

WHAT CAN I RECYCLE IN BOW VALLEY MUNICIPAL PROGRAMS

Acceptable

Not Acceptable

CARDBOARD

- Boxboard
- Corrugated cardboard
- Cardboard egg cartons and drink trays
- Box board (cereal box, paper towel rolls, etc.)

- Dirty cardboard (oily, excessive paint, food coated)
- Coated, plasticized or waxy cardboard
- Non-beverage Tetra packs (e.g. soup, broth, etc.)
- Plastic liners (e.g. pet food bags)

GLASS

- Jars and bottles without lids, any colours

- Mirrors or windows
- Cookware, tableware or ceramic materials
- Light bulbs and fluorescent tubes

METAL

- Cans with or without labels
- Aluminum foil and plates (pie plates, etc.)
- Metal lids

- Hangers, metal fasteners & paper clips
- Chip bags and other plastic-aluminum bags
- Batteries

PAPER

- Newspapers
- Glossy paper (magazines, etc.)
- Brown paper (kraft bags or wrap)
- Office paper (white, colour or shredded)
- Envelopes with or without window

- Padded envelopes and bubble plastic envelopes
- Carbon paper
- Plasticized or waxy paper
- Elastic bands, paper clips or metal fasteners
- Cellophane or food wrapping

PLASTICS – #1 to #7

- Food jars, bottles and containers (peanut butter, margarine, ketchup, mustards, etc.)
- Cosmetic containers (shampoo, cream, etc.)
- Cleaning product containers (window cleaner, etc.)
- Hard plastic egg cartons and other hard food trays (berry, vegetable trays etc.)

- Plastics foam (food trays, meat trays, packing etc.)
- Any plastic without a triangle & number
- Plastic bags (grocery stores accept their bags back)
- Single-serving condiment containers (jam, cream, etc.)
- Plastic toxic product containers
- Plastic film and wrap (liners, shrink wrap, food wrap)

REFUNDABLE – BOTTLE DEPOT

- All ready-to-drink beverage containers: plastic bottles & jugs, metal cans, juice boxes & pouches, bag-in-a-box, glass bottles (beer, pop, milk, cream, juice, wine, etc.)

- Soup & broth boxes etc. that are similar to drink boxes
- Coffee to-go box

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FOOD WASTE – BANFF ONLY

- Raw or cooked vegetables & fruits including pits, peelings, rinds, tops, cores & husks, etc.
- Rice, bread, cereal, pasta, tortillas, pies, pastries, etc.
- Tea bags, tea leaves, coffee grounds & paper filters
- Uncoated paper soiled with food
- Cheese, eggshells, wooden popsicle & stir sticks

- Elastic bands, twist ties, straws, stickers & plastic labels
- Plastic bags, unapproved compostable bags
- Large bones & large amounts of meat
- Foil & plastic food wrappers, unapproved plastic bags
- Yard waste
- Food waste mixed with other waste

ELECTRONICS

- Computers, laptops, monitors, keyboard, mouse, printers, speakers, cables, etc.
- Televisions, radios, DVD, CD & Blu-ray players
- Microwaves, toasters-ovens & small appliances

- Small fridge & water coolers
- Large appliances (fridges, stoves etc.)

FLUORESCENT TUBES & BULBS

- Fluorescent tubes
- Compact fluorescent bulbs

- Incandescent bulbs

SCRUB & BRUSH

- Trees and shrubs
- Branches and woody plant material
- Logs and Stumps

- Plastic bags
- Scrap wood
- Food waste, pumpkins or other non-woody material

LEAVES & GRASS

- Leaves and grass
- Non-woody house plants
- Yard plants without pots

- Plastic bags
- Pet waste
- Food waste, pumpkins

BATTERIES

- Automotive batteries
- Rechargeable batteries

- Single-use household batteries

AUTOMOTIVE TIRES

- Passenger car tires
- Truck tires

- Tubes & rims
- Bicycle tires

BICYCLE TIRES – CANMORE ONLY

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- Tubes & rims

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