

SORT IT RIGHT!

Save money by watching your *waste-line*!

Sort properly to avoid hefty fee increases that are passed on to taxpayers.



Recycling Depots

► Multi-Material BC (MMBC) Depots

Any recyclables accepted in your blue cart, PLUS:



Foam containers, food trays, plates, cups, packaging for electronics etc.

Non-refundable glass jars and bottles

- Biggar Bottle Depot, 2577 Kingsway Ave.
- Coquitlam Return-It Depot, 2554 Barnet Hwy., Coquitlam
- Lougheed Return-It Depot, 1045A Lougheed Hwy., Coq.

► Bottle Depots

Refundable drink containers

- Biggar Bottle Depot, 2577 Kingsway Ave.
- MMBC depots (see above)
- Any other store/depot that accepts refundable bottles

► City Glass Depots



- Parking lot at Wilson Ave and Donald St
- Safeway, 2850 Shaughnessy St
- Hyde Creek Recreation Centre, 1379 Laurier Ave
- Port Coquitlam Recreation Complex, 2150 Wilson Ave
- Home Depot, 1069 Nicola Ave

Recycling – Blue Cart

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METAL



PLASTIC



Garbage – Grey Cart



Food and yard waste are now banned from the garbage

Food / Yard Waste – Green Cart



No plastic bags are permitted in the green cart

Alternatives

► Recycling Directory

Not sure where to take it back? Go to www.portcoquitlam.ca/recyclingdirectory

► Other Disposal Options

Electronics

www.returnit.ca/electronics



Small appliances and tools

www.electrorecycle.ca



Usable but unwanted items

- City-wide Garage Sale each April: www.portcoquitlam.ca/garagesale
- Search for charities: www.portcoquitlam.ca/recyclingdirectory

Household hazardous liquids

Biggar Bottle Depot, 2577 Kingsway Ave: household paint, pesticides, flammable liquids, aerosols etc.



Batteries

- Non-rechargeable: Happy Stans, The Source, Home Depot, Staples Business Depot, IKEA
- Rechargeable: Rona and same as above
- Vehicle: Biggar Bottle Depot, Happy Stans, Canadian Tire, Wastech

Light bulbs (all types)

www.lightrecycle.ca



See Recycling Depots at left and Alternatives at right for disposal of items not accepted in carts

No plastic containers for paint, motor oil, lubricant or antifreeze



No soft and hard cover books



No plastic bags



No glass



No items with hazardous materials symbols for corrosives, poisons or flammable products



Disposal options: www.portcoquitlam.ca/wastereduction

No electronics or small appliances



No pet waste or kitty litter



No construction or reno materials



Complete details: www.portcoquitlam.ca/greencart

No plastic or plastic-like bags or liners (even if compostable or biodegradable)



options

► What to Use Instead of Plastic

- Paper bags/liners with 100% natural fibres, such as kraft paper or Bag to Earth brand.
- Wrap scraps in used paper towel or newspaper.
- Line your pail with newspaper.

