# What Goes Where for

# **Apartments and Condos**

Separation of recycling and waste materials is mandatory for all residential and commercial properties. (By-law 32-95)



### **Organics**

Use any bag to collect your organics. Note: If an organics program does not exist in your building, put these items in the garbage.







Meat/fish bones, shellfish

Coffee grounds, filters, tea bags

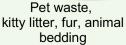


Paper towels, tissues, muffin liners, paper plates, pizza boxes



Diaper/adult briefs, feminine hygiene products



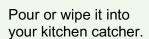




Shredded paper

### Fats, Oil & Grease

Protect your pipes! Never pour fats, oils or grease down the sink, drain or toilet.





# Recycling

Items must be empty and clean. Do not bag. Place loose items in the collection bin or recycling chute (if applicable).



**Plastics** 



Aluminum cans, tins, foil



Glass jars, bottles



Paper, boxboard, cartons

#### Cardboard

- 1. Never place cardboard down a chute.
- 2. Flatten and bring to your waste room.
- 3. Contact your Property Manager for further instructions.



Cardboard can also be taken to any Markham Recycling Depot (see reverse).

#### **Clear Bag Garbage**

CLEAR BAGS ONLY.

NO dark, white, or blue bags.



Coffee cups, lids



Wooden/bamboo cutlery, stir sticks



Drink pouches, snack wrappers



Broken glass



Disposable wipes, dryer sheets, lint



Toothbrush, toothpaste



Padded mailers, bubble wrap

#### **Bulky Items**

Contact your Property Manager for proper disposal instructions.



Items in good condition should always be donated to a local charity.

Note: This guide is a quick reference and does not list all items. Scan for more information.

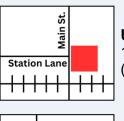


# Recycle Right, Recycle More

City of Markham offers residents several convenient options to drop off household items for reuse, recycling and safe disposal.



#### **Recycling Depots**



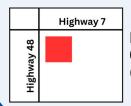
**Unionville Depot** 139A Main Street (At Station Lane)



**Thornhill Depot** 5 Green Lane (At Bayview Avenue)



Milliken Mills Depot 7660 Kennedy Road (Behind the Milliken Mills Community Centre)



Markham Depot 6041 Highway 7 East (Highways 7 and 48)

#### Accepted Items

- · All blue box recyclables
- · Cardboard Large, flattened 3'x3'
- Ink cartridges
- · Plastic bags empty, clean
- · Scrap metal microwaves, frying pan
- Styrofoam packaging, food trays

Green bins, blue boxes available for purchase.



#### Textile Recycling

- · All clean, unwanted clothing and textiles
- Including stained or damaged items
- 160+ bins are located across the city



#### **Alkaline Batteries Only**

- · A, AA, AAA, C, D, 9V, button
- · Store in a clear, plastic bag
- Keep away from heat

Retail drop off locations: Visit recycleyourbatteries.ca



# Markham Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Depot

403 Rodick Road York.ca/WasteDepots







#### Miller Waste Transfer Station

300 Rodick Road Millerwaste.ca

Public drop-off of residential garbage. Fees apply.

#### Lithium-ion Batteries - Drop off at HHW Depot

- Cell phone, laptop, button, e-bike, power tools
- Cover terminal ends with tape
- · Drop off regularly

Lithium-ion batteries have a high potential for igniting and must be stored separately. For more information visit chargedforlife.ca



#### **Every Container Counts!**

- Wine, beer, spirit bottles and cans
- · Keep out of the blue box
- Return your empty containers to a Beer Store for a cash refund

Take back all packaging too - including cardboard, bottle caps, bladders and plastic rings. Visit thebeerstore.ca





