

## Recycling

### Container Bag

#### Plastic containers & bags (Empty, lids & caps on)

- ✓ -All plastic containers #1 to #7
- ✓ -All plastic bags
- ✓ -Deodorant, toothpaste & hand cream tubes
- ✓ -Milk, juice cartons & juice boxes



#### Metals

(Empty, clean, dry, lids & caps on)

- ✓ -Metal (Food cans etc)
- ✓ -Aluminum (Foil, trays, cat food cans, beverage containers)



#### Glass

(Empty, clean, dry, lids & caps off)

- ✓ -Glass bottles & jars



#### Laminated container packaging

(Empty, dry, lids & caps off)

- ✓ -Hot & cold beverage cups
- ✓ -Ice cream container, spiral cans & cookie dough package



### Paper/Fibre Bag

#### Cardboard/boxboard

- ✓ -Pizza boxes, moving boxes, shoe boxes
- ✓ -Cereal boxes, tissue boxes & paper cores



#### Paper

- ✓ -Gift wrapping paper & bag
- ✓ -Newsprint, magazines & envelope



#### Laminated paper packaging

- ✓ -Popcorn bags
- ✓ -Lined paper bags
- ✓ -Coated paper plates



Cardboard flatten 60cm x 60cm (2ft x 2ft), empty

**✗ Do not include soft or hard covered books/novels**

### Depot-Drop Off

#### Aerosol container

(non hazardous, empty, lids & caps on)

- ✓ -Hairsprays, air fresheners, food spray



#### Flexible plastics

- ✓ -Candy wrapper, chip & snack bags
- ✓ -Cereal bag liner, bubble wrap



#### Styrofoam/Foam Packaging

- ✓ -Styrofoam, styrofoam packaging & meat trays



(Empty, remove film wrap & absorbent pads from meat trays)

#### Subway Bottle Exchange

25 Pictou Road  
Bible Hill  
902-893-8312

#### Tatamagouche Recycling

102 Main St.  
Tatamagouche  
902-657-9201

#### John Ross & Sons

85 Glassey Ave.  
Truro  
902-893-9429

#### TNT Recycling

20711 HWY #2  
Shubenacadie East  
902-758-2708

- Separate materials from your refundables
- Separate materials (all styrofoam in one bag, all aerosol in one bag and so on)

# Compost & Garbage

## Compost Cart

### All food waste

✓ -All food, meat, fish & bones

✓ -Vegetables & fruits

✓ -Cooking oil & bacon grease  
(allow to cool)

### Used/Wet Paper

✓ -Coffee grinds, filters & tea bags

✓ -Used napkins & paper towels

✓ -Paper plates (uncoated)

### Yard Waste

✓ -Grass

✓ -Leaves & twigs

✓ -Pet waste & kitty litter

✗ **No poop bags,  
No biodegradable bags,  
No compostable bags**

## Garbage Bag

✓ -Dog poop bags

✓ -Cigarette butts

✓ -Broken glass (safely packaged)

✓ -Plastic straws & cutlery

✓ -Wipes (flushable, sanitizing & baby wipes)

✓ -Pots & pans

✓ -Diapers, gloves, masks & medical tests

✓ -Personal & feminine hygiene product

**All garbage taken to the Balefill Facility by residents must be in clear bags.**

## Other Programs

### Electronics Recycling

- Subway Bottle Exchange
- TNT Recycling
- Tatamagouche Recycling
- Colchester Balefill

### Used Oil Recycling

- Local Garages
- Colchester Balefill
- Clean Harbors, Debert

### Lightbulbs Recycling

- Subway Bottle Exchange
- TNT Recycling
- Clean Harbors, Debert

### Paint Recycling

- Subway Bottle Exchange
- TNT Recycling
- Tatamagouche Recycling
- John Ross & Sons

### Sharps/Needles

- Your Local Pharmacy

**For more information on Recycling Programs visit [www.colchester.ca/provincial-recycling](http://www.colchester.ca/provincial-recycling)**



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