Essential Contact Information

For curbside pick-up inquiries



GEIER WASTE SERVICES

250-638-1100

PO Box 38, Terrace, B.C. V8G 4A2

Phone: 250-638-1100

Email: geierwasteservices@citywest.ca

For recycling facility hours and inquiries

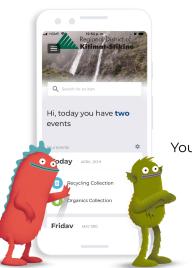


DO-YOUR-PART RECYCLING

3467 Hwy 16E, Terrace, B.C. V8G 3P1

Phone: 250-615-7692

Website: www.doyourpart.ca





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Greater Terrace Area

Curbside Organics, Recycling & Garbage Collection Schedule

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Collection Schedule

Revised: December 2020





How To: Weekly Organics Collection

8:00 am

Container Size and Limit

- A maximum of six items may be placed at the curb each week, consisting of two containers with lids (which may contain kitchen waste and/or yard waste) and up to four kraft paper bags or bundles of yard waste only.
- Each rigid container must be no more than 99 litres and 23 kg (50 lbs) when set out for collection.
- Each kraft paper bag must be no more than 110 litres and 23 kg (50 lbs) when set out for collection.
- Each bundle of vard waste must be no larger in any dimension than the height of the 110 litre kraft bag, and must be no heavier than 23 kg (50 lb).

ACCEPTED

These materials are accepted in your curbside organics container:

Food Scraps





TIE.

Tissue paper

(no blood or

fecal matter)

Coffee grounds.

and filters



beans, grains and bread

Fruit and vegetable scraps





Small amounts of oil and fat (soaked in paper towel or newspaper)

Food-soiled paper products



Empty cereal boxes (no plastic liners)



Pizza boxes

(for lining kitchen

containers, such

as Bag-to-Earth)

Newspaper (for wrapping food scraps or lining kitchen containers)







These materials are accepted in your curbside organics container or kraft bag:

Yard trimmings







NOT ACCEPTED

These materials are **NOT** accepted in your curbside organics container or kraft bag and should be recycled or safely disposed of:

Fecal matter





Large or heavy items



Branches or prunings over 10 cm thick and 50 cm long





Plastics





Biodegradable Plastic bags, wrap plastic bags or containers



Products made of Polylactic Acid (PLA) (containers, disposable plates, cutlery)

If we find unaccepted materials in your Organics Bin, your food scraps and yard waste may not get collected. Please remove any unaccepted materials so we can pick up your Organics Bin next time.

How To: Bi-weekly Recycling Collection





ACCEPTED

Mixed **Containers**



Plastic bottles, jars

Plastic or paper

take-out cups.

bowls, and lids

Plastic

garden pots

and seeding

trays



Caps, tops, lids and pumps

clamshells



Metal cans



Cartons of milk. soup, etc.



Foil wrap and take-out containers



Aerosol cans (empty)

Mixed Paper

Envelopes

Household

paper

Magazines,

catalogues.

phone books



Paper egg cartons



Paper bags











Do **NOT** place in curbside recycling

NOT

ACCEPTED























and

appliances



and games

GLASS, PLASTIC BAGS / OVERWRAP AND STYROFOAM ARE NOT ACCEPTED CURBSIDE. PLEASE RETURN TO DEPOT. DO-YOUR-PART RECYCLING IS LOCATED AT 3467 HWY 16 E.

Curbside Collection Guidelines

- Materials should be curbside by 8:00 am on the designated collection day, and no earlier than 10:00 pm on the day before collection day.
- Weight limit: 23 kg./50 lbs. for all bins and bags.
- Place all containers within 2 m of the roadway.
- Remove empty containers no later than 10:00 pm on collection day.
- Do not tie down lids of containers.

Weekly Organics Collection

Bagging Requirements

Organics containing kitchen or food waste must be placed in rigid, lidded containers.

The Regional District recommends, but does not require, the use of compostable bags to help keep containers clean, reduce odour, and reduce animal attraction. Compostable bags may be small (e.g. the size used to collect food scraps in the kitchen) or large (e.g. the size used to line the entire container). Compostable bags must display one of these logos:





COMPOSTABLE
Biodegradable | US COMPOSTING

"Biodegradable" plastic bags are not acceptable, as that type of plastic does not truly compost.

Bi-weekly Garbage Collection

- Garbage must be bagged and placed in a rigid, waterproof can with a lid.
- For extra garbage, bag tags can be purchased at the Regional District office for \$2 each in a group of 10. A maximum of 4 bag tags can be used per collection.
- Not Accepted in Garbage Collection: Recyclables, bulky items such as furniture, appliances, electronic products, liquids, and organic materials.

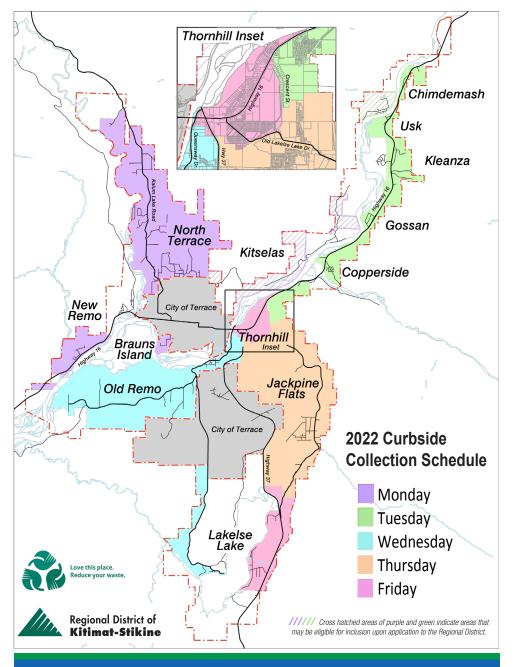
Bi-weekly Recycling Collection

- · Unlimited recycling is accepted each collection.
- Flatten cardboard and place beside your recycling can in bundles not exceeding 1 cubic metre (36" x 36" x 36").
- Rinse containers to remove food residue.





Service Area Map



Questions? Visit www.rdks.bc.ca or call us at 250.615.6100

2022 Collection Schedule

8:00 am

Legend

Recycle

Garbage

Organics

No Collection

No Collection on the Following Days: New Year's Day, Family Day, Good Friday, Victoria Day, Canada Day, BC Day, Labour Day, National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, Thanksgiving Day, Remembrance Day, Christmas Day, Boxing Day. Collection occurs the following business day.

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How To: Bi-weekly Garbage Collection One 121 L lidded can of bagged garbage not exceeding 23 kg/50 lbs is accepted each collection.

Missed Collection?

Contact Geier Waste Services about missed collections and the collection service. For billing and additional program information, contact the Regional District.



If you are physically unable to bring bins to the curb, please contact us to request "Container Management".

What to do with Large Items?

Bulky items such as large furniture are not accepted in curbside collection. Please call or visit www.rdks.bc.ca for items that are accepted at the Thornhill Transfer Station.

Oops Sticker!

"Oops Stickers" help you use the collection service correctly. Most "Oops Stickers" messages are triggered by safety. If the can is too heavy, contains visible dangerous materials, or is too far/close to the roadway,it may be unsafe for the collection hauler or other vehicles. The stickers will let you know.

Have Extra Garbage?

Extra bag tags are available for \$2 each in a group of 10. A maximum of 4 bag tags may be used per collection. For excess medical wastes, contact us to apply for a Medical Waste Exemption.