

Co-mingled recycling system to begin at Transfer Station #520 effective Nov. 17, 2025

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Nov. 4, 2025: The RM of Lac du Bonnet will be rolling out a fully co-mingled recycling program at Transfer Station #520 effective Monday, Nov. 17, 2025.

New recycling process at the Transfer Station

The Transfer Station transitioning to a fully co-mingled system means residents will no longer need to separate recyclable materials and can put them all in one bin. The changes aim to simplify the recycling drop-off process, encourage more residents to recycle, and reduce the Transfer Station's operating costs.

Recyclables can be placed loose or contained in a clear plastic bag. Cardboard must be flattened.

During this transition, our Transfer Station attendants will be available to answer any questions and help ensure a smooth changeover.

Accepted and non-accepted materials

We will continue to accept the following:

- Newspapers, flyers, envelopes, and office paper
- Egg cartons, cereal and tissue paper boxes, cardboard boxes, and tubes
- Plastic bottles, tubs, jugs, and clamshell containers (#1-7; see exceptions in the list of not accepted materials)
- Steel containers for food and beverage
- Aluminum containers for food and beverage
- Milk cartons, juice boxes, and soup cartons
- Clear or coloured glass bottles and jars.

We ask that you continue to rinse and remove lids.

We will not be accepting the following:

- Black plastics
- Dishes and ceramics
- Highly-flexible plastics (bags, pouches, wrap)
- Food waste
- Paper cups
- Paper towels, tissues, and napkins
- Foam packaging of any kind

• Aluminum foil, pie plates, and trays

Please remember — only recyclable items should be placed in the recycling bins. We kindly ask residents to follow the recycling guidelines carefully.

Transfer Station #520 is operating on winter hours: 9 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Friday through Tuesday.

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