

# General Guidelines

- Contents must fit in bins with the lid closed. If items don't fit in the carts with the lid closed, you can either save those items for the next pick up day, or bring them to the transfer site (fees may apply).
- Items in the Black Cart must be bagged
- Items in the Blue Cart must be loose (with the exception of shredded paper or plastic film/bags)
- Items in the Green Cart may be loose or bagged in compostable bags
- Report damaged or missing carts at [www.rockyview.ca/LangdonWaste](http://www.rockyview.ca/LangdonWaste)

# Transfer Site

When you have materials that can't be disposed of in the carts, take them to the Langdon transfer site (505 Railway Avenue, fees may apply), Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.



# Placement of Carts

Carts should be placed on the street **no earlier than 6 p.m. the evening before and no later than 7 a.m. the day of collection (Green Carts on Tuesdays, Blue and Black Carts on Thursdays)**. Carts must be off the street within 18 hours after collection.

Use the chart below to help you place your carts correctly.



# Langdon Waste Collection Reference Guide



## Blue Carts - clean, dry materials, free of debris

### Cardboard



#### Acceptable

Flattened and broken down, coffee cup sleeves, cereal boxes

#### Not acceptable

Greasy contaminated cardboards

### Metal



#### Acceptable

Aluminum foil, pie plates, tin cans; rinsed, with labels removed

#### Not acceptable

Aerosol cans

### Mixed paper



#### Acceptable

Egg cartons (paper), shredded paper (in a clear plastic bag), envelopes, magazines, newspaper and inserts

#### Not acceptable

Loose shredded paper, composite materials (items with two materials, such as cardboard coffee cans with metal rims and bottoms)

### Glass



#### Acceptable

Clear, clean glass, with labels removed

#### Not acceptable

Mirrors, perfume bottles, coloured glass, ceramics, lightbulbs, Pyrex, windshields

### Plastic



#### Acceptable

Rigid plastic containers such as those used for laundry detergent, dish soap, yogurt, and other food containers, plastic film (bagged)

#### Not acceptable

Polystyrene, household hazardous waste containers, single cup coffee pods or cups, toys, pens, straws, laundry baskets, potato chip or cereal bags, plastic cutlery

### Refundable containers



#### Acceptable

Best to take those to the bottle depot but are accepted in the cart.

## Green Carts - organic materials

### Food scraps



#### Acceptable

Table scraps, meat, fish, chicken, bones, baked goods, bread, pasta, grains, rice, fruits and vegetables, oils, grease, sauces, salad dressings, jams, dairy products, eggs, eggshells, coffee grounds and filters, nuts, seeds

### Paper food containers



#### Acceptable

Soiled paper plates, cups, napkins, paper towels, cardboard and non-waxed fast food containers, coffee filters, tea bags, compostable coffee pods

#### Not acceptable

Fountain drink cups, coffee cups, and ice cream containers as these have a waxy liner

### Yard Waste



#### Acceptable

Grass clippings, leaves, branches up to a 2.5 cm (1") diameter, wood shavings/sawdust

#### Not acceptable

Dirt, topsoil, weeds, sod, cat or dog waste, diapers

*NOTE: outdated or unused medications as well as sharps can be dropped off at pharmacies for special disposal*

## Black Carts - household garbage



#### Acceptable

Bagged household garbage, pet waste, diapers

#### Not acceptable

Grass and yard waste, household hazardous waste, flammable or combustible materials

## Transfer Site - these items can be taken to the Langdon transfer site

- Household hazardous waste
  - Sharp items unless properly contained in a puncture resistant receptacle or packaging before being placed in your black cart
  - Flammable, combustible or oxidizing materials waste motor oil, oil filters, or oil containers
  - Tires
  - Trees, tree stumps, logs, land-clearing debris, timber and fence posts more than 100 mm in diameter
  - Small amounts of home renovation waste
  - Batteries
  - Clothing donations
  - Extra leaf and yard waste
  - Lightbulbs including fluorescent tubes
  - Appliances
  - Christmas trees
- For a complete list of materials accepted at the transfer site, please visit [www.rockyview.ca/LangdonWaste](http://www.rockyview.ca/LangdonWaste)