How to Sort Your Waste

Below is a list of is and what is not acceptable to be placed in Peel recycling carts.

For more information you may go to http://www.peelregion.ca/waste



Food and Left-overs:

Place this item into your organics (green) cart. You may line your organics cart with newspaper, paper bags or certified compostable (BPI or BNQ Certified Compostable Approved) plastic bags. **Note**: This material does not go in the recycling cart or a clear or blue transparent plastic bag.



Clothing and Footwear:

Reusable items in good condition may be dropped off at donation drop off areas at Community Recycling Centre locations. Also consider donation to local charities such as the Salvation Army, consignment or local retailers. Alternatively this item can be collected at the curb side as garbage on your scheduled garbaged collection day.



Takeout Coffee Cups:

The coating on the inside and outside of takeout coffee cups and other takeout beverage cups makes this container non-recyclable and non-compostable within the Region of Peel. Put this item in the garbage. *So, NO Timmies cups.*.



Video and Audio Cassettes:

If in good condition consider donation to local charities such as the Salvation Army. Alternatively, this item can be collected at the curb side as garbage on your scheduled garbage collection day. **Note**: *Empty plastic cassette or video tape boxes are recyclable. Put empty cassette or video boxes, printed paper sleeves and inserts into your recycling cart or a clear or blue transparent plastic bag.*



Yard Waste:

Place your yard waste at the curb in **labelled**, open, rigid, reusable containers, or paper yard waste bags weighing no more than 20 kgs (44 lbs) each. Brush and tree trimmings must be 10 cm (4 in.) or less in diameter to be collected at the curb. Yard waste such as tree limbs, branches and trunks larger than 10 cm (4 inches) in diameter, must be cut to 1.2 m (4 feet lengths) and delivered to a Community Recycling Center **Note:** Fees Apply





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