



Due to the unprecedented flooding experienced some regions of BC, [Recycle BC has suspended the acceptance of glass at their receiving facilities in the Lower Mainland](#). Receiving facilities / recycling depots have also suspended receipt of Styrofoam and soft crinkly plastics. These changes became effective this week and, as a result, **Waste Control Services will not be collecting any glass put out at the curb**. Residents are encouraged to hold onto their glass and put it out once collection resumes. Those who take Styrofoam and crinkly plastics into the depots in North Vancouver are asked to do the same with these materials.

Logistics and supply chains have been severely impacted by the recent flooding and in the case of glass recycling, the end market facility is currently under water. With transportation corridors compromised, transfer of these recyclables to other facilities is not possible.

Please do not take these materials to a depot or set out for curbside or multi-family collection – you will be turned away. Many of the depots and recycling facilities have run out of excess storage room and cannot accept any further material. At this time, paper, cardboard, containers, and soft plastics are being compacted and baled to increase storage space at the receiving stations so that curbside collection of this material can continue. The situation is evolving rapidly, and further restrictions may be possible.

We will provide updates as they become available. We apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience.

For more information or for missed pickup of other materials, please contact the Waste Control Services Dispatch at 604-986-9777.

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