

# Welcome to your food and yard waste and recycling program

When you sort your garbage, you help make sure recyclables are turned into new products and food and yard waste turned into rich nutrient compost.

## Place materials in the right bin

Please put your food and yard waste, recyclables and garbage in the appropriate bin or cart. Labels on the lids or posted signs tell you what goes where.



\*Bins may not look exactly as shown

## Use certified compostable bags for your food scraps



Look for these logos



## Where can I dispose of large items such as furniture and appliances?

Do not leave large items beside the bins.



Place large items, such as small appliances, mattresses, and broken furniture in the garbage bins provided or take them to a City of Calgary Throw 'n' Go facility (fees apply).

To keep them out of landfill, you can donate them for reuse through a charitable organization\*, sell them online, or take metal items to a metal recycler.

\*Charity donation centres have drop off locations or options for pick-up.

If in doubt, check it out. Find recycling, composting and safe disposal answers for hundreds of items at [calgary.ca/whatgoeswhere](http://calgary.ca/whatgoeswhere).

Ask your building manager for details about your program.



Food and yard waste	Recyclables	Garbage	Other items
<p><b>Food</b></p>	<p><b>Paper and cardboard</b></p>	<p><b>Foam packaging</b></p>	<p>Find out more ways to donate, recycle and safely dispose of your items at <a href="http://calgary.ca/whatgoeswhere">calgary.ca/whatgoeswhere</a></p>
<p><b>Yard waste</b></p>	<p><b>Plastic containers</b></p>	<p><b>Small lids</b></p>	<p><b>Household hazardous waste</b></p>
<p><b>Food-soiled paper</b></p>	<p><b>Bundled plastic bags</b></p>	<p><b>Mixed packaging</b></p>	<p><b>Electronics</b></p>
	<p><b>Food cans and foil</b></p>	<p><b>Diapers</b></p>	<p><b>Toys and clothing</b></p>
	<p><b>Glass jars and bottles</b></p>	<p><b>Plastic cutlery and straws</b></p> <p><b>Lotions and toothpaste tubes</b></p>	