

Accepted in Recycling

Containers



Plastic containers & film



Metal and glass containers



Paper laminate packaging



Fibre



Paper



Boxboard



Corrugated cardboard boxes



Not accepted



Organics



Toys



Diapers



Ceramics



Hard and soft cover books



Pots and pans

Logo

Recycling Guide



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Foam packaging



Aerosol containers



Flexible plastics

Bring these to a participating drop-off location near you: circularmaterials.ca/NSdeposits





Garbage

Use clear bags: one tinted bag is permitted per household, per garbage collection

- Condiment packages and cutlery
- Pet waste, kitty litter and plastic compostable pet waste bags
- Soiled plastic wrap and bags
- Ceramics, glasses and mugs
- Wipes, masks and medical gloves
- Clothing and footwear (donate, when possible)
- Sanitary products and diapers
- Toys (batteries removed and recycled)
- Cigarette butts
- Ribbon, bows and string lights
- Photographs, CDs and cassette tapes
- Pens, markers and paint brushes
- Hair brushes and razors
- String, rope and netting
- Mesh bags (oranges, onions)
- Floor sweepings and vacuum debris

No organics, recyclables or hazardous items in garbage.

Put broken glass and dishes in a labelled box, place beside garbage bags.



Drop off sharps (needles/lancets) at a local pharmacy for disposal. Never put sharps in garbage!



**South Shore
Waste Solutions**



908 Mullock Road, Whynott's Settlement, NS
902-543-2991 www.southshorewaste.ca
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Organics

Use a green cart:

- All food waste and table scraps
- Meat, fish, bones and shellfish
- Dairy products, pasta and bread
- Soiled or wet paper: coffee filters, coffee grounds and paper tea bags
- Paper towels, tissues and wet paper
- Sawdust wood shavings (untreated wood)
- Leaves, plants and branches (up to 2 inches in diameter, 3 feet long)
- Human hair and pet fur
- Ashes from woodstove (must be completely cold - hot ashes cause fires!) Use ashes in your garden.



No plastic, metal or glass in the green cart.

Plastic compostable bags and plastic bags are not permitted in the green cart. These bags get caught in grinding equipment and contaminate the compost. Use paper leaf bags or cardboard to line your cart. Put food scraps in cereal boxes or paper bags.



Get a Green Cart:

District of Lunenburg 1-855-530-3324

Town of Bridgewater 902-543-4651

Town of Mahone Bay 902-624-8327



Visit www.southshorewaste.ca to use the R6Recycles waste app. Find collection days and sorting information. Sign up for collection notifications.

Depot Items



Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

The depot at 908 Mullock Road, Whynott's Settlement accepts:

- Propane tanks and cylinders
- Paints, varnishes and stains
- Gas, diesel fuel, waste oil and glycol
- Pesticides and herbicides
- Aerosol cans
- Fridges, freezers, air conditioners and water coolers

Batteries including:

- A, AA, AAA, C, D and 9-volt batteries
- Button and coin batteries
- Rechargeable battery packs
- E-bike and E-scooter batteries



Lightbulbs including:

- CFLs, LEDs, fluorescent tubes
- High-intensity discharge (HIDs)
- Incandescent and halogen bulbs, mini bulbs



Electronics including:

- TVs, computers and computer peripherals, printers, phones, electronic readers, video game and GPS devices
- Personal/ portable audio and video systems
- Fans, heaters, clocks, weight scales and personal care appliances
- Floor and carpet care appliances
- Countertop cooking appliances, microwaves and garment care appliances



Visit www.southshorewaste.ca for accepted depot items.



Explosives Disposal: Ammunition, flares and fireworks must be disposed of by RCMP. Call local detachment.