

Green Manitoba Waste Reduction Posters

To promote greater awareness and action on waste minimization, Green Manitoba has partnered with *Take Pride Winnipeg!* to display three posters across Winnipeg in early 2008. The posters are situated within silver street level recycling and waste disposal units along sidewalks and at intersections. Please click on the posters to view a printable version.



Winnipeggers are to be congratulated for taking leadership in blue box recycling. In the past five years (to March 31, 2007) Winnipeg blue box recycling rates have increased by 35 %

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While Winnipeggers have taken up the challenge of recycling, we still have yet to achieve a 100% recycling rate for blue box materials. Recyclable materials still end up in the landfill. So, a friendly reminder helps us to drop off our pop cans, plastic bottles and newspapers in the blue bin instead of the garbage can.



While we need to recycle, it's also important to Reuse materials as much as possible. Even more important is to **Reduce** both the waste and recyclables we produce. It takes energy and money to collect and transport our garbage to the landfill and to collect, sort and dispose of blue box materials and other resource intensive materials. So our collective efforts to use reusable bags, buy bulk items and avoid purchasing harmful products and disposable one time use items goes a long way to reducing waste.

[Click here](#) for more information on recycling and how to reduce your waste