



TOWN OF BRIGUS

RECYCLING INFORMATION AND ADVICE

Sort It:

- Sort recyclables into two types— containers and paper products.
- Make sure everything's clean. Rinse food containers so there's no food left inside. It's especially important to rinse milk cartons, as milk will go sour quickly.
- Remove the lids and caps from your containers and remove wrap or plastic from boxes and paper.

Bag It:

- Stash paper products and containers into separate, see-through bags. This is important— we can only take recyclables that aren't mixed together.
- Use only see-through plastic bags that you can buy at most retail stores where you normally buy your garbage bags.
- Cardboard can be put in a tied up blue bag or can be broken down and placed in bundles at the curb. If bundled it must measure no more than 2ft by 2ft by 1ft, or else it won't fit in the recycling truck. DO NOT bundle cardboard and then put it in a see-through bag; either bundle it or bag it.
- Put loose recyclables in your see-through plastic bag (ie. don't put them within smaller plastic bags, and then in your clear plastic bag.) The see-through plastic bags are recyclable, but the other smaller ones are not.

Curb It:

- Set your separated see-through bags at the curb on recycling day.
- Recycling doesn't need to be covered with a net, blanket or put in a container.

Recycling Collection:

- Recycling is collected biweekly.
- Recycling must be put in regular sized see-through bags only.
- There is no limit to the number of recycling bags set out to the curb.
- Rinse your food containers before recycling them.
- Cardboard can be in a bag or broken down and bundled with overall dimensions not exceeding 2 feet by 2 feet by 1 foot.

What can be recycled at the curb?

Separate bag for CONTAINERS



Aluminum Trays

e.g. pie plates, baking trays & more



Aluminum Cans

e.g. pop cans, beer cans & more



Milk & Juice Cartons



Plastic Trays & Tubs

e.g. butter & sour cream tubs, vegetable & fruit trays, plastic berry containers



Plastic Food Containers

e.g. ketchup, mustard, yogurt & more



Plastic Cleaning Product Containers

e.g. bleach, liquid laundry detergent, all-purpose cleaner, spray bottles, windshield wash bottles & more



Plastic Toiletries Containers

e.g. shampoo, liquid soap, mouthwash, contact lens solution, body wash & more



Plastic Drink Bottles

e.g. water, pop, liquor & more



Steel (Tin) Cans

e.g. soup cans, bean cans, tuna cans, coffee cans & more



Tetra Pak Containers

e.g. juice boxes, soup containers & more

Separate bag for PAPER



Newspaper, Flyers & Junk Mail



Magazines, Catalogues & Phone Books



Writing & Computer Paper

e.g. lined, white, coloured



Envelopes

e.g. paper and plastic window envelopes, but not bubble or insulated envelopes



Books

Remove hardcovers



Boxboard

e.g. cereal, cracker, detergent boxes, frozen food boxes & more



Egg Cartons

Just the cardboard kind, not the styrofoam kind



Take Out Drink Trays



Empty Paper Towel & Toilet Paper Rolls

Just the empty cardboard rolls, not the toilet paper or paper towels themselves



Corrugated Cardboard

Must be in a tied-up blue bag or bundled to no more than 2 ft x 2 ft x 1 ft

Only plastic drink bottles can be recycled in the outdoor bins throughout the Town of Brigus. All other recycling is done at the curb with your other household waste.