CRD Blue Bag Accepted

- Clean printed paper items (examples)
- Clean Paper Packaging containing dry goods when sold (examples)

CRD Blue Box Accepted

- Paper packaging containing liquids when sold (examples)
- Steel packaging (examples)
- Aluminum containers (examples)

Glass Accepted separate

- Clean glass bottles and jars (examples)

Remember

- Place newspapers and flyers loose in CRD blue bag, not inside plastic or paper bags. Remove plastic wraps.
- Remove food residue, liners and inserts from pizzaboxes.
- Place shredded paper inside a paper bag or box (e.g. cereal box, shoe box) to keep it secure and prevent litter.
- Remove plastic wrap from cardboard flats. If cardboard does not fit into the blue bag, flatten and cut cardboard down to no larger than 76cm x 76cm (30” x 30”), and stack neatly and securely beside or between your recycling containers

Do Not Include

- Hardcover or paperback books
- Non-paper gift wrap, e.g. foil, ribbons, bows
- Musical greeting cards with batteries
- Paper towel, napkins or tissues
- Boxes with wax coatings, e.g. grocery shipping boxes
- Foil and plastic layered bags, e.g., for cookies and pet food
- Padded envelopes

Recycling Tips

- Visit myrecyclopedia.ca or call the CRD Hotline at 250.360.3030 for info on how to recycle items not accepted in the curbside program.
- Set recycling out on recycling day by 7:30am.
- Contact Emterra Environmental to request new or replacement CRD blue boxes or blue bags at 250.385.4399

* All items accepted for recycling are banned from residential garbage