

# Curbside Collection

## Collectable Materials & Restrictions

The table below outlines the collection limits (quantity) and restrictions (weights & materials) for a residential household for every collection day. If you own an apartment building or business and would like more information on limits at those locations, please call the Solid Waste Hotline at 1-888-873-3332.

**GARBAGE:** 5 bags (26 x 32.5")  
 No red, orange or yellow bags will be collected  
 Black or green bags only (securely tied)  
 Max weight 25kg/55lbs per bag  
 No construction & renovation waste

**FURNITURE:** 3 pieces (ex. sofa or chair)  
 Max weight 100kg/220lbs per item

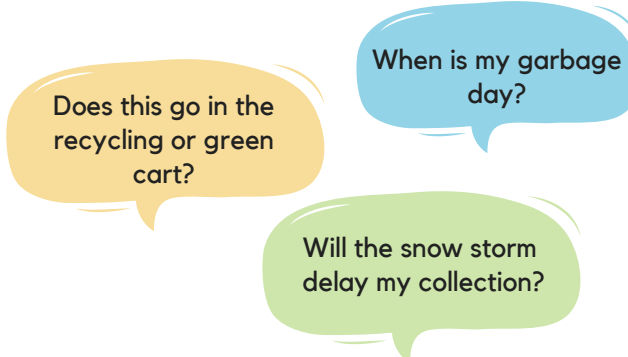
**ORGANICS:** 1 municipal issued cart (max. 220lbs)  
 + 6 paper leaf bags  
 + 5 bundles of brush (2ft x 2ft x 4ft bundles; max 35lbs; no branch diameter larger than 2 cm)

**ELECTRONICS:** 1 larger item (ex. TV or computer)  
 + 1 small box of accessories (ex. cords, keyboards)

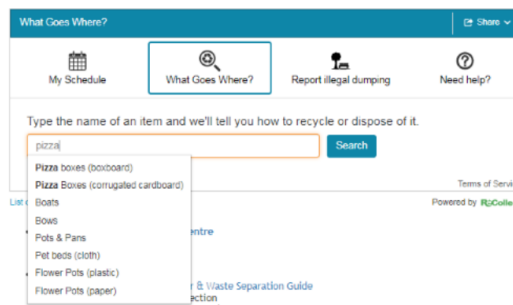
**RECYCLABLES:** 8 bags/bundles (securely tied)  
 Clear or transparent blue bags only (26 x 32.5")  
 Max weight 25kg/55lbs per bag

**METAL:** 1 household appliance (ex. stove)  
 + 3 smaller items (bicycle, BBQ)

# What Goes Where?



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EAST HANTS

# Municipal Solid Waste Services

## East Hants Waste Management Centre Hours

Monday to Friday  
 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Saturdays  
 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Sundays & Holidays  
 Closed

Larger loads should arrive at the WMC 30-minutes prior to closing to allow for unloading and weigh out.

1306 Georgefield Road, Hants County  
 Solid Waste Hotline: 1-888-873-3332



# Curbside Collection Services



## Same Day Collection with Multiple Trucks

Curbside collection is based on week 1 = collection and week 2 = no collection. Therefore, your garbage, recyclables, green cart and other acceptable items must be placed curbside together.



## Timing

Multiple trucks collect material from your property, and they do not necessarily travel together. Multiple trucks means that collection of some materials may be earlier in the day compared to other materials. For this reason, it is important to have all your materials curbside by 7:00 a.m.



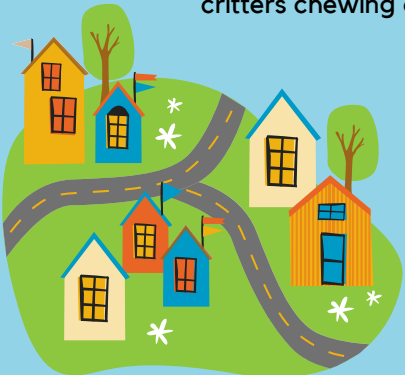
## Reporting a Missed Collection

If you believe your material was missed, or you have another concern with collection, please let us know. You can report your concern to the **Solid Waste Hotline**, same day is best, at **1-888-873-3332**. If it is after 4:00 p.m. please leave a message with your name, number, civic address and concern.



## Green Carts

Each household is provided a large green cart for organics collection. Sometimes carts get damaged by regular usage, critters chewing at vents, or plows.



To request your cart be fixed or replaced, please call the **Solid Waste Hotline** at **1-888-873-3332**.

# East Hants Waste Management Centre (WMC)



## WMC Location

1306 Georgefield Road,  
Hants County

## Material We Manage

There are separate drop-off areas for the materials. Using the list below, you can have your items separated before you arrive.



- Tires (with or without rims)
- Metal (staff remove the CFCs from applicable appliances on-site)
- Paint
- Electronics
- Regular garbage
- Recyclables
- Clean wood
- Construction waste
- Household hazardous waste (residential only)

## Payment Options



There are no tipping fees charged to residents who bring material directly to the WMC, however, all materials must be sorted correctly.

Commercial loads are charged tipping fees, and a list of the fees can be viewed on our website at:

[easthants.ca](http://easthants.ca)

Payment can be made by cheque, debit, credit card, or by charge accounts. To set-up an account, please request an application from the Scale Operator or contact the Municipal Office.

# East Hants WMC Reminders

All material brought to the WMC must be properly sorted. All loads are subject for inspection.

All vehicles must stop at the Scale House when entering and exiting the site.

For the safety of all persons on the site, visitors are reminded to drive slowly and to make eye contact with Heavy Equipment Operators.

Speed limit on site is 20 km/hr.

Children under the age of 12 and pets must remain inside the vehicle at all times on site.

Do not enter the transfer station when heavy equipment or large vehicles are inside unless directed to by staff.

**Unacceptable Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) items include:**



- Commercial materials
- Infectious waste
- Explosives
- Radioactive materials
- Pathological waste

Electronics must be separated from other materials for recycling. Items include:

- TVs, DVD and VCR players
- Computers and monitors
- Printers and fax machines
- Home theatre systems

There is no scavenging allowed on-site.