

LEAF & YARD WASTE (L&YW)

Extra L&YW will ONLY be collected on specific days. Check your schedule for the L&YW symbol.

✓ ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

✓ Leaves ✓ Branches ✓ House & garden plants

✓ Garden/hedge/tree trimmings



Individual branches must be no more than 2" (5 cm) in diameter or 4 ft (1.2 m) in length. Bundled branches must be no more than 2 ft (0.60 m) in diameter. Individual bag/bundle/container cannot exceed 50 lbs (23 kgs).

Use open top, reusable containers, cardboard boxes, or paper yard waste bags.

Material in plastic bags will not be collected.

L&YW is collected separately from other materials. Green carts will only be collected on green cart collection days.

Leaves & Grass Clippings (loose or in paper bags) accepted at OVWRC, no charge. Fees apply for Mixed Leaf & Yard Waste, Branches, Tree Limbs and Stumps.

LEAF & YARD WASTE

Paper recycling must be placed loose in a blue box, cardboard box, paper bag or other reusable open top container.

Residential recycling in plastic bags WILL NOT be collected (with the exception of shredded paper).



Books (soft & hard coverremove hardcovers and discard with garbage)



Cereal, tissue, frozen food, cracker boxes



Newspapers & flyers (including glossy)



Shredded paper (in a clear plastic bag)

FIND OUT WHAT GOES WHERE!

Search 100's of items using the online tool at

www.ovwrc.com/what-goes-where



Cardboard (2 ft x 3ft (0.61 x 0.91 m), flattened and/or bundled)



Envelopes & junk mail



Magazines, catalogues & phone books (remove plastic)



Paper bags



Paper (colored & white) & file folders

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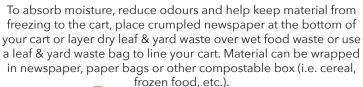


Wrapping (non-metallic)/tissue paper & greeting cards



Toilet & paper towel rolls (empty)

This side for Paper





ALL FOOD

Baked goods

Bones

Breads, grains, cereal & pasta Cooking grease/fat (solidified) Cooking oil (small amounts-use paper or yard waste to absorb) Dairy products

Eggs & eggshells

Fish (including shellfish) & meat Fruits, vegetables & peelings

Kitchen scraps & plate scrapings Nuts & shells

FOOD-SOILED PAPER

Coffee grounds & filters Drink trays & paper egg cartons Facial tissues & paper towels

Microwave popcorn bags

Muffin liners

Paper plates & napkins

Paper coffee & cold drink cups (plastic lids & straws removed & discard with garbage)

Paper take-out containers

Pizza boxes

Tea bags

Waxed & brown butcher paper



YARD & PLANT WASTE

Leaves

Twigs (less than 1" (2.5 cm) in diameter, no longer than 3 ft (0.91m), DO NOT bundle)

House plants & soil

Grass clippings

Weeds & yard trimmings

DO NOT PLACE THESE ITEMS IN GREEN CART

Plastics of any kind (including plastic bags claiming to be biodegradable or compostable)

Plastic wrap Diapers Kitty litter Pet waste
Plastic & glass containers Ashes
Dryer lint

When placed out for collection the <u>green cart lid must</u> <u>be closed</u> with <u>wheels facing away from the road.</u>

This side for Organics



BLUE BOX (Paper & Cardboard)

GREEN CART (Food Waste)