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Household Hazardous Waste Disposal

It's important to responsibly recycle and dispose of hazardous waste. In some cases, our safety and our lives depend on it! Hazardous waste can explode or ignite when processed at the landfill and during the recycling process, which can turn a regular household item into something dangerous or deadly.

What is hazardous waste?

Items that are corrosive, flammable, poisonous, or explosive are considered hazardous. Common household hazardous waste products are paint and paint-related products, aerosol cans, propane canisters, cleaning products, and batteries. Let's all be part of the solution to help prevent tragedies. Do not put hazardous materials in your recycling bins, garbage cans, drains, or toilets.

What should I do with my household hazardous waste?

A new year-round residential household hazardous waste drop-off facility servicing Kamloops and the Thompson-Nicola Regional District (TNRD) free of charge is now open. The facility is located at 480 Okanagan Way (Kamloops) in the Mount Paul Industrial Park and is open to the public five days a week, Tuesday through Saturday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Residential-source quantities of the following items are accepted:

- adhesives, caulking, sealants
- cleaning products (e.g. all-purpose and household cleaners, degreasers, furniture polishes, rust and lime removers)
- compressed gas
- fire extinguishers
- flammable liquids
- diesel*
- gasoline* and gas/oil mixtures
- household paint, paint-related materials
- hot tub and pool chemicals
- known products in unmarked containers (e.g. paint in a container other than the original paint can)
- mercury-containing items
- pesticides, fertilizers
- propane canisters and tanks
- unknown products in unmarked/unlabelled containers
- used oil, filters, and antifreeze

*must be in an approved ulc container (jerry can); container will not be returned

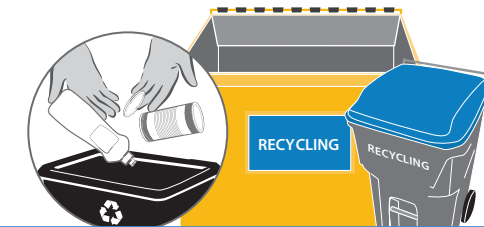
For more information and a full guide to what is accepted and what is not accepted, visit Kamloops.ca/HHW or TNRD.ca/HHW.

New Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Facility

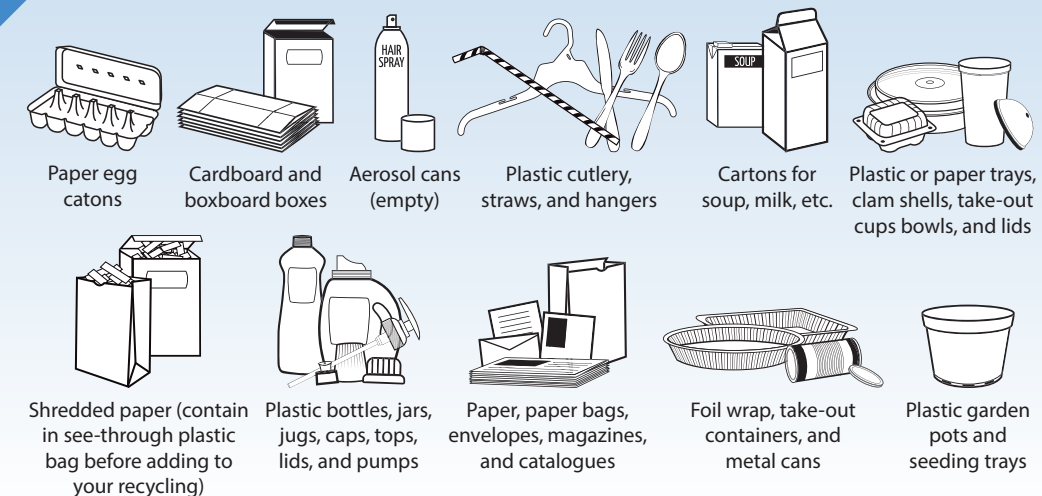


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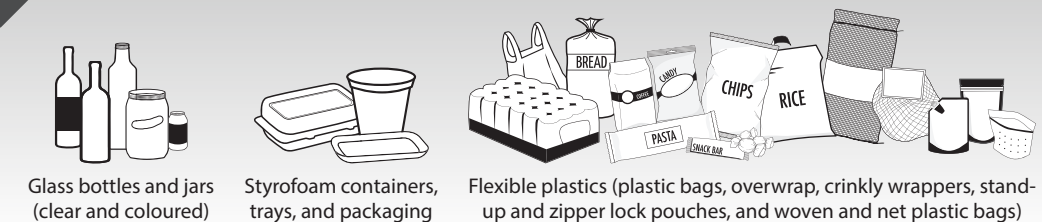
(Use the Waste Wise app to find out how to properly dispose of unaccepted items.)



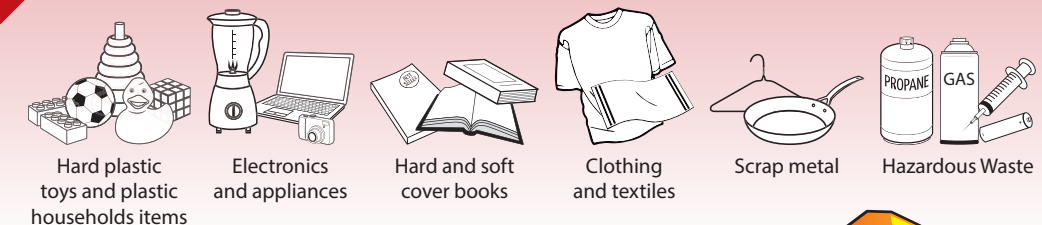
ACCEPTED ITEMS (Please empty and rinse containers, place items loose in your recycling bin or cart, don't nest or stack items, and cut down cardboard into magazine-sized pieces)



DEPOT DROP-OFF ONLY (Do not place in bin or cart)



NOT ACCEPTED (Do not place in bin or cart)



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