





## MESSAGE FROM MAYOR GEORGE V. HARVIE AND COUNCIL

We are proud of your commitment to participating in Delta's curbside collection programs, helping to recycle and compost much of the waste that we produce. Further measures to reduce waste in 2022 includes the implementation of a new bylaw to regulate and reduce single-use items in our community. You will notice this bylaw taking effect at local businesses as they transition away from providing plastic checkout bags and foam take-out containers and move towards using more sustainable options.



(left to right): Councillor Jeannie Kanakos, Councillor Bruce McDonald, Councillor Dylan Kruger, Mayor George V. Harvie, Councillor Alicia Guichon, Councillor Lois E. Jackson, Councillor Dan Copeland

We are excited to announce that the Spring Clean-Up Program has been reinstated for 2022! Moreover, the Large Item Pick-Up Program will continue to be available as a flexible way for residents to dispose of bulky items throughout the year.

Thank you for your efforts in following Delta's curbside collection programs. Your participation helps to ensure a cleaner future for Delta.

### FREE COMPOST WEEK

Delta residents can pick up one cubic metre of compost for free from the Vancouver Landfill from **Saturday, March 26 to Sunday, April 3, 2022.**

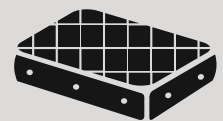
Maximum one pick up per vehicle. Proof of residency is required.



### FREE MATTRESS RECYCLING VOUCHER

Recycle up to two mattresses for free at the Vancouver Landfill with Delta's Mattress Recycling Voucher! Contact us at 604-946-3260 to apply for a voucher.

One voucher per household per year. Proof of residency is required.



### WE'RE HERE TO HELP!

Service requests or questions:  
[delta.ca/talkdelta](https://delta.ca/talkdelta) | 604-946-3260

Program information and resources:  
[delta.ca/garbage-recycling](https://delta.ca/garbage-recycling)



### DELTA'S CURBSIDE COLLECTION CONTRACTOR

Remple Disposal | 604-580-3379  
[dispatch@rempledisposal.com](mailto:dispatch@rempledisposal.com)



- Garbage, Green Can, and recycling materials are collected weekly
- Make sure cans, bags, and boxes are visible from the street and not placed in front of parked vehicles
- Cans secured with bungee cords will not be collected
- Overweight cans / bags will not be collected for the health and safety of collection crews



## TO THE CURB BY 7:00 AM

### GARBAGE



- Household garbage is accepted in lidded cans (max. can size: 100 L) or tied bags
- Max. 25 kg / 55 lbs per can or bag
- Max. two cans or bags per week

### GREEN CAN



- Food scraps and yard trimmings material is accepted in lidded cans (max. can size: 100 L), Kraft paper bags, or tied bundles (max. branch size: 1 m length, 15 cm diameter)
- Max. 25 kg / 55 lbs per can, bag, or bundle
- Cans must be labelled with Green Can stickers (make sure sticker is facing the street)

### RECYCLING



- Household recycling must be sorted into three streams: containers (Blue Box), glass bottles and jars (Grey Box), and mixed paper (Yellow Bag)
- Place containers **loose** in Blue Box and Grey Box (containers placed in plastic bags will not be accepted)
- There is no limit to the amount of accepted material collected for recycling (use additional Blue Boxes, Grey Boxes, or Yellow Bags if needed)



## WAS YOUR GARBAGE, GREEN CAN, OR RECYCLING NOT COLLECTED?

There are a number of reasons why your material may not be collected or why collection may be delayed:



Material did not meet collection guidelines



Roadwork, construction, or parked vehicles blocking access



Weather-related road conditions

If none of these reasons seem to apply, please report missed collections online at [delta.ca/talkdelta](https://delta.ca/talkdelta) or by phone at **604-946-3260**.



### Download the Recycling App!

Sign up for curbside collection reminders on Delta's Recycling App and learn how to properly sort materials. Visit [delta.ca/recycle](https://delta.ca/recycle) for more information.



## GARBAGE CAN OR BAG



Household items only!



Pet waste (double bagged)



Plastic cutlery & straws



Ribbons, bows, & foil gift wrap



Personal hygiene items



Disposable wipes



Curbside recyclables



Medications or sharps



Take-back recyclables



Rocks, dirt, or sod



Yard trimmings



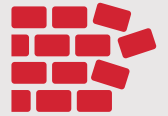
Drywall or lumber



Propane tanks



Food scraps



Building or demolition materials



Household batteries

See full list of items prohibited from garbage disposal at the Vancouver Landfill at [vancouver.ca/landfill](http://vancouver.ca/landfill)



### Extra Garbage?

Put one sticker on each extra bag of garbage. Additional stickers are available for purchase (\$7.50 for six).

Call Delta's registration line at 604-952-3000 to purchase stickers and schedule pick up from South or North Delta Rec Centres or City Hall.



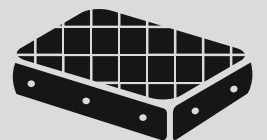
### Before you trash it, search it!

Use Delta's free Recycling App to find out if items can be recycled, composted, or donated before you throw them away!

For more information, visit [delta.ca/recycle](http://delta.ca/recycle).

### LARGE ITEM PICK-UP PROGRAM

The Large Item Pick-Up Program continues to be available for residents to dispose of four large household items throughout the year. Visit [delta.ca/largeitempickup](http://delta.ca/largeitempickup) to learn more and schedule a collection.



### SPRING CLEAN-UP PROGRAM

The Spring Clean-Up Program has been reinstated for 2022! The Program allows residents to place a maximum amount of one pickup truck load (2.5m x 1.2m x 1m) in garbage materials curbside for collection – loose material and construction / demolition material are not accepted. Visit [delta.ca/springcleanup](http://delta.ca/springcleanup) to view the list of accepted items.





**BLUE BOX**



Containers & lids

*\*All materials must be emptied and rinsed.*

**✓ YES**



Hard plastic containers



Drink / coffee cups & cartons



Container lids & caps



Foil & metal containers



Empty and non-flammable

Aerosol containers



Plastic plant pots

**✗ NO**



Foam packaging



Glass bottles or jars



Plastic bags or overwrap



Flexible plastic packaging, plastic cutlery, or straws

**GREY BOX**



*\*All materials must be emptied and rinsed.*

**✓ YES**



Glass bottles & jars

Labels are ok on glass bottles and jars but please remove lids and place them in the Blue Box.

**✗ NO**



Window, frame, or mirror glass



Drinking glasses or ceramics

**YELLOW BAG**



Mixed paper, newspaper, & cardboard

**✓ YES**



Newspaper & flyers



Printed paper & envelopes



Magazines & catalogues



Cardboard & box board



Paper egg cartons & paper bags



Clean pizza boxes

**✗ NO**



Plastic bags



Paper towels or tissues



Beverage containers or coffee cups

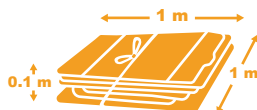


Photographs, ribbons, bows, or foil gift wrap

**PLACE BESIDE YELLOW BAG**



Shredded paper contained in a paper bag or cardboard box.



Flattened and cut down cardboard in tied bundles (1 m x 1 m x 10 cm).



Soft or hardcover books



Food soiled paper or cardboard

*Place in the Green Can*

**Need boxes or bags?**

Call Delta's registration line at 604-952-3000 to schedule pick up from North or South Delta Rec Centres or City Hall!



**GREEN CAN, KRAFT PAPER BAG, & TIED BUNDLES**



Food scraps & yard trimmings material

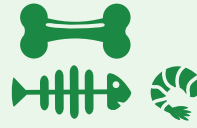
**✓ YES**



Fruit & vegetables



Eggs & dairy products



Meat & bones



Bread, pasta & grains



Plate scrapings & wooden cutlery



Coffee grounds & tea bags



Food soiled paper



Cooking oil

Small amounts of cooking oil wiped up with a paper towel are accepted



Yard trimmings

Branches up to 1 m length and 15 cm in diameter will be collected in tied bundles

**✗ NO**



Plastic bags

No plastic bags of any kind, even if labeled compostable or biodegradable



Plastic-coated paper cups or containers



Personal hygiene items



Tree stumps or branches larger than 15 cm in diameter



Wood or lumber



Dirt, rocks, or sod



Pet waste

**GREEN CAN TIPS**



Wrap food scraps or line Green Cans with newspaper, paper bags, or small cardboard boxes.



Don't overfill cans! Cans must weigh less than 25 kg / 55 lbs.



Store cans out of direct sunlight or inside a shed/garage between collection.



Place food scraps and yard trimmings in the same can.



Freeze food scraps until collection day.



Rinse out cans often!



**Make sure your can is labelled!**

Green Can stickers are available at no cost. Call Delta's registration line at 604-952-3000 to schedule pick up from South or North Delta Rec Centres or City Hall.



**Free Drop-off!**

Delta residents can drop off yard trimmings for free at GFL Environmental in Ladner (4295 72 St | 604-946-0201).



**TAKE-BACK RECYCLING**

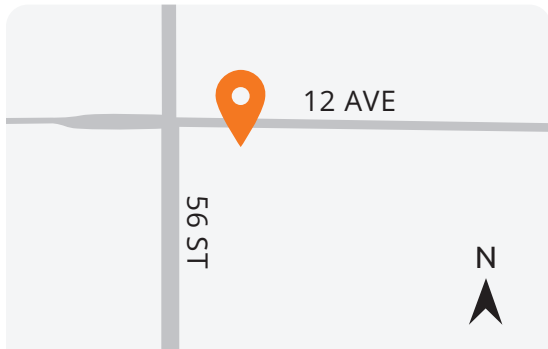
Take back these items for free to the following recycling depots in Delta.

For additional drop-off locations or to find out how to dispose of other materials:

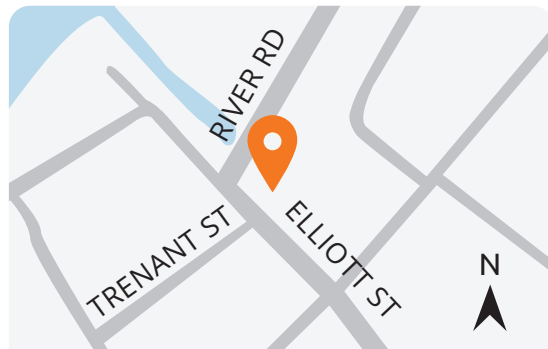
- Call the BC Recycling Hotline at 604-732-9253 or visit [rcbc.ca](http://rcbc.ca)
- Download Delta's Recycling App or visit [delta.ca/recycle](http://delta.ca/recycle)



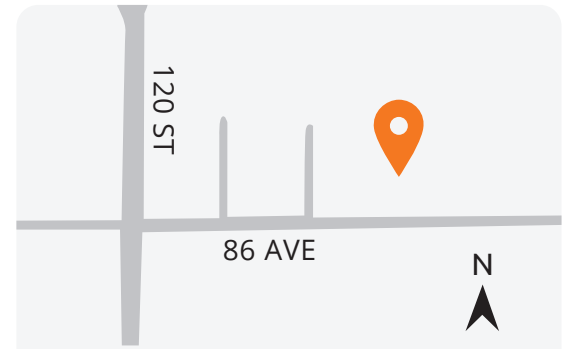
**Vancouver Landfill Recycling Depot**  
 5400 72 St | 604-873-7000  
[vancouver.ca/landfill](http://vancouver.ca/landfill)



**Tsawwassen Return-It Centre**  
 5636 12 Ave | 604-943-7661



**Ladner Bottle Depot**  
 4930 Elliott St | 604-946-0309

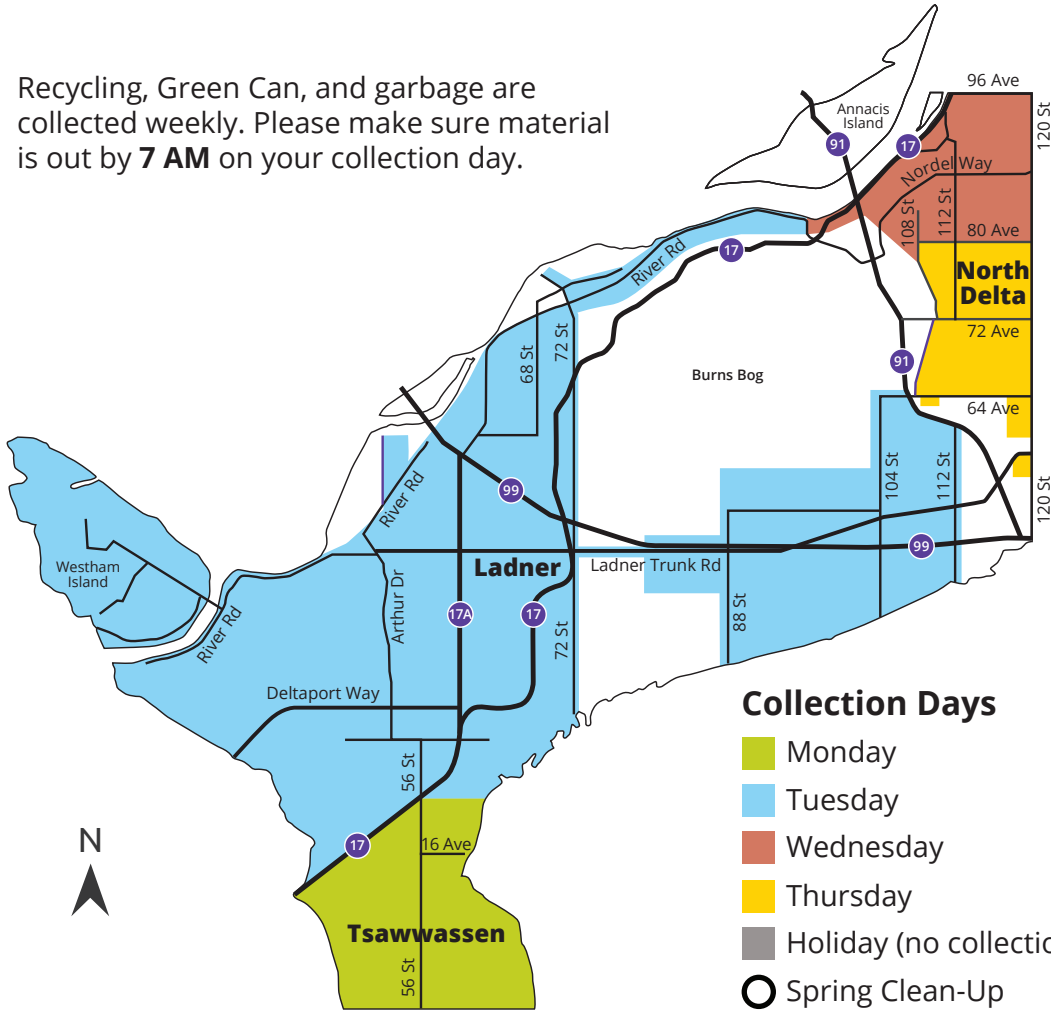


**Scott Road Bottle Depot**  
 12111 86 Ave | 604-543-0606

	Vancouver Landfill Recycling Depot	Tsawwassen Return-It Centre	Ladner Bottle Depot	Scott Road Bottle Depot
Antifreeze & containers	✓			
Automotive batteries	✓			
Beverage containers		✓	✓	✓
Books	✓			
Cardboard	✓	✓	✓	✓
Electronics	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pesticides & flammable liquids	✓			✓
Flexible plastic packaging	✓	✓	✓	✓
Foam packaging	✓	✓	✓	✓
Household batteries	✓	✓	✓	✓
Large appliances	✓			
Light bulbs & fixtures		✓	✓	✓
Paint & paint aerosols	✓	✓	✓	✓
Plastic bags & overwrap	✓	✓	✓	✓
Propane tanks	✓			
Scrap metal	✓			
Small appliances		✓	✓	✓
Textiles & clothing	✓	✓	✓	✓
Used motor oil, filters, & containers	✓			



Recycling, Green Can, and garbage are collected weekly. Please make sure material is out by **7 AM** on your collection day.



### Collection Days

- Monday
- Tuesday
- Wednesday
- Thursday
- Holiday (no collection)
- Spring Clean-Up

### JANUARY 2022

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**NEVER MISS A COLLECTION DAY AGAIN!**

Download Delta's free Recycling App to view, download, or print your personalized collection calendar and to set collection day reminders!

For more information, visit [delta.ca/recycle](https://delta.ca/recycle).