

FOOD / YARD WASTE Green Lid WEEKLY collection

PREPARATION

- All material must fit in the cart with the lid fully closed.
- To avoid conflicts with wildlife, DO NOT place your cart out before 5:00am on your collection day. Always store food waste in a secured/enclosed area.

ACCEPTED FOOD/YARD WASTE

- ✓ Fruits & vegetables (remove stickers)
- All cooked and uncooked foods
- Meat, bones, food scraps
- Food soiled paper (napkins, coffee filters)
- Paper bags and food soiled newspaper
- Grass clippings and leaves
- Weeds and plant trimmings
- Prunings and branches up to 5cm (2in) diameter and less than 1m (3ft) long
- Pine needles and cones
- ✓ Fruit tree droppings
- × NO plastics including compostable plastic
- X NO plastic bags including compostable bags



GARBAGE Black Lid **BI-WEEKLY** collection

PREPARATION

- All material must be placed in the cart. with the lid fully closed.
- No yard & garden waste or recyclables.
- To avoid conflicts with wildlife, DO NOT place your cart out before 5:00am on your collection day. Always store garbage in a secured/enclosed area.

ACCEPTED GARBAGE

- ✓ Regular garbage
- ✓ Diapers
- ✓ Animal waste, loose grit/sawdust (must be bagged)
- ✓ Cling wrap/cellophane
- ✓ Broken glass, mirror & ceramics (wrap in cardboard before placing in cart)
- X NO demolition or construction materials
- X NO hazardous materials or pressurized tanks



PREPARATION

- Place all clean recyclables loosely in the cart with the lid fully closed.
- Never use bags or stuff materials inside each other.
- All cardboard/boxboard must fit inside the cart.
- Take all refundable beverage containers to a bottle depot. Glass bottles and jar containers are not accepted in curbside collection, but can be recycled at the Summerland Landfill Recycling Depot.

ACCEPTED PAPER AND PACKAGING

- ✓ Mixed paper, newspaper and newspaper inserts, boxboard and cardboard (no wax coated)
- ✓ Shredded paper (put in paper bag or cardboard box and place inside recycling cart)
- ✓ Dry goods paper packaging
- ✓ Pizza boxes
- ✓ Cartons and paper cups

- ✓ Plastic bottles, jugs, jars and cups
- ✓ Plastic hard packaging
- ✓ Plastic garden pots and travs
- ✓ Plastic tubs, trays and clamshells
- ✓ Empty aerosol cans and caps
- ✓ Aluminum or steel cans
- ✓ Aluminum foil and foil containers
- ✓ Plastic single use utensils

With weekly vard waste / food scraps collection, the District will no longer provide unlimited yard and garden waste curbside collections. For excess yard waste, please use Tag-a-Bags or bring directly to Summerland Landfill.

Extra Garbage or Yard Waste?

Tag-a-bag stickers can be purchased at Municipal Hall. Use plastic bags for garbage and paper bags for extra yard waste.

Display the tag-a-bag sticker clearly on each extra bag and place it at the curb along with your cart on your regular scheduled collection day for that material.



Want to change the size of your carts?

Complete a Cart Change-Out Request form. Please visit summerland.ca/solidwaste for more information.

How to Use Your Curbside Collection Carts

Place carts out no earlier than 5:00am on your collection day: **Close It**—Ensure the lid is securely closed.

Point It– The arrow on the cart lid must point towards the road.

Calendar app.

Place It— Ensure at least 1m (3ft) of space on all sides and 3m (10ft) clearance above. No vehicles within 1.5m (5ft) of carts.







Eggs, cheese. grains, rice, pasta





What Can Go In The Green Cart!

Fruits, vegetables, (remove stickers) coffee









Yard Waste, grass, leaves, prunings, pine needles

Collection Reminders

Don't miss a collection day! Visit www.summerland.ca/solidwaste and "Get a reminder!" for your property each week by e-mail, phone or on your personal calendar. Enter your address under the Recollect



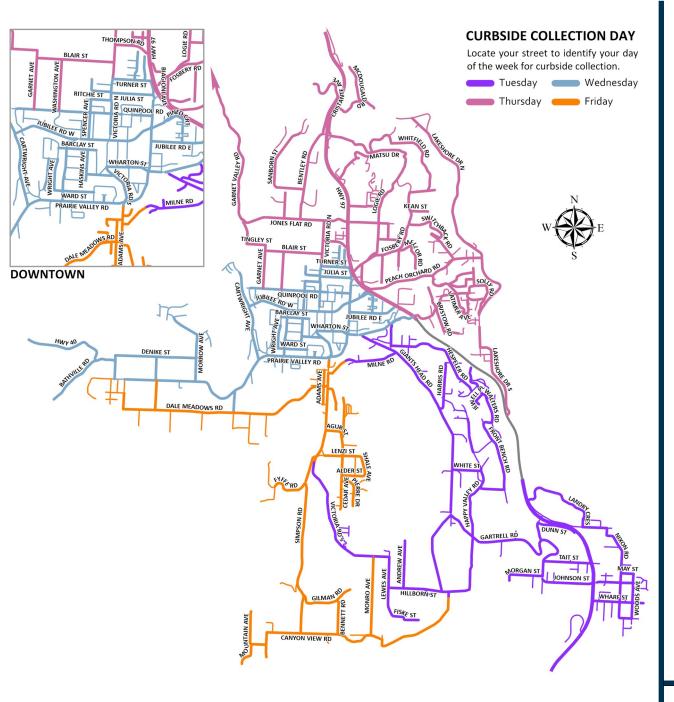








Food soiled paper (napkins, coffee filters, paper tea bags, paper plates, food soiled paper bags)



Sign up at www.summerland.ca/solidwaste to receive collection reminders and curbside service alerts.



If you have questions about your curbside collection or to inquire about a missed or delayed collection, please contact Waste Connections of Canada at 250-490-3888.



Curbside Collection Calendar July 2025—June 2026

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Food / Yard Waste and Garbage Food / Yard Waste and Recycling carts collected Recycling Depot at Summerland Arena

*Thursday Christmas and New Years Day Collections to Saturday! No other changes.

One-Day Recycling Depots at Summerland Arena

OPEN: 8:00am to 3:00pm on Sep 20, 2025 and Apr 18, 2026

Foam Packaging - Flexible Plastics - Glass Containers (non-refundable) - Electronics -Batteries (residential only) - Small Appliances - Light Bulbs/Lighting Fixtures - Smoke Alarms

