

## **BLUE BAG #1**

Containers & Plastics

Juice cartons\*

Beer, wine, liquor, pop & water bottles\*

Glass bottles & jars

Aluminum, tin, steel cans

Aluminum pie plates & trays

Milk - cartons, jugs & bags

All plastic containers & plastic packaging including:

Cookie & sweet trays

Plastic bottles, jars & containers

Shampoo & conditioner bottles

Cleaning bottles

Plastic laundry detergent jugs - no boxes

Yogurt & pudding containers

**Empty** plastic bags - bread, grocery & shopping

\*Ready-to-serve beverage containers (excluding milk) can be returned to an ENVIRO-DEPOT™ for a refund.

## **BLUE BAG #2**

Paper Products

Newsprint

Paper egg cartons

Phone books

Paper - including shredded paper

Boxboard - cereal & tissue boxes

Pizza boxes - clean\*

Envelopes - including plastic windows

File folders

Flyers, magazines & catalogues

Glossy flyers & paper

Soft cover books

Hard cover books - covers removed & placed in regular garbage

Paper towel & toilet paper cores

Corrugated cardboard - flattened, bundled & tied not greater than 2

feet x 3 feet x 8 inches

Paper carry out trays

Paper bags

## **GREEN CART**

*All Food Waste & Table Scraps* 

Meat, shellfish, fish, poultry

Eggs, bones & table scraps

Nuts & nut shells

Mayonnaise, salad dressings, jams, sauces & peanut butter

All dairy products

Vegetables and fruit\*

Bread & baked goods\*

Grains, pasta & rice\*

Lards & fats

Coffee grinds, filters, tea leaves & tea bags\*

Soiled or wet paper from food residue and beverages including:

Paper towels & napkins\*

Baking soda & baking powder boxes\*

Paper plates & paper cups\*

Sugar & flour bags\*

\*These items may also be placed in backyard composter

## **GARBAGE BAG**

Clear Bags

All Styrofoam products

Disposable coffee cups & lids

Hot & cold drink cups

Chip bags & cookie bags

Plastic candy wrappers

Used saran wrap & aluminum foil

Disposable diapers

Feminine hygiene products

Toothpaste tubes

Tooth, hair & lint brushes

Clothing & textiles\*

All gift wrap, ribbon & bows, broken jewellery & photographs

Crayons, markers, pencils & pens

Used kleenex & tissue paper

Broken glass (must be boxed or placed in a secure container & labeled)

Light bulbs

Empty motor oil containers

Empty, dried paint cans (covers must be removed)\*\*

Small household appliances & broken toys

Kitty litter & pet waste

Ashes (must be cold)

\*Sorting rules for CBRM are used in Membertou

**Garbage:** Picked up weekly on Tuesdays.. Garbage in clear bags, with one black bag allowed per week for privacy items

**Recycling:** Blue bags are picked up every other Saturday. Two blue bags: paper and containers/plastics/etc.

Green Bin: Picked up every Tuesday.

**Hazardous Household Waste**: Green Island, 345 Gulf Crescent, Sydport Industrial Park 902-564-8104

For return on bottle deposit:

Total Recycling, 50 Industrial Drive, Sydney 902-564-5173

Triple B Recycling Depot, 24 Stornaway St. 902-539-8736

Keltic Recycling, 434 Keltic Drive, Sydney River 902-562-4008

Electronics (such as computers, TVs, etc.):

Keltic Recycling, 434 Keltic Drive, Sydney River, 902-562-4008

**Batteries & cellphones**: Membertou Waste Management, 46 Mallard Street (Occupational Health & Safety Building), Membertou

**"White goods"** (washers, dryers, refrigerators, etc.): Hashem Scrapyard, 81 Brookland St., Sydney

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