

The Waste Hierarchy – Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

Reduce – purchase fewer items in the first place and buying products with less packaging.

Reuse – buy items that have multiple purposes or can be reused without the need for industry to alter the product.

Recycle – this is the process of taking a waste material and making it into a new item. Recycling uses resources and incurs costs for collection, transportation and processing, thus reducing and reusing are always preferable.

What happens to the products we recycle?

Ask one of our attendants for the brochure or check out our website for the most up to date information

www.hainesjunction.ca

Then hover over “Village Services”, navigate and click “Municipal Services” and choose “Recycling Program” from the left column.

Did you know?

A free weekly curbside pick up service for recyclables is available in Haines Junction. Call Cathy Mackinnon at 634-2629 to sign up.

Help make our Land Fill... Land Empty!



Questions or comments?
Contact the Village of Haines
Junction at 634-7100



Recycling...

It's easier than you think!

Welcome to the Haines
Junction Recycle Centre!

Recycle Centre Hours:

Closed Statutory Holidays

Outside bins

Wednesday to Sunday

9:00am to 6:00pm

Refundables

Wednesday to Sunday

1:00pm to 5:30pm

Recyclable Items

Refundable: All beer, wine, liquor, pop, juice and water containers!

Please Clean Recycled Items!

Aerosol cans – plastic lids to plastics

Aluminum Foil – must be clean

Batteries – all batteries are accepted

Box Board - please flatten and remove plastic windows

Cell Phones & Cell Phone Batteries

Corrugated Cardboard – clean and unwaxed, please flatten

Egg Cartons – go to box board

Glass Jars – lids go to tin cans, you do not have to remove labels

Paper - white and coloured paper, newspaper, magazines, envelopes, phone directories, paper bags, flyers, envelopes, non foil gift wrap. (staples and a little tape okay, plastic & wire spirals okay)

Plastics #1,2,3, 4, 5, 6, 7, includes plastic lids, hard plastics with no # and clear rigid plastic packaging

Printer Ink Cartridges

Soft Plastic Includes:

- plastic bags, ziploc bags
- clean, dry plastic & bubble wrap

Soft Plastic Includes (cont'd):

- plastic mesh fruit & onion bags
- non foil bags and wrapping from chips, cereal and crackers

Tin Cans – remove labels and recycle labels to colored paper

Water Filters

Wax Cartons and Tetra-Paks

There are outside bags for most recyclables at the Recycle Centre and doors into the Recycle Centre for paper, cardboard and boxboard. These can be accessed during all the hours the landfill is open.

Designated Areas at the Landfill

- Appliances
- E-Waste
- Car Batteries
- Metals
- Clean Brush
- Paint
- Tires
- Used Oil/glycol
- Construction Waste

Free Store

Clean working items for reuse.

Free Board

Check out our new Free Board for advertising large free items! Move large free items directly to a new home, instead of to the Free Store.

Other Facilities/Items

Metal Recycling for Cash

Aluminum, Brass, Copper, Catalytic Converters, Motors, Stainless Steel
Deliver to Raven Recycling for Refund
100 Galena Road, Whitehorse

Thrift Store

Operates out of the St. Christopher's Log Church basement – you can leave clean used clothing by the door.

Haines Junction Public Library

May accept some newer books in excellent condition.

Haines Junction Health Centre

Accepts eye glasses no longer needed.

Whitehorse Pharmacies

Expired or unused prescription and non-prescription drugs – Whitehorse pharmacies have a take-back program.

Compost - Have you considered composting? Compost removes up to 40% of household waste. If you have no use for finished compost, consider collecting it to give to a neighbour who composts.

Landfill

Land of the Last Resort!