



## The Village of Burk's Falls 2024 Recycling Program

### UPDATES FOR 2024

- Curbside collection of recycling will continue to be every Thursday alternating between Fiber and Container pick up.
- Container recycling must be sorted, rinsed, and placed loosely in a Blue Box to make it easier to sort.
- Small loose fibers such as paper shredding must be placed in a clear bag to minimize litter.
- Recycling must be out to the curb by 8:00 am.
- When recyclables are not picked up, a sticker will be affixed indicating why it was left behind. If the reason is still unclear, contact Waste Connections at 1-800-461-4448.

### QUESTIONS?

Contact:  
The Village of Burk's Falls  
705-382-3138  
Waste Connections  
1-800-461-4448

The Village of Burk's Falls thanks you for your continued efforts to reduce waste and the footprint we have on our environment

### WHAT CAN BE RECYCLED?

#### Fibers:

Newspapers



Tim Hortons Cup



Magazines/Catalogues/Phone Books



Hard & Soft Covered Books



Junk Mail and Office Paper



Milk Cartons and TetraPaks



Boxboard (cracker/cereal boxes etc.)

Spiral Wound Tubes (Pringles, concentrated juice packages etc.)

Corrugated Cardboard (breakdown no larger than 40"x40"x8" or 100cmx100cmx20cm). Loose cardboard must be bundled and tied together

#### Containers:

\*Please rinse first

Cans (pop, soup etc.) Don't crush



Plastic Bottles (water, pop, juice etc.)

Plastic Tubs and Jugs (sour cream, yogurt, laundry detergent etc.)



Glass Bottles and Jars

Empty, Dry Paint Cans (take lid off)

Aerosols (empty health, beauty, food aerosols only)

Grocery bags and Plastic film (newspaper bags, saran wrap etc.)



### DID YOU KNOW?

Waste Connections uses a truck that has a split body to collect recyclable materials and waste. This means the truck has two sections and even though it may appear both recycling and garbage are being placed in the same compartment, they are in fact being deposited into two sections of the truck which are dumped and processed separately.



### BURK'S FALLS RATES LOW

In 2021 the volume of materials recycled by Burk's Falls residents was 62% below the provincial average, and the amount of waste was 31% above the provincial average. We must continue to do more as a community to increase our recycling efforts and reduce our waste.