



# North Cariboo Guide to RECYCLING - PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP Locations in Quesnel



For the disposal of any other items not listed, please contact the BC Recycling Hotline  
1-800-667-4321 • Email: [hotline@rcbc.ca](mailto:hotline@rcbc.ca) • [www.rcbc.ca](http://www.rcbc.ca)

## AUTOMOTIVE

### BATTERIES

- ✓ **ACCEPTED**
- Any lead-acid battery weighing at least 2 kg

### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

**Canadian Tire**  
570 Newman Drive,  
250-747-5274

**Kal Tire**  
1949 Cariboo Hwy 97 N,  
250-992-6534

**Cariboo Metal Recycling**  
1265 Sam Toy Avenue,  
250-983-2254

**City of Quesnel /  
Carson Pit Landfill**  
830 Carson Pitt Road,  
250-992-6330

### COOLANT

### DROP-OFF LOCATION

**Jepson Petroleum**  
1261 Smith Avenue  
250-992-6444

### TIRES

- ✓ **ACCEPTED**
- Passenger and light truck
- Up to 4 unmounted clean tires

### DROP-OFF LOCATION

Any tire store

More information:  
[tirestewardshipbc.ca](http://tirestewardshipbc.ca)  
1-866-759-0488

### OILS, FILTERS, CONTAINERS

- ✓ **ACCEPTED**
- Any oil or other fluid used for lubricating purposes in machinery or equipment
- Oil filters
- Any plastic container manufactured to contain oil with a capacity of less than 30 L

### ✗ NOT ACCEPTED

- Oil that is contaminated with water, antifreeze, solvents, etc.

### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

**Four Rivers Co-op Quesnel**  
3351 Hwy 97 N,  
250-992-7274

**Jepson Petroleum**  
1261 Smith Avenue  
250-992-6444

[bcusedoil.com](http://bcusedoil.com)  
1-844-722-8662

## CONSUMER BATTERIES

- ✓ **ACCEPTED**
- ALL consumer batteries weighing less than 5 kg (11 lb) including:
  - Nickel Cadmium (Ni-Cd)
  - Nickel Metal Hydride (Ni-Mh)
  - Lithium Ion (Li-ion)
  - Nickel Zinc (Ni-Zn)
  - Small Sealed Lead Acid (SSLA / Pb)
  - Lithium Primary
  - Alkaline (AA, AAA, 9V, etc.)
  - Button Cells
  - Carbon Zinc

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250-983-2254

**Canadian Tire**  
570 Newman Road,  
250-747-5274

**Rona**  
450 Johnston Avenue,  
250-992-2155

[call2recycle.ca](http://call2recycle.ca)  
1-888-224-9764

## ELECTRONICS

- ✓ **ACCEPTED**
  - Anything with a cord
  - Televisions
  - Computers, monitors, keyboards, mice and other peripherals
  - Desktop printers
  - Fax machines
  - Scanners and cameras
  - Personal or portable audio and video systems
  - Home audio/video systems
  - Vehicle audio/video systems (aftermarket)
  - Non-cellular telephones and answering machines
- Damaged items may be refused due to safety concerns.*

### ✗ NOT ACCEPTED

- Various commercial/ industrial products

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250-983-2254

**B & G Bottle Depot**  
476 Legion Drive  
250-992-7589

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## FLUORESCENT LIGHTBULBS

- ✓ **ACCEPTED**
  - Compact fluorescent lights (CFLs) – all types and shapes
  - Fluorescent tubes - max. acceptable length is 8 ft
- ✗ **NOT ACCEPTED**
  - CFLs and fluorescent tubes from non-residential sources
  - All non-fluorescent lights including incandescent, halogen, LED or HID

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[lightrecycle.ca](http://lightrecycle.ca)  
1-877-592-2972





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## MEDICATIONS

### ✓ ACCEPTED

Expired and unused medications:

- All prescription drugs
- All nonprescription medicines
- Herbal products
- Vitamin and mineral supplements
- Throat lozenges
- Any medical sharps used on humans or companion animals to inject medication

### ✗ NOT ACCEPTED

- Medicated skin care products
- Cosmetics
- Cleaners
- Pharmaceuticals from farms and institutes
- Empty pill bottles or containers
- Glucose meters
- IV bags
- Cotton swabs

### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

Any local pharmacy

[medicationsreturn.ca](http://medicationsreturn.ca)

1-844-535-8889

## MOBILE

### COMMUNICATION DEVICES

#### ✓ ACCEPTED

- All mobile phones, wireless PDAs, external aircards and pagers
- Headsets, chargers and other accessories
- cell phones (place each cell phone with battery in a separate plastic bag or cover the battery terminals with strong tape)

#### ✗ NOT ACCEPTED

- Cordless phones
- Non-wireless PDAs

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250-983-2254

**B & G Bottle Depot**  
476 Legion Drive  
250-992-7589

[recyclemycell.ca](http://recyclemycell.ca)

1-888-797-1740

### PHONES

#### ✓ ACCEPTED

- Mobile phones (place each cell phone with battery in a separate plastic bag or cover the battery terminals with strong tape)

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**B & G Bottle Depot**  
476 Legion Drive  
250-992-7589

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1-888-797-1740

### PRINTER INKS & TONER CARTRIDGES

- Printer ink cartridges
- Printer toner cartridges

### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

**Staples**  
2-640 Newman Road,  
250-747-0188

[www.recycleford.ca](http://www.recycleford.ca)

## PROPANE CYLINDERS

### ✓ ACCEPTED

- 1 lb disposable cylinders
- 20 lb refillable cylinders

### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

**Cariboo Propane**  
1410 Cariboo Hwy 97 N  
250-992-7553

## SCRAP METAL

### ✓ ACCEPTED

- All scrap metal
- Major/large appliances (ie: washer, dryer, freezer, refrigerator)

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250-992-6330

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250-983-2254

## PAINTS, FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, PESTICIDES, GASOLINE

### ✓ ACCEPTED

- Paints
- Empty paint containers
- Paint aerosols

### ✗ NOT ACCEPTED

- Paints containing pesticides or wood preservatives
- Brushes, rags, rollers
- Insect repellants, disinfectants, pet products
- Diesel, propane, butane products
- Fertilizer
- Acids, cleaners, bleach and other corrosive materials

### 👉 REMEMBER

- Containers must be tightly sealed and clearly labeled with their contents
- Do not return paint in glass containers
- Do not mix alkyd (oil-based) with latex (waterbased) paints
- Do not return more than 10 containers (or 50 spray paint containers) at one time

### DROP-OFF LOCATION

City of Quesnel /  
**Carson Pit Landfill**  
830 Carson Pitt Road,  
250-992-6330  
Northern Recycling  
250-992-2426

### Rona

450 Johnston Avenue,  
250-992-2155

[productcare.org](http://productcare.org)

1-877-592-2972

