




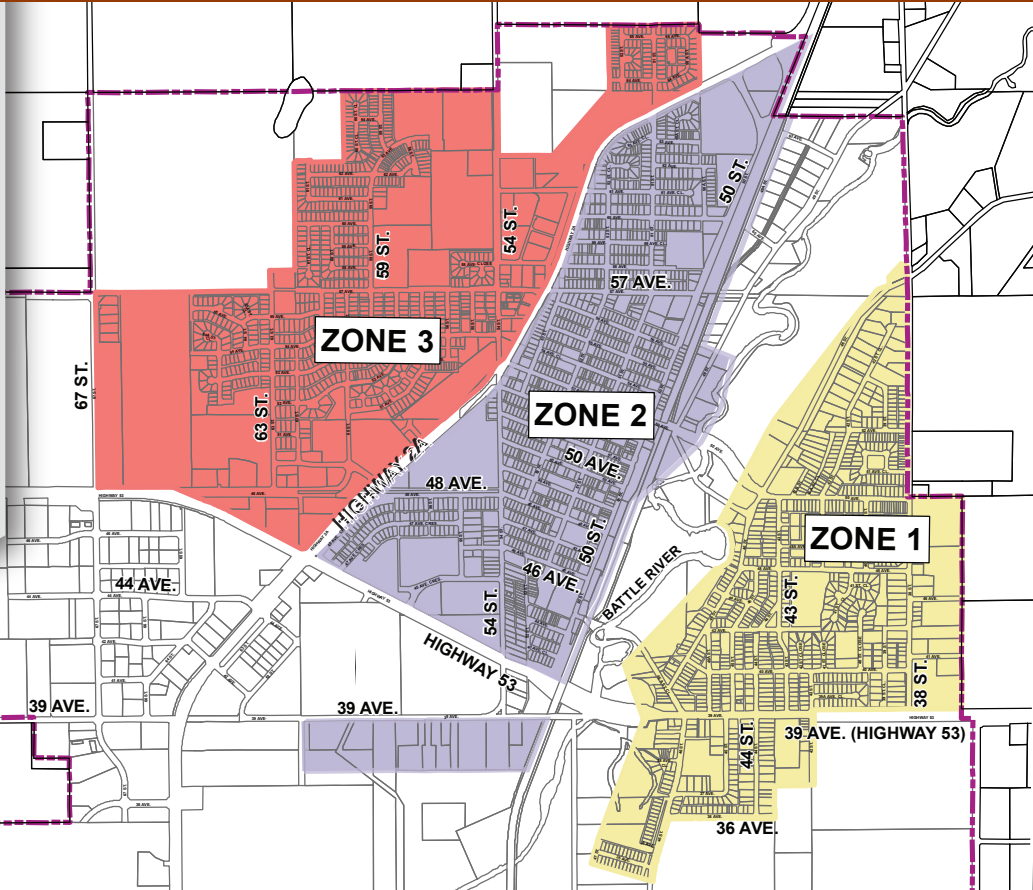


Town of Ponoka 2023 Waste Collection Calendar

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY - ALL ZONES

Curbside Collection SCHEDULE

-  **ZONE 1 - Thursday**
(East of Battle River)
-  **ZONE 2 - Wednesday**
(Between River & Highway 2A)
-  **ZONE 3 - Friday**
(West of Highway 2A)



Waste, Recycling and Compost Collection Facts

The Town provides curbside collection of recyclables, compostable material and household garbage to help protect our environment for future generations by diverting waste from the landfill.

Residents are encouraged to recycle and compost as much waste as possible through our curbside collection program.

Not only does it divert waste from the landfill, it also saves on tipping fees at the landfill which can help offset future utility rate increases.

Please see the map above and the calendar on the opposite side of this page to determine your regular scheduled day for waste pick up according to your Zone.

Statutory Holidays

All collection days that fall on a statutory holiday will still receive service on that day. Statutory holidays will not affect the collection schedule in 2023.

Proper Cart and Bag Placement



Please ensure the cart lids are closed and the wheels are against the curb with one metre (3 to 4 feet) of clearance around the carts for the truck's automated arm to safely pick them up and empty them.

Please place clear or blue transparent bags of recyclable materials at the curb.



Green Carts for Compost

Green carts are only for compostable kitchen scraps, yard waste and pet waste/cat litter (loose or in certified compostable bags). Green carts are emptied every second week (biweekly) from November 1 to April 30 and every week from May 1 to October 31.

Please do not wrap organics in plastic or place any plastic bags in your green cart.

For a complete list of what goes in your green cart, please visit www.ponoka.ca/p/green-carts.



Blue Plastic Bags for Recyclables

Bags of recyclables are picked up every second week (biweekly).

For a complete list of items that can be recycled at the curb, please visit www.ponoka.ca/p/recycling.



Grey Carts for Household Garbage

Grey carts for bagged household garbage are emptied every second week (biweekly).

For a complete list of what goes in your grey cart, please visit www.ponoka.ca/p/grey-carts-garbage.

Please retrieve your grey and green carts from the curb after they have been emptied on your collection day. The carts are assigned to your specific address and must stay at this address even if you move.

The Ponoka Rising Sun Clubhouse - Blue Box Program

The Ponoka Rising Sun Clubhouse is a non-profit organization that also offers a Blue Box program. If you wish to support this worthwhile community service, please contact them for details at 403-783-5810.

For additional information, please visit www.ponoka.ca or call Town of Ponoka at 403-783-4431.

To report carts not emptied or bags of recycling missed for pick up, please contact E360S dispatch at 403-341-9300 or by email at rddispatch@e360s.ca.

LEGEND

Grey Carts

For household garbage (including glass, diapers and styrofoam). Please bag everything.

Green Carts

For compostable kitchen scraps including meat, bones, vegetable/fruit waste, pet waste/cat litter (loose or in compostable bags) and compostable yard waste. NO garbage. NO plastic. NO recyclables.

Recyclables

Put items in clear or transparent blue bags, including paper, tin cans, flattened cardboard, plastics labelled #1 through #7. NO Garbage.

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To Blue Bag or Not to Blue Bag? ACCEPTED MATERIAL

Place as many bags of recyclable items as you wish at the curb on collection day. Please clean all recyclable items, including #1-7 plastics and aluminum/tin foil.

Deposit beverage containers (including milk cartons) can be taken to the local bottle depot for a full refund or disposed of through the curbside recycling program. Improvements or changes to the Curbside Waste Collection Program may occur at any time based on annual program reviews.

- ✓ Clean tin cans
- ✓ Clean aluminum foil, pie plates
- ✓ Greeting cards, envelopes
- ✓ Only plastics labelled with recycling symbols #1, #2, #3, #4, #5, #6 and #7
- ✓ Gift wrap (non-metallic)
- ✓ Cardboard egg cartons
- ✓ Newspaper, magazines
- ✓ Paper, flyers, soft cover books
- ✓ Cardboard boxes (flattened)

✗ NO Glass ✗ NO Styrofoam ✗ NO Plastic Bags ✗ NO Garbage ✗ NO Lids (except recyclable plastic or tin can lids)