


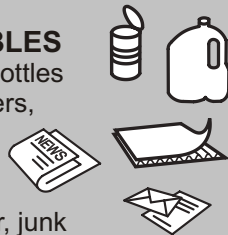
RECYCLABLES BANNED FROM THE GARBAGE

VANCOUVER BLUE BOX AND APARTMENT RECYCLABLES

CONTAINERS: metal cans glass bottles and jars, aluminum foil, foil containers, plastic containers .

NEWSPRINT: newspapers, newspaper inserts.

PAPER PRODUCTS: writing paper, junk mail, envelopes, cardboard, magazines, catalogues, phone books, paper bags, pizza boxes, etc.



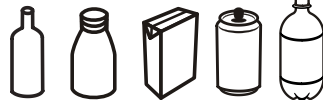
RECYCLING OPTIONS AND CONTACT

Use the City of Vancouver residential recycling program and recycling depot. Single-family residences are supplied with blue boxes and blue and yellow bags; multi-family buildings are supplied with wheeled blue carts.

tel 604.326.4600 **website** vancouver.ca/recycle

BEVERAGE CONTAINERS WITH DEPOSITS

includes all except milk containers (milk containers are not banned from the garbage).



Use the Return-It beverage container recycling program to return these to a depot or a retailer and get your deposit back. Milk containers are also taken at participating depots, but there is no deposit paid or refunded.

tel 1.800.330.9767 **website** encorp.ca

YARD AND GARDEN TRIMMINGS

grass clippings, leaves, weeds, dry seed cones, hedge clippings, brush, branches.



Use the City of Vancouver residential yard trimmings collection program (wheeled grey carts with green lids) or take to the City's depot. Apartments can call to arrange service if required.

tel 604.326.4600 **website** vancouver.ca/yardtrimmings

SOME ELECTRONICS

specifically desktop computers, monitors, keyboards, mice, desktop servers, portable computers (except handheld devices), desktop printers and televisions.



Use the Return-It Electronics program to return these to a collection site.

tel 1.800.330.9767 **website** encorp.ca/electronics

For other electronics recycling options, call the Recycling Council of BC Hotline.

tel 604.732.9253 **website** rcbc.bc.ca

MEDICATIONS (PHARMACEUTICALS)

prescription and non-prescription, herbal products, mineral and vitamin supplements, throat lozenges.



Use the Medications Return Program to return these to a participating pharmacy.

tel 604.732.9253 **website** medicationsreturn.ca

PAINT, SOLVENTS, FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, GASOLINE AND PESTICIDES



Use the Product Care Program to return these to a depot.

tel 604.732.9253 **website** productcare.org

OIL, OIL FILTERS AND EMPTY OIL CONTAINERS



Use the BC Used Oil Management Association Program to return these to a collection site.

tel 604.732.9253 **website** usedoilrecycling.com

OTHER MATERIALS BANNED OR RESTRICTED FROM THE GARBAGE

such as lead acid (car) batteries, gypsum drywall, vehicle tires, propane tanks, sharps (needles).



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