

Garbage & Recycling must be at curb by 7 am.

Collection time/schedule is subject to change.

Tree Recycling Depots open: December 26, 2023

Leaf & Yard Waste pickup: October 27, 2023



Garbage




Recycling












Leaf & Yard Waste
















3rd Item








JULY		
FRI	7	 
FRI	14	
FRI	21	 
FRI	28	

AUGUST		
FRI	4	 
FRI	11	
FRI	18	 
FRI	25	

SEPTEMBER		
FRI	1	 
FRI	8	 
FRI	15	 
FRI	22	
FRI	29	 

OCTOBER		
FRI	6	
FRI	13	 
FRI	20	
FRI	27	  

NOVEMBER		
FRI	3	
FRI	10	 
FRI	17	
FRI	24	 

DECEMBER		
FRI	1	
FRI	8	 
FRI	15	
FRI	22	 
FRI	29	

GARBAGE COLLECTION

- At the curb before 7 am collection day or after 4 pm on the previous day
- Maximum 2 items:
 - 1 item = 1 can or bag of garbage;
 - A 3rd item will be collected only if tagged
- Wrap broken glass/sharp objects
- Wrap, double bag & seal animal waste
- No item tag is required for a 3rd item of waste on the first collection day after New Year's Day, Victoria Day, and Labour Day

LEAF & YARD WASTE COLLECTION

- Leaves, bundled branches and garden waste collection (spring & fall)
- No grass clippings
- Kraft (paper bags) only – no bag limit
- Bundle branches with rope – must be less than 1 m/39" long; less than 61 cm/24" diameter

CONTAINER BY-LAW REQUIREMENTS

- Maximum weight per item 18 kg/40 lbs
- Cardboard boxes may NOT be used for waste

BAGS



- Black or green only
 - 1.5 mm thick
 - Tied to prevent spillage
- Minimum Size:** 66 cm wide x 91 cm high (26" x 36")

Maximum weight:
18 kg (40 lbs.)

CANS



- Durable plastic/ metal containers with handles & tight-fitting lid (not secured to can)
- Maximum combined weight of can & contents:**
18 kg (40 lbs).
- Maximum volume:**
135 L (30 gal)
- Maximum height:**
81 cm (32") without lid

SAFETY TIPS

- No liquid waste, medical sharps (needles)
- Construction waste (plaster) not accepted
- Place garbage at ground level (not on snowbanks)

COLLECTION REMINDER SERVICE

Download the app or sign up for email, phone or tweet reminders.

It's easy and free, visit:

thunderbay.ca/Recollect
or call 625-2195



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Garbage Collection: 625-2195

Recycling (GFL): 577-0411

THUNDER BAY SOLID WASTE & RECYCLING FACILITY

Landfill Site Hotline: 623-5756

WEEKDAYS: 8 am-6:30 pm

SATURDAYS: 8 am-4:30 pm

SUNDAYS: CLOSED

Questions? Call 625-2195

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Tree Recycling Depots close: January 12, 2024

Leaf & Yard Waste: May 24, 2024



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3rd Item







JANUARY		
FRI	5	  
FRI	12	
FRI	19	 
FRI	26	

FEBRUARY		
FRI	2	 
FRI	9	
FRI	16	 
FRI	23	

MARCH		
FRI	1	 
FRI	8	
FRI	15	 
FRI	22	
*DATE CHANGE		 
THURS	28	

APRIL		
FRI	5	
FRI	12	 
FRI	19	
FRI	26	 

MAY		
FRI	3	
FRI	10	 
FRI	17	
FRI	24	   
FRI	31	

JUNE		
FRI	7	 
FRI	14	
FRI	21	 
FRI	28	

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Dumping on streets or public property is illegal
- Householder is responsible for clean-up of improperly set out garbage

CURBSIDE RECYCLING	(BAG 2) PAPER	RECYCLING DEPOTS
(No bag limit) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Place sorted recyclables in see-through blue plastic bags• Place recycling bags 1.5 m (5 ft) away from your garbage at the curb• Maximum bag weight is 18 kg (40 lbs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Newspapers, flyers, magazines, catalogues & soft cover books• Household fine paper• Paper egg cartons• Boxboard boxes (eg. cereal) Gift Wrap is NOT recyclable	(Hours of operation subject to change.) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Front St. at McIntyre St.• Mountdale Ave. at Walsh St.• Solid Waste & Recycling Facility Mon. - Fri. 8 am-6:30 pm Saturdays - 8 am-4:30 pm Closed Sundays & holidays
(BAG 1) CONTAINERS	CARDBOARD	RECYCLING TIPS:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Glass, metal food & beverage containers• Pop cans• Clean aluminum foil containers• Plastic containers with #1 to #7 symbol• Tetra Paks & milk cartons	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cardboard in bundles 90 cm x 60 cm x 30 cm (3 ft x 2 ft x 1 ft) broken down flat & tied with string or rope• Clean pizza boxes only	Replace this section with: -Clean off food residue and empty liquids from containers -Styrofoam and plastic film are not accepted -Visit thunderbay.ca/recycle to use the Waste Wizard and learn more

FOR MORE INFO: Garbage Collection: 625-2195 Recycling (GFL): 577-0411

THUNDER BAY SOLID WASTE & RECYCLING FACILITY – 5405 Mapleward Road

Vehicles are charged based on weight of load. \$10 for less than 120 kg.
Subject to change.

Loads must be secured and covered. Before leaving home, sort your load so materials can be taken off in these laydown areas:

- Recycling depot
- Household Hazardous Waste Depot
- Electronic waste bin
- Metal bin
- Garbage bin
- Tire bin
- Leaf & yard waste compost area

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