

What Goes Where?

Your guide to disposing of waste and recyclables in Lac La Biche County. Call **(780) 623-6739** or email green@lACLAbichecounty.com if you have questions about any of what you see here.

↓ CURBSIDE PICKUP PROGRAM ↓

Recycling (BLUE CONTAINER)

PLASTIC (CLEAN)

- Hard/rigid household bottles and containers (e.g. shampoo, margarine, yogurt, labels are okay).
- Stretchy plastic bags, combine into one bag and tie closed



HOUSEHOLD METAL (CLEAN)

- Cans (labels are okay) and lids
- Aluminum trays



PAPER & CARDBOARD (CLEAN)

- Newsprint and paper (not shredded)
- Magazines and paperback books
- Gift wrap (non-metallic)
- Cardboard boxes (flattened), and box board (cereal boxes, etc.)
- Cardboard egg cartons
- Pizza boxes with food and paper liner removed



REDEEMABLE ITEMS

The following can also be redeemed for deposit at the recycling depot:

- Milk jugs and cartons
- Tetra-paks (juice boxes)
- Pop/beverage bottles, plastic only
- Pop/beverage cans



**NO GLASS
ACCEPTED**

What about STYROFOAM?



Some types of Styrofoam can be recycled at Lac La Biche County landfills and transfer stations. See the far right column for details.

Currently, Styrofoam can't be recycled through the curbside pickup program.

Can't recycle it here?

Check the [landfill/transfer station recycling column](#) for specialty recycling programs.

Waste (BROWN CONTAINER)

NON-RECYCLABLE PLASTIC

- Soiled plastic
- CDs, cassettes with tape removed
- Chip bags and candy wrappers
- Coffee pods and K-cups
- Plastic plates and cutlery



NON-RECYCLABLE HOUSEHOLD METAL

- Aluminum foil
- Soiled household metal

NON-RECYCLABLE PAPER AND CARDBOARD

- Soiled paper or cardboard (take-out containers, etc.)
- Tissue, paper towels, laminated paper items
- Pet food bags, flour bags, etc.
- Paper cups (coffee, soda, etc.)



FOOD WASTE

- Table scraps, spoiled food, cooking oil/grease (cooled)
- Meat remains/bones/shells (wrapped in newspaper; no carcasses)



NON-RECYCLABLE STYROFOAM

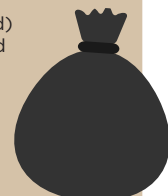
GLASS AND CERAMICS

- Plate glass, mirrors, broken glass (wrapped in paper), food jars
- Incandescent light bulbs



ORGANICS

- Pet feces/cat litter (bagged)
- Cigarette/wood ashes (cold and bagged)



HOUSEKEEPING

- Bathroom waste
- Filters (air, furnace, water, vacuum)
- Vacuum bags and floor sweepings



All items in this column can also be brought to landfills and transfer stations.



Landfills & TRANSFER STATIONS

RECYCLING OPTIONS

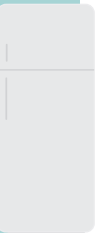


PLASTIC

- Plastics from the Recycling (Blue Container) column
- Agricultural twine (unknotted in a clear plastic bag, tied closed)

MIXED PAPER AND CARDBOARD

- Paper and cardboard items from the Recycle (Blue Container) column
- Shredded paper (must be in clear plastic bag)



APPLIANCES AND METAL

- Household metals from the Recycle (Blue Container) column
- BBQs, lawnmowers, tools, refrigerators, etc.
- Fire extinguishers and propane tanks (emptied and vented)

CEMENT, ASPHALT, SOIL, GRAVEL (landfills only — call prior to disposal)

AUTOMOTIVE AND MOTORIZED

- Tires (no tracks)
- Car parts or ATVs must have batteries and fluids removed



WOOD (no nails)

- Wood chips, stumps, brush, pallets
- Keep painted or treated wood items separate



LIGHTING

- Fluorescent tubes/ballasts, compact fluorescents, halogens, etc.

PAINTS, STAINS AND FINISHES

ELECTRONICS

- Anything with a cord or battery (including cellphones)
- Ink cartridges



BATTERIES

- Any kind, but lithium batteries must be kept separate

OIL PRODUCTS (no cooking oil / oil recycling stations now found at all landfills and transfer stations)

- Lubricating oil, free of contaminants
- Oil filters and containers

PESTICIDES AND FERTILIZERS

- Triple rinse containers, remove caps

GLYCOL AND ANTIFREEZE



STYROFOAM

- Only clean, white #6 Styrofoam
- Must be rigid, not flexible
- No packing peanuts or food containers

Extra INFO

Get the most out of our
WASTE & RECYCLING
management programs.

GOT A QUESTION?
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Curbside Container Rules:

To ensure your containers are emptied,
please follow these directions.



1. **Add acceptable materials** to each container. Refer to **What Goes Where** for a list of acceptable materials.
2. **Recyclables** need to be within **transparent bags** in the blue recycling container. **Waste items** need to be within **bags of any colour** in the brown waste container.
3. **Close the lid securely** to prevent littering.
4. **Park it by 8 am** on collection days, **with wheels against the curb** (or just off the roadway) and the front side facing the centre of the road.
5. **Leave an arm's length of clearance** on all sides.

NO RESIDENTIAL TIPPING FEES !

Our landfills and transfer stations **DO NOT** charge tipping fees for loads of residential waste and recyclables that weigh less than 500 kg (approx. 1,100 lbs) in total.

REUSE CENTRES



**You never know
what you'll find!**

All of our landfills and transfer stations feature Reuse Centres, where you can drop off and pick up clean, gently used items at no charge. For health reasons, items like clothing, bedding and childcare items like cribs are not accepted.



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE ROUND-UPS

Held annually
in June & Oct.

Household Hazardous Waste Round-Ups are your opportunity to safely dispose of hazardous items that are not normally accepted at landfills and transfer stations. These events are for **RESIDENTIAL** hazardous waste items only.

Examples of household hazardous waste may include:

Aerosols (e.g. spray paint, hair spray, etc.)
Corrosive or toxic cleaning products
Darkroom chemicals
Poisons for insect and rodent control, etc.

Call (780) 623-6739 if unsure! Hazardous items can harm the environment if they are not disposed of safely and properly.



SCHEDULES: WHAT GOES WHEN?

LANDFILLS AND TRANSFER STATIONS CURBSIDE PICKUP PROGRAM

Open year-round, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on the days noted.

Beaver Lake Landfill: Monday-Saturday
Plamondon Landfill: Tuesday-Saturday

Craigend TS: Wednesdays and Saturdays
Hylo TS: Wednesdays and Saturdays
Owl River TS: Tuesdays and Saturdays
Rich Lake TS: Tuesdays and Saturdays

Hamlet of Lac La Biche: Tuesdays
Plamondon, rural subdivisions: Wednesdays

Note: Statutory holidays may affect landfill and transfer station hours and curbside collection dates.

Where's the nearest waste and recycling management site?

Call (780) 623-6739 and we'll help you find it. Sites are located throughout the County, to help ensure all residents have reasonable access.

COMPOSTING FOR ORGANIC WASTE



Consider composting for leaf and yard waste, leftover food scraps and other organic waste, rather than just disposing of it.

Tumbling composters are sold at our County Centre office (13422 Highway 881) for \$72 each, plus GST.



Green Cones are also available. Green cones harness the power of the sun to break down and digest food waste, including some items like bones that can't be composted. If you use it correctly, more than 90% of what you put in it will be absorbed by the surrounding soil.

Green Cones are sold at our County Centre office (13422 Highway 881) for \$116 each, plus GST.

