

4 BAG/CONTAINER LIMIT PER HOUSEHOLD.
Garbage can be set out in plastic bags or garbage cans.



- ✓ Ashes (once cooled, place in a combustible container - i.e. box, bag)
- ✓ Cigarette butts (properly extinguished)
- ✓ Dishes/ceramics
- ✓ Disposable mop/dust sheets
- ✓ Feminine hygiene products
- ✓ Mirrors/glass (broken glass is acceptable tightly wrapped in a cardboard box or in a rigid reusable container, clearly labeled broken glass and set out for regular garbage collection)
- ✓ Pet waste/cat litter
- ✓ Photographs
- ✓ Pool noodles
- ✓ Smoke/Carbon Monoxide alarms (Remove batteries for hazardous waste disposal)
- ✓ Straws
- ✓ Vacuum bags

DO NOT PUT IN GARBAGE
 ✗ Batteries ✗ Hazardous Waste
 ✗ Needles/Sharps ✗ Electronics



GARBAGE

To absorb moisture, reduce odours and help keep material from freezing to the cart, place crumpled newspaper at the bottom of your cart or layer dry leaf & yard waste over wet food waste or use a leaf & yard waste bag to line your cart. Material can be wrapped in newspaper, paper bags or other compostable box (i.e. cereal, frozen food, etc.).



ALL FOOD
 Baked goods
 Bones
 Breads, grains, cereal & pasta
 Cooking grease/fat (solidified)
 Cooking oil (small amounts-use paper or yard waste to absorb)
 Dairy products
 Eggs & eggshells
 Fish (including shellfish) & meat
 Fruits, vegetables & peelings
 Kitchen scraps & plate scrapings
 Nuts & shells

FOOD-SOILED PAPER
 Coffee grounds & filters
 Drink trays & paper egg cartons
 Facial tissues & paper towels
 Microwave popcorn bags
 Muffin liners
 Paper plates & napkins
 Paper take-out containers
 Tea bags
 Waxed & brown butcher paper

YARD & PLANT WASTE
 Leaves
 Twigs (less than 1" (2.5 cm) in diameter, no longer than 3 ft (0.91m), DO NOT bundle)
 House plants & soil
 Grass clippings
 Weeds & yard trimmings

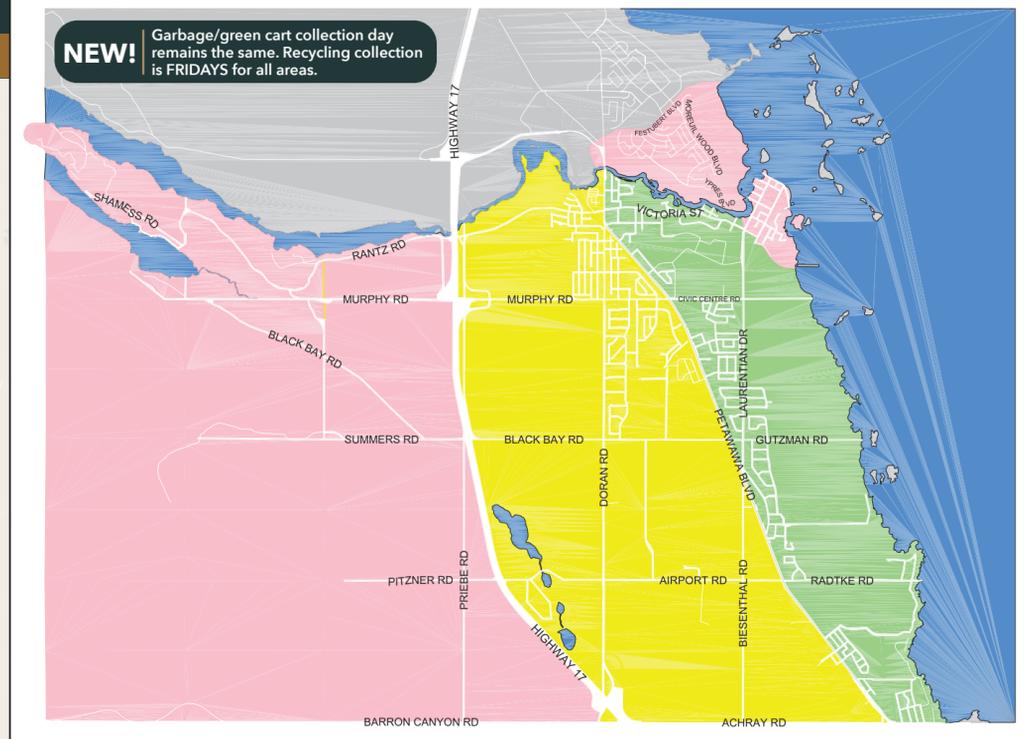


GREEN CART (Food Waste)

FIND OUT WHAT GOES WHERE!
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Collection map applicable for garbage and green cart collection only.



WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY
FRIDAY

COLLECTION INQUIRIES
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 613-735-6925
 or Contact the Municipal Office
 613-687-5536
email@petawawa.ca

OTTAWA VALLEY WASTE RECOVERY CENTRE OPERATING HOURS (GATE 1)
 April 1st to October 31st: Monday to Friday 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 November 1st to March 31st: Monday to Friday 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
 CLOSED Sundays
 CLOSED Statutory Holidays (Check your calendar for changes in collection)
 CLOSED at 2:00 p.m. on December 24th and 31st.
 Secure loads during transport to OWRC to prevent roadside litter
 *Hours subject to change
 Hours for the Hazardous & Electronic Waste Depot and Reuse Centre (Gate 3) differ.
www.ovwrc.com | info@ovwrc.com | 613-735-7537
 900 Woito Station Rd., Laurentian Valley, ON K8A 6W5

LITTER PROBLEMS? We Have You Covered! Nets for sale at your Municipal office.
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TOWN OF PETAWAWA
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JANUARY 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 New Year's Day	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

FEBRUARY 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 Family Day	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

MARCH 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

APRIL 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Yellow bin moves back one day. Green cart moves ahead one day.			1	2	3 Good Friday	4
5	6 Easter Monday	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

MAY 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 Victoria Day	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

JUNE 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				





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JULY 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Garbage and green cart moves ahead one day.						
			1	2	3	4
			Canada Day			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

AUGUST 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
OVWRC turns your food waste into compost! Do not place plastics of any kind, metal, glass or Styrofoam in your green cart.						
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Civic Holiday					
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

SEPTEMBER 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Labour Day					
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

OCTOBER 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Leaves & grass clippings (loose or in paper bags) accepted at OVWRC-No charge. Fees apply for branches, tree limbs and stumps.						
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Thanksgiving					
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

NOVEMBER 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					
Containers & bins must be placed 5 to 6 feet (1.5 to 1.8 m) from curb or roadside (in driveway, not on sidewalk, multi-use pathway or snowbank)						

DECEMBER 2026						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
					Christmas Day	
27	28	29	30	31		
20 Recycling moves back one day. Green cart moves ahead one day. 27 Recycling moves back one day.						



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Please refer to the map for your collection day.

JANUARY 2027						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Garbage moves ahead one day.						
					1	2
					New Year's Day	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

FEBRUARY 2027						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Family Day				
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	Electronic Waste (including electronics containing batteries) accepted year-round at Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre.					

MARCH 2027						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
					Good Friday	
28	29	30	31			
21 Recycling moves back one day. Garbage moves ahead one day. 28 Easter Monday						

All waste streams to be set-out by 5:00 a.m. for collection. Material must be placed 5 to 6 feet (1.5 to 1.8 m) from curb or roadside (in driveway, not on sidewalk, multi-use pathway or snowbank). Green cart must have 2 to 3 feet (0.6 to 0.9 m) clearance around it to allow for proper collection and with wheels facing away from the road with the lid closed. Containers cannot exceed 50 lbs (23kg) (with the exception of the green cart).



Not Sure Where It Goes?
Easily find out at www.ovwrc.com/what-goes-where

Search 100's of items to see if something can be recycled, composted, reused or disposed of using the on-line search tool available on our website.

Have other material to dispose of?
It may be accepted at the Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre.

Visit www.ovwrc.com for a complete list of acceptable items and disposal fees.

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Recyclables must be placed loose inside your yellow bin or other open top, reusable container (i.e. laundry basket, Rubbermaid container, etc.)

ENSURE ITEMS ARE EMPTY AND FREE FROM FOOD RESIDUE

Do not include alcoholic beverage containers. Return all eligible liquor, wine, and beer containers for a refund at an Ontario Deposit Return Program location.

Plastic containers (lids on)
Laundry detergent and household cleaner jugs, shampoo, body wash, salad dressing, condiment, dish soap, mouth wash bottles, plastic beverage bottles.
Food trays, salad, yogurt, peanut butter, bakery and egg containers, plastic cups, plastic tubs and lids.
Toothpaste tubes, deodorant, hand cream tubes, small item packaging, hand sanitizer bottles, plant pots.

Paper laminate containers
Spiral cans, cookie dough package, ice cream containers and hot and cold beverage cups. *Remove lids.*

Cartons
Beverage cartons, juice and milk cartons, sugar cartons, soup and sauce cartons. *Lids on.*
X Do not include alcoholic beverage containers.

Foam packaging
Remove film wrap and absorbent pads from meat trays.
Meat trays, takeout containers, cups, plates, bowls, foam packaging for products.

Glass containers
Clear and coloured glass. Food containers, jars and bottles, cosmetic containers, spice bottles, oil and vinegar bottles, non-alcoholic glass beverage containers. *Lids off.*

Aerosol containers
Food sprays, hair spray, air fresheners, shaving cream, deodorant. *Lids on.*

Aluminium (foil & trays)
Aluminum foil, pie plates, frozen food trays. *Ball up aluminum foil.*

Metal
Food cans, metal lids, cookie, coffee and tea tins, beverage cans.

Flexible plastic packaging
Bags used for dry cleaning, bread, newspapers and flyers.
Overwrap (paper towel & toilet paper, beverage containers).
Coffee bags, deli pouches, chip bags, bubble wrap, snack wrappers, cereal liner bags, plastic gift bags.

Paper
Flour bags, white or coloured loose paper, file folders, newspapers, flyers, magazines, greeting cards, envelopes.
Place shredded paper in a tied, clear bag. Separate from plastic bags used to cover items (i.e. newspaper bag). Remove elastic bands and rope handles from bags.
X Do not include soft or hard covered books/novels.

DO NOT PUT IN RECYCLING
X Containers filled with liquid **X Home health care waste**
X Sharps & needles (dispose of at your local pharmacy)
X Sharp items such as knives **X Batteries** **X Propane tanks**

YELLOW BIN (Containers)

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Paper recycling must be placed loose in a blue box, cardboard box, paper bag or other reusable open top container.

ENSURE ITEMS ARE EMPTY AND FREE FROM FOOD RESIDUE

Cardboard boxes
Pizza boxes, shoe boxes, moving boxes. *Flatten.*
No larger than 60 cm x 60 cm (2 ft x 2 ft)

Paper laminate packaging
Pet food bags, food service paper bags, and plates.

Boxboard
Cereal boxes, tissue boxes, egg cartons, empty toilet paper and paper towel rolls. *Flatten.*

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BLUE BOX (Paper & Cardboard)