

Shelburne Shared Service Sorting Guide

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Organics (Green Cart)



All food waste including meat, fish, dairy, bones, fruit, vegetables, coffee filters and tea bags.

Wet and dirty paper such as paper towel, napkins, coffee cups, tissues, pizza boxes and wrapping paper.



Plant material, leaf and yard waste, saw dust, wood

Recycling (Blue bags only)

Blue Bag # 1 - Paper/Boxboard Products



All paper, boxboard newspaper, magazines, cereal and cracker boxes, Frozen food boxes, pasta boxes, soft & hardcover books.

Blue Bag #2 - Recyclable Containers

Plastic containers such as condiments, milk, peanut butter and yogurt. Plastic bags such as bread, cereal and produce bags. Beverage containers.



Glass, metal and tin cans.

Garbage (Clear bags only)



Pet waste
Styrofoam,
toothpaste tubes, diapers, small appliances, broken toys.

Pet food bags, candy bar wrappers, binders, strawberry and clementine boxes



Broken glass, empty aerosol cans, mattresses, box spring, furniture.

Absolutely **NO** plastic bags, metals or glass are permitted in the green cart.

Biodegradable bags **MUST** have this logo to be accepted :



**** NEW: 2 BAG SYSTEM FOR RECYCLEBLES. ****

Please separate your recyclables into two separate bags: Paper and box-board items in one bag and containers, metal, tin and glass in a separate bag. ALL recyclables should be clean and dry to avoid rejection.

Absolutely no organics or recyclables are to be placed in your clear garbage bags.

Do not use feed bags, dog food or other such bags as a garbage bag.

Household batteries can be dropped off at the Municipality offices.