

# **2023 GARBAGE & RECYCLING SCHEDULE**

Garbage & Recycling Tote Reminder: Utility Bylaw 806/2021

Section 113 Residential Waste and Recycling Collection Carts:

- (g) shall ensure that collection carts are set out for collection:
  - (i) no later than 7:00 a.m. on the day of collection; and
  - (ii) no earlier than 7:00 p.m. on the day before collection
- (h) shall ensure that all collection carts assigned to the dwelling house are returned to their property no later than 10:00 pm on the day of collection.

# GARBAGE/RECYCLING PICKUP

If your garbage or recycling has been missed,

please contact E-360S directly at 403-341-9300

**GARBAGE PICKUP ONLY** 

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# CARD BOARD

**Appliance & moving boxes** (flattened and cut) **Boxboard (cereal, facial** tissue, etc.) Cardboard (clean) **Cardboard boxes (flattened)** Cardboard egg cartons (no Styrofoam) **Cereal boxes (no liners) Detergent and laundry boxes** (empty and clean)

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**Shoe boxes** 

# **CANS & PLATES**

**Aluminum cans Aluminum foil** (clean) Aluminum pie plates (clean) Cans Soup/vegetable cans Tin cans

# **PLASTICS**

Milk Jugs **Plastic Bottles Tetra Pack** PE + PET with symbols #1- #7

**Books (Hard covers** removed) Catalogues Printer paper **Envelopes (plain or with** plastic window) Fast food paper containers (clean) Gift wrap (non-metallic) **Greeting cards** Magazines Newspapers Tissue paper (clean)

# **NON-GLASS DRINK CONTAINERS**

**Tetra-pak drink containers Juice bottles** Please note: Pop bottles These items are Cans all refundable **Juice boxes** bottles / drink Milk cartons containers that can also be Milk jugs taken to the **Water bottles** bottle depot.

NON-RECYCLABLES: Plastic Bags || Plastic Packaging (Wrapping) || Caps or Lids || Styrofoam || Ceramic or Canning Jars || Frozen Food Boxes || Tissues, Paper Towels, or Plates || Toys || Hard Cover Books || Propane Tanks



# Waste & Recycling Collection Information

# What is correct placement of my totes for collection?



- ✓ Wheels to curb
  - Totes placed on flat ground
  - **✓** Space of 1m (3′) around and between totes
  - Lid closed
  - ✓ Space of 3m (10') above

Placement tip: If you can walk around the tote, there is adequate space for the mechanical arm to clasp and lift cart.

# My totes weren't collected, what do I do?

If your tote was not collected there will be a sticker from E360S explaining why. The driver takes a photo of the tote(s) which can be checked for reference. Residents are asked to contact E360S directly, instead of the Town being in the middle, as a means of ensuring efficient response to resident concerns.

# My tote was damaged, what do I do?

If your tote was damaged as a result of collection, please contact Public Works at 403-886-4265.

# Why weren't my totes collected?

- Tote(s) not placed on flat ground If tote is placed on slope or hill automated arm will not be able to clasp and lift tote.
- Tote(s) facing wrong direction If tote is placed facing wrong way the lid will not open so tote cannot be emptied.
- X Less than 3m (10") of space above tote(s) If totes are placed under tree, over hang or power line, they cannot be safely lifted up to be collected.



**XLess than 1m (3') space around & between tote(s)** Leave at least 1m (3') of space between
your totes and other objects such as parked cars,
power poles, utility boxes, fences, garages &
downspouts.



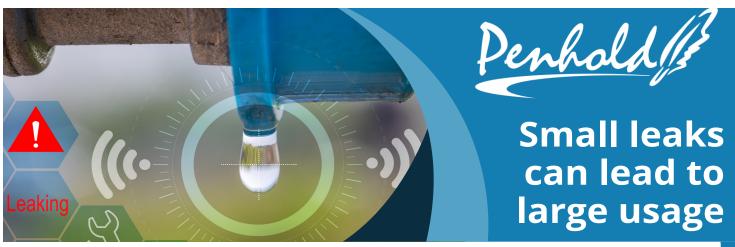
XLid not closed There is a limit to how much the truck can hold, if totes are overfilled there isn't enough space for everyone's waste AND overfilled items are not secure in tote and can spill onto roads & sidewalks.

# YARD WASTE BINS

LOCATED SOUTH OF PENHOLD REGIONAL MULTIPLEX, NEAR THE WASKASOO AVE BALL DIAMOND, FROM SPRING THROUGH FALL.

- **GRASS CLIPPINGS**
- / LEAVES
- ✓ BRANCHES: LESS THAN 1" DIAMETER LESS THAN 4' IN LENGTH
- × NO BAGS (includes compost bags)
- **× NO GARBAGE**
- **X NO ANIMAL FECES**





Frequently, high water use is intentional. Perhaps you recently installed a new hot tub or Jacuzzi - these use a large volume of water to operate. Over the summer months, maintaining your garden or lawn may account for higher than average water use. If your high water use was not deliberate, it is recommended you investigate the cause.

# Checklist to help determine source of high water use:

#### **Toilets**

Is your toilet operating properly? Does your toilet get stuck in the 'flush' mode on occasion? "Running" toilets can waste several cubic meters of water each month.

Do you have a silent leak in your toilet? To check, put a few drops of food colouring in the water tank. After a few hours, if the water in the toilet bowl turns the same colour, your toilet is leaking & requires repairs.

### **Taps**

Are your water taps stiff to use or is it difficult to close them? Taps that do not close properly can drip, wasting several cubic meters of water each month.

#### Humidifier

Is your humidifier in proper working order? Are there water stains or rust spots around the humidifier?

#### Water softener

Is your water softener leaking?

Are fine salt crystals accumulating along joint lines or on the floor around the water softener?

Does your water softener have too much/too little salt in it? Is your water softener plugged in? Some softeners will run constantly if the incorrect amount of salt is used or if the softener is unplugged as it is recharging.

## **Appliances**

Can you hear water running through this appliance? The presence of noise may indicate a leak. Possible items include a dishwasher, ice-maker fridge, washing machine, water softener, hot tub, toilet, taps, or hot water heater.

Did you have a new appliance that uses water installed recently?

Does it use more water than the previous appliance and was the appliance installed correctly?

#### **Outdoor faucets**

Has your garden or lawn been watered more than usual? Were your plants or gardens accidentally watered throughout the night?

Were younger family members playing with the water hose outside or the toilet inside without your knowledge?

Did someone leave a tap open accidentally, either indoors or outdoors?

#### **Household Changes**

Have there been changes in water usage with some members of the household? For example, has someone started taking daily baths when they previously had daily showers?

If your high water use cannot be attributed to any of these circumstances, you may have a silent water leak. To check, make sure all water using fixtures inside and outside of your home are off and check the leak indicator on your water meter for a plus sign, a red dial or a black triangle. If the leak indicator is moving or theplus sign is visible, there is a water leak in your home that needs to be located and repaired.



#### **USAGE TRACKING TIP:**

Check for leaks by recording your meter reading at night and again in the morning before any water is used in the household. This will help identify if you have a leak.



#### LEAK INDICATOR:

If this icon is illuminated on your meter head, it is indicating water is being used continuously for 24 hours