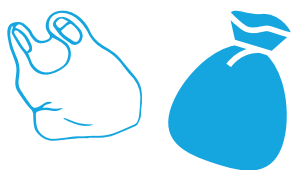
RECYCLING (PACKAGING)



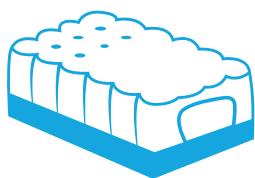
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MATERIALS TO DROP OFF AT THE QUEENS WAY RECYCLE DEPOT

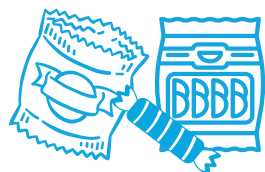
What are Flexible Plastics? None of these items can go into your recycling tote, but they can easily be dropped off at the Queens Way Depot.



Plastic bags



Outer bags and product wrap



Crinkly wrappers and bags



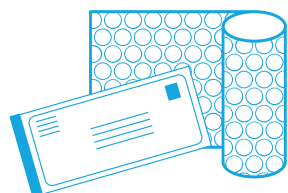
Flexible packaging with plastic seal



Zipper lock and stand-up pouches



Woven plastic bags



Non-food protective packaging

TOTE TIPS

Keep your recyclables loose, do not bundle or bag them. Shredded paper can be contained in a separate paper bag or cardboard box within the recycling tote.

Keep plastic bags, soft plastics, crinkly wrap, glass, and foam packaging out of the recycling tote. These materials can be recycled at depot sites in Squamish.

Empty and rinse all containers.

Flatten cardboard, remove plastic wrap from cardboard flats. Staples and tape okay.

Keep your tote locked at all times except on the morning of your collection day.

Line your kitchen catcher with newspaper or a paper bag. Wash it by hand with dish soap or in the dishwasher.

Allow grass clippings and leaves to dry before putting them into the organics tote. Use them between layers of food scraps.

Do not put compostable or biodegradable plastic bags in your organics tote. These items do belong in the garbage as they do not break down and are not recyclable.

Don't attract bears! Place your tote curbside by 7:45 a.m. on the morning of your collection day - never the night before, even if locked!

WHAT GOES WHERE

These items are not accepted in the curbside collection programs.

	Donate	Queens Way Recycle Depot	Squamish Landfill	London Drugs	Bottle Depot	ASM	Nesters Market	Newport Auto	Triton Automotive	Coast Aggregates	RONA Squamish	Save-On Foods	Pharmacies	Squamish ReBuild	Walmart	Harolds Auto Recycling
Antifreeze									●							●
Rechargeable & Single-Use Batteries		●		●			●	●	●			●				
Automotive Batteries		●	●													●
Beverage Containers		●	●		●							●				
Books	●		●													
Cardboard (Large quantities)		●	●													
Cartridges (ink & laser)				●												
Cellphones				●			●									
Clothing & Textiles	●		●													
Concrete & Bricks			●													
Construction & Building Materials	●		●											●		
Electronics		●	●		●											
Fire Extinguishers*			●			●										
Flexible Packaging**		●		●												
Broken & Unusable Furniture			●													
Glass		●	●													
Lightbulbs & Tubes		●		●		●					●					
Light Fixtures, Christmas Lights, & Lamps	●	●	●											●		
Lights - Commercial						●										
Major Appliances			●				●									
Mattresses & Box Springs			●													
Medication & Used Needles				●									●		●	
Motor Oil , Filters & Containers		●							●							
Outdoor Power Equipment			●			●										●
Paint & Paint Cans		●	●								●					
Plastic Bags		●	●	●			●								●	
Propane Tanks & Green Camping Fuel Containers			●			●										
Separated Soil & Rocks										●						
Small Appliances & Power Tools		●	●													
Smoke & CO2 Alarms		●		●												
Solvents, Gasoline, Pesticides & Flammable Liquids		●	●													
Styrofoam		●	●	●				●								
Tires****			●					●								●
Wood Waste			●													

*Fire extinguishers must be fired.

** For a detailed list, visit: recyclebc.ca/flexiblepackaging

*** All pressurized containers should be completely empty / depleted prior to disposal.

**** Tires are Free to recycle at many locations in town, see the Waste Wizard for additional locations. Note there is a charge for bringing them to the Squamish Landfill.

SQUAMISH LANDFILL & TRANSFER STATION

Landfill Road
Squamish, B.C.
604.898.5635

HOURS OF OPERATION*

DAILY 9 a.m. - 5:45 p.m.

Closed December 25 and January 1

SQUAMISH BOTTLE DEPOT

38927 Queens Way #15
Squamish, BC
604.815.4699

HOURS OF OPERATION*

TUESDAY - SUNDAY 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

MONDAY Closed

GFL RECYCLE DEPOT

38950 Queens Way
Squamish, B.C.
604.892.5604

HOURS OF OPERATION*

MONDAY - SATURDAY 7:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

SUNDAY Closed

Closed Statutory Holidays

LONDON DRUGS

40282 Glenalder Place
Squamish, B.C.
604.892.5604

HOURS OF OPERATION*

MONDAY - SATURDAY 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

SUNDAY 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Closed Statutory Holidays



ITEM NOT LISTED?

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