

## What Goes in My Green Cart?

**Some** common compostable items that can be placed in your Green Cart include:

- Meat and bones;
- Vegetable and fruit waste;
- Baked goods;
- Cat litter (loose or in certified compostable bags);
- Sauces and spreads;
- Dairy products and eggs;
- Facial tissue;
- Yard waste (including leaves, grass clippings, pulled weeds, branches less than three feet in length and one inch in diameter, etc.)
- Soiled cardboard (pizza box liners); and
- Paper coffee filters, grounds and tea bags.



Compostable items can be placed in certified compostable bags or loose in the cart.

Please do not place plastics of any kind including garbage bags, metal, treated wood, glass or styrofoam in your green cart.

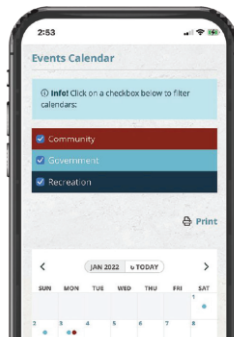
**For a complete list of what items are 'Accepted' and 'Not Accepted' in your green cart, please visit the Town of Ponoka website at <https://www.ponoka.ca/p/green-carts>.**

## Have a Community Event You Want to Advertise?

Submit your event to the Community Events Calendar on the Town of Ponoka website at [www.ponoka.ca](http://www.ponoka.ca) to promote your event and reach more people.

Community events must be non-profit, non-partisan and local to Ponoka. Other events will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Please allow up to two business days for the event to be approved and appear on the Town website.



## Lions Centennial Park Light Display

The last day to enjoy the light display at Lions Centennial Park this season will be Thursday, February 29.

Thank you to everyone who came out and enjoyed the festive lights this year.

The light display will return for the 2024 holiday season and will be even bigger and brighter! See you then!



## What Goes in My Recycling Bag?

Recyclable items that can be placed at the curb in clear or blue transparent bags include:

- Clean tin/aluminum cans and plates;
- Clean cardboard;
- Paper;
- Non-glass drink containers; and
- Plastics with recycling symbols #1 to #7.



Please **do not** place glass, Styrofoam, plastic bags or lids (except recyclable plastic or tin can lids) in your recycling.

**All recyclables must be rinsed and cleaned. All labels and lids must be removed.**

Deposit beverage containers (including milk cartons) can be taken to the local bottle depot for a full refund or placed at the curb for recycling.

**For a complete list of what items are 'accepted' and 'not accepted' in your recycling bag, please visit the Town of Ponoka's website at [www.ponoka.ca/p/recycling](http://www.ponoka.ca/p/recycling).**

## ~ TOWN NEWS ~

- **Snow and Ice Control Updates** – For regular updates on snow and ice control operations in the Town of Ponoka, please visit [www.ponoka.ca/p/snow-and-ice-control-updates](http://www.ponoka.ca/p/snow-and-ice-control-updates)
- **Public Skating and Shinny Hockey** – The Ponoka Arena Complex offers public skating and shinny hockey throughout the week. To view the programming schedule, please visit [www.ponoka.ca/p/ice-season-programming](http://www.ponoka.ca/p/ice-season-programming)
- **Recently Issued Development Permits** – To view a list of the most recent development permits, please visit the Town's website at [www.ponoka.ca/p/development-permits-and-decisions-issued](http://www.ponoka.ca/p/development-permits-and-decisions-issued)
- **Recyclable Materials** bundled in clear or blue transparent plastic bags should be placed at the curb for pick up on February 28, 29 and March 1 – depending on what Zone you live in.
- **Grey Carts and Green Carts** should be placed at the curb for pick up on March 6, 7 and 8 – depending on your Zone.
- **Missed Pickups** – If your curbside recycling, compost (green cart) or waste (grey cart) was not picked up on your designated collection day, please contact E360S dispatch at 403-341-9300 or by email at [rddispatch@e360s.ca](mailto:rddispatch@e360s.ca). For more information on the curbside waste collection program, please visit the Town website at [www.ponoka.ca/p/waste-management](http://www.ponoka.ca/p/waste-management) or call the Town office at 403-783-4431.

## ~ UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS ~

- **Next TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 at 6 p.m.**  
The public is welcome to attend all Council meetings. Meetings will be held in Town Council Chambers on the third floor of the Ponoka Civic Centre (5604 50 Street).



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