

# 2025

## WASTE MANAGEMENT CALENDAR



### GARBAGE, RECYCLING & ORGANICS COLLECTION

- Carts should be placed two feet apart.
- Arrows on top of cart should point towards the street.
- All excess material should be bagged and placed two feet from carts.
- Every extra bag of garbage must have a garbage tag affixed (max 5 standard-sized garbage bags).
- All food residue should be removed from recycling.
- Organics should be wrapped in newspaper or certified compostable bags (no plastic bags or packaging).

Look for these logos:



### CART SERVICES

To request a cart repair, delivery of new carts or swap a cart size, contact Service Simcoe at 1-800-263-3199 (fees may apply).

### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

To find your collection weeks, download the Simcoe County Collects App or consult the calendar on the back of this pamphlet.

### CHRISTMAS TREES

Place trees out by 7 a.m. on the Monday of your garbage collection week. Remove plastic tree bags, decorations, tinsel, lights and stands. Place trees at the end of your cleared driveway, not in snowbanks or on the road.

### LEAF AND YARD WASTE COLLECTION

Place material out by 7 a.m. on the Monday of your garbage collection week. Set out in paper yard waste bags, cardboard boxes or open-top rigid containers. Max. weight per bag/box is 20 kg (44 lbs). Bundle brush with natural twine, maximum 2 m long and 30 cm diameter.

### BATTERIES

Collection occurs November 3-6 on your regular collection day. Place battery bag on top of your closed organics cart.






### BULKY ITEM COLLECTION

For items that do not fit in your cart, contact Service Simcoe at 1-800-263-3199 to schedule a bulky item collection any time of the year (fees apply).



# WASTE FACILITY INFORMATION

Sites are open 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on listed days. Sites are closed on statutory holidays unless otherwise posted. Check the app for full fees and directions to your nearest Waste Facility.

<b>WEST GWILLIMBURY</b>	2960 Line 12, Bradford L3Z 2A5	Monday - Saturday	
<b>ORO</b>	610 Old Barrie Road West, Oro-Medonte LOL 2E0	Monday - Saturday	
<b>NOTTAWASAGA</b>	5715 County Road 64, Stayner L0M 1S0	Monday - Saturday	
<b>TOSORONTIO</b>	6815 Concession Road 4, Adjala-Tosorontio L0M 1J0	Monday - Saturday	
<b>NORTH SIMCOE</b>	1700 Golf Link Road, Tiny L0L 2J0	Monday - Saturday	
<b>COLLINGWOOD</b>	470 Tenth Line, Collingwood L9Y 5K1	Monday - Saturday	
<b>MARA</b>	5200 County Road 169, Ramara L3V 6H7	Thursday - Saturday	
<b>MATCHEDASH</b>	4546 Upper Big Chute Road, Coldwater L0K 1E0 OPEN: EASTER MONDAY • VICTORIA DAY • CIVIC HOLIDAY • LABOUR DAY • THANKSGIVING DAY	Sunday and Monday	

ACCEPTS HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE 

## WASTE DROP-OFF

Separate these materials from garbage and place in designated diversion areas.



### DIVERTIBLE ITEMS

- Concrete rubble
- Textiles
- Yard waste
- Electronics
- Scrap metal
- Cooking oil
- Tires
- CFC items (fridges, freezers, air conditioners etc)\*
- Bulky rigid plastics\*
- Drywall\*
- Wood\*
- Shingles\*
- Brush\*
- Mattresses/box springs\*
- Recycling and organics

\*Fees apply



### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DEPOT

- Paints and stains
- Automotive fluids
- Batteries (all types)
- Fire extinguishers
- Oil filters
- Motor oil containers (empty)
- Light bulbs
- Solvents
- Fuels (containers cannot be returned)
- Swimming pool/hot tub chemicals
- Household cleaners
- Mercury thermostats
- Fertilizers
- Pesticides (fungicides, herbicides, insecticides)
- Propane tanks and other gas cylinders (max 100 lbs)
- Needles & syringes (in approved containers)








\*Size and other restrictions may apply for some materials.















# ZONE 1







Waste Collection will not occur on New Year's Day and Christmas Day

Waste facilities closed on dates highlighted in red








-  Garbage
-  Organics
-  Recycling
-  Waste Facilities Closed at Noon
-  Battery
-  Christmas Tree
-  Leaf and Yard Waste

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#### IN-APP FEATURES INCLUDE:

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-  Waste Wizard
-  Simcoe Sorts waste sorting game












# ZONE 2

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-  Garbage
-  Battery
-  Organics
-  Christmas Tree
-  Recycling
-  Leaf and Yard Waste
-  Waste Facilities Closed at Noon

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# WEEKLY ORGANICS

## FOOD WASTE

- Eggs and eggshells
- Grease and fat
- Tea bags, coffee grounds, and filters
- Halloween pumpkins
- Meat, fish, and bones



## SOILED PAPER PRODUCTS



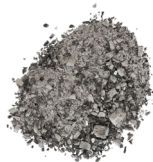
- Pizza boxes
- Waxed paper
- Microwave popcorn bags
- Paper cups (loose - not stacked)
- Paper plates, paper towels and tissues



## PET WASTE

PLACE IN A COMPOSTABLE BAG

- Household pet feces
- Kitty litter (no plastic liners)
- Cage bedding (wood and cedar shavings)
- Newspaper from bottom of bird cages



## OTHER ITEMS

- Cold wood ashes (wet and in a compostable bag)
- Dryer lint
- Feathers and hair
- Cut flowers and houseplants



# BI-WEEKLY GARBAGE

- All coffee disks and single-serve coffee pods (K-cups)
- Plastic bags and film (over wrap)
- Styrofoam packaging and peanuts
- Black plastic
- Plastic cutlery
- Diapers and wipes
- Dryer sheets
- Cotton swabs
- Feminine hygiene products
- Toys
- Vacuum bags
- Window glass (boxed and sealed)
- Wrappers (foil and plastic)
- Drinking pouches



**STILL DON'T KNOW WHERE THINGS GO?**

# BI-WEEKLY RECYCLING

## CARDBOARD & BOXBOARD

Flatten cardboard and put inside the recycling cart. If quantities are larger, flatten and bundle (max. 75x75x20 cm) beside cart.



## GLASS BOTTLES AND JARS

(LCBO and beer bottles can also be returned to The Beer Store for a refund)



## PLANT POTS AND TRAYS

(no cell packs)



## ALUMINUM PLATES AND FOIL



## PAPER

(Shredded paper must be placed in a clear bag)



## RIGID PLASTIC PACKAGING

marked:



(some exceptions apply)



## EMPTY AEROSOL, BEVERAGE, AND FOOD CANS



## SPIRAL-WOUND, GABLE TOP AND TETRA-PAK™ CONTAINERS



# SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

(See calendar for scheduled weeks)

## CHRISTMAS TREES

- Maximum size is 2 m. If longer, cut into smaller sections.



## LEAF AND YARD WASTE COLLECTION

- Leaves
- Grass
- Garden waste
- Decorative cornstalks and straw bales
- Brush bundled with natural twine, maximum 2 m long and 30 cm in diameter.



## BATTERIES

- A, AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt
- Alkaline manganese and carbon zinc
- Zinc-air dry cell batteries and button batteries



(Place bag on top of your cart by 7 a.m. on your collection day)



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