

What Can I Put In My FoodCycler™?

The following graphic shows you what you can and cannot process with the FoodCycler™. The best cycle is one with a lot of variety.

YES	 Most vegetable & fruit scraps	 Eggs & eggshells	 Beans, seeds & legumes	 Coffee grinds, filters paper teabags
	 Poultry & fish bones	 Shellfish (incl. shells)	 Meat, tofu, poultry & fish	 Avocado pits
YES Cut up or in small amounts	Cut up Prior		Small Amounts	
	 Fibrous plants	 Paper towel/ tissue	 Sauces, dressings & gravies	 Dairy products
YES Cut up or in small amounts	 Corn cobs & husks	 Whole fruits & vegetables	 Jellies & jams, puddings	 Starches (bread, cake, rice)
	 Pineapple leaves	 Fibrous herbs	 Pork & lamb bones	 Hard pits (incl. plum, peach & mango)
	 Cardboard	 Oils & fats	 Pharmaceuticals	 Candy & gum
NO	 Dense bones (beef & pork)	 'Compostable' plastics	 Plastic teabags	

Please ensure that you remove all stickers, elastic bands, and other packaging. It's important to note that some tea bags are made of plastic, while others are made of paper that shreds easily by hand. Paper tea bags can be processed along with your organics, but plastic tea bags should be disposed of in the garbage.

Program Information

Nelson Drop-Off Locations



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For Early Adopters
(outside of the Fairview neighborhood):

Nelson Public Works Complex
80 Lakeside Drive
(before the RDCK Recycling depot)

2

For all Fairview Residents
(including Early Adopters residing in Fairview):

1st & Behnsen Street
(behind Safeway)

Carbon Refill Locations: Safeway, 211 Anderson St. (for all residents)

Your Foodcycler™ is the Property of the City of Nelson

The appliance you received through this program belongs to the City and is registered to your civic address. This means that if you plan to move, it's your responsibility to inform us and leave the appliance at the property for the next occupant unless other arrangements have been approved. Misusing or failing to leave the appliance when you move may result in replacement costs, as stated in the Waste Management and Wildlife Attractant Bylaw No. 3198 (2011).

What Should I Do If I'm Moving?

If you're moving in or out, you must let us know by filling out a Move In/Move Out Form on the Resources Page at nelson.ca/OrganicsResources. Alternatively, you can contact us using the email and phone number listed below. For more information, visit our program page at nelson.ca/organics.



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