



Business Curbside Recycling

Limited to **5 Blue Boxes** and **2 tied bundles of cardboard** per collection.

Paper



Household paper



Newspapers & flyers



Egg cartons, tubes & boxes
Flatten and remove plastics



Magazines, catalogues & books
Remove hard covers



Cardboard boxes
Flatten and tie in bundles up to 75 cm x 75 cm x 20 cm
Drop off oversized or large quantities at an EnviroDepot



Containers



Glass bottles & jars
Remove food and rinse



Cartons
e.g. milk, juice, soup
Cardboard cans
e.g. frozen juice cans
Ice cream tubs



Plastic containers
e.g. cups, bottles, jugs, tubs, pots, trays and clamshells



Rigid plastic
e.g. packaging around toys, batteries, etc.



Steel cans
Please rinse. Place lids inside.
Empty metal paint cans
Remove lids
Empty aerosol cans
Aluminum foil & containers



Recycling DOs

- Empty or rinse all containers
- Use 2 or more Blue Boxes
- Maximum weight is 18 kg (40 lbs)
- Use Blue Boxes between 45-95 L
- Sort it Right!

Recycling DON'Ts

Paper: Unbagged shredded paper, waxed or foiled paper & boxes, construction paper, gift wrap, photos or wood

Glass: Broken glass, dishes, drinking glasses, ceramics, light bulbs, mirrors, window panes

Plastic: All wraps, films, packaging, bags, pouches, cutlery, Styrofoam™, foam packaging, hangers, toys, dishes, coffee pods

Metal: Hangers, pots & pans, appliances

Other: Hazardous & Special Products (see back), all medical waste, wooden food crates

Recyclables in these containers will **NOT** be collected:



Hazardous and Special Products (HSP)

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HSP is any waste that might be flammable, corrosive, toxic, or explosive and does not belong in regular garbage or recycling.

Businesses may dispose of small quantities of HSP at the Depot for no charge but must complete a Small Quantity Exemption form.

See london.ca/hsp for additional information.

HSP examples:

- automotive fluids • batteries • cleaning fluids
- fats & oils • fluorescent bulbs & tubes
- paints & thinners • pesticides & fertilizers
- propane & other pressurized tanks

HSP Depot: 3502 Manning Dr. London

Hours: Open All Year

Monday to Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

CLOSED SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS



Businesses do not receive bulk item or furniture collection.

Large items can be taken to the landfill for disposal; metal items and appliances can be recycled at no charge at the landfill (3502 Manning Drive).

The Green Bin program is not provided to businesses.



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ZONE B1

ZONE B2

Business Garbage & Recycling Calendar

October 2025 - September 2026



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IMPORTANT Starting January 1, 2026, as per provincial government regulation, the City of London will no longer be responsible for the Blue Box Program. The program will be managed by Circular Materials, a national non-profit organization, that focuses only on materials collected from households.

As of September 1, 2025, it is not known if small business recycling services will continue to be available or funded by the City of London in 2026. Updates will be posted on London.ca/recycle.



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3-1-1 (within London)
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Business Curbside Collection

Eligible business can receive weekly garbage collection.

All garbage must be bagged for collection.

- Maximum weight for a bag is 20 kg (44 lbs).
- Maximum size is 125 L.
- Maximum 12 bags per collection.
- Loose items or open bags will not be collected.
- Garbage in cans will not be collected.
- All mirrors, glass, or sharp items must be sealed separately in cardboard and labeled 'caution sharps' for collection.

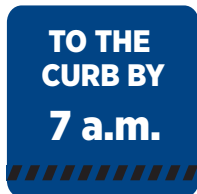


Place garbage or recycling to curb by 7 a.m. on collection day, but not before 6 p.m. the night before.

Scavengers and animals may rip open bags left out overnight, making them uncollectable. Setting out bags in the morning before 7 a.m. can prevent scavenging.

Please keep collectors safe by placing waste on level ground, within 1 m of the curb and not on snowbanks.

Trade waste such as wooden pallets, discarded inventory, equipment and machine parts are not collectable at the curb.



Business Collection Schedule

October 2025 - September 2026

ZONE B1

ZONE B2

NOTE: Curbside recycling is only available until the end of December 2025. See note on front cover for more information.

IMPORTANT: See note on the front cover about recycling service in 2026.

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Holiday - No collection

Circular Materials takes over Blue Box program

Collection day moves one day ahead

Garbage

Recycling