

# KITCHEN WASTE COLLECTION



## Steps to follow

1. Put a cellulose-lined paper bag in your countertop bin. Fold down the top of the bag so it isn't higher than the top of the bin. You can also use newspaper to make a lining for the bin.
2. Place your kitchen waste and other accepted items in the bin. Close the bin's cover and lock it in place by pushing down the handle toward the front.
3. When the bin is full, lift out the paper bag or newspaper lining. Fold the top several times to close the bag or lining securely.
4. Place the bag upright in your rollout bin so its contents don't spill.

### Please note!

The use of bags of "compostable", "biodegradable" or "oxo-biodegradable" plastic

## Which bin to use and when?

Every Wednesday

360-litre green rollout bin or 45-litre brown rollout bin.

Only one of the two bins will be emptied.

### Accepted items

Raw or cooked food waste:

- fruit and vegetables
- meat and fish
- dairy products
- bones
- eggs (including shells)
- coffee grounds
- tea leaves and bags
- condiments
- cereal products (bread, cake, breakfast cereal, pasta)

### Other materials

- soiled paper
- paper plates (unwaxed)
- soiled facial tissues and paper towels (not containing cleaning solutions)
- not-plasticized food containers (pizza boxes, unwaxed muffin-tin liners)
- hair and animal hair
- dust
- small household plants

### Refused items

- liquids
- textiles
- diapers and sanitary products (sanitary napkins, dental floss)
- soiled animal litter
- waxed paper
- dryer lint
- plasticized wrapping
- wood and ceramics
- styrofoam
- recyclable materials
- household hazardous waste

## ODOUR-REDUCING TIP



To help control unpleasant odours, sprinkle a little baking soda in your countertop bin and in the rollout bin.