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| **Reducing Waste in the RDBN**  **Extended Producer Responsibility**  Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) is a policy approach whereby responsibility for a product’s end-of-life management is shifted from local government and taxpayers to the producers of that product. BC has a growing list of EPR programs for products including:   * Smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors * Used oil, filters, containers and used antifreeze. * Household batteries * Automotive batteries * Cell phones and cell phone accessories * Residential lighting including bulbs and fixtures. * A wide range of electronic devices * Small appliances (e.g. toaster, vacuum cleaner) * Outdoor power equipment (e.g. lawn mower) * Leftover medicines * Paints, flammable liquids, and pesticides * Tires * Beverage containers * Residential containers, packaging, cardboard, and mixed paper   For more information on EPR in BC, including drop-off locations, visit www.bcrecycles.ca | **Contact Us for More Information**  Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako  Environmental Services Department  37 3rd Avenue Burns Lake, BC  V0J1E0, Box 820  Phone: 250 692 3195 / 1-800-320-3339  Fax: 250-692-3305  RDBN.bc.ca  The best option is to reduce!  Before you buy….   1. Can it be recycled? 2. Can it be reused? 3. Can it be composted? | |  | | --- | | RDBN Recycling  **Smithers, Telkwa and Area**  See the source image | |
| **Where Can I Recycle…**   | **Deposit Beverage Containers**   * Aluminum Cans * Plastic/Glass Bottles * Juice Boxes and Cartons * Bag-In-A-Box Containers   **Bulkley Valley Bottle Depot 3346**  **19th Ave Smithers BC 250-847-3416**  **Electronics**   * Televisions And Stereos * Computer/Video-Gaming Equipment * Cameras etc.   **Bulkley Valley Bottle Depot**  **Small Appliances and Power Tools**   * Kitchen Countertop Appliances * Vacuums And Personal Grooming Tools * Circular Saws and Drills etc.   **Bulkley Valley Bottle Depot**  **Large Appliances**   * Refrigerators/Freezers * Washers/Dryers/Ovens etc.   **Smithers-Telkwa Transfer Station 6150 Donaldson Road Smithers, BC 1-800-320-3339**  **Light Bulbs and Light Fixtures**   * Light Bulbs and Lamps (Residential Industrial, Commercial, And Institutional) * Light Fixtures   **Bulkley Valley Bottle Depot**  **Automotive Batteries**  **Smithers-Telkwa Transfer Station** |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |

**Household Batteries**

* Rechargeable And Non-Rechargeable Batteries of Various Sizes

**Smithers-Telkwa Transfer Station**

**Glacier View Satellite, 1215 Main St. Smithers BC 250 847 4499**

**BC Web 3855 2nd Ave. Smithers BC, 250 877 7777**

**Home Hardware 3739 3rd Ave. Smithers BC, 250 847 2052**

**Used Oil and Antifreeze**

* Used Oil
* Filters and Containers
* Used Antifreeze

**Canadian Tire, 3221 Hwy 16 Smithers BC 250 847 3117**

**Glacier Toyota, Smithers BC**

**Ok Tire3911 Hwy 16 Smithers 250 847 4478**

**Tires**

**Kal Tire, Smithers BC 4320 Hwy 16 Smithers 250 847 2665**

**Ok Tire, Smithers BC**

**Tatlow Tire, 2668 Tatlow Rd. Smithers BC 250 847 3286**

\*Note: Vehicle Tires Are Not Accepted at Any Transfer Stations or Landfills

**Cell Phones**

**Bulkley Valley Bottle Depot**

**Totem Audio, 1276 Main St. Smithers, BC 250 847 4722**

**Glacier View Satellite, Smithers BC**

**Ink Cartridges**

**Bulkley Valley Bottle Depot**

**Medications**

* Leftover Or Expired Prescription/ Non-Prescription Medications

**Shoppers Drug Mart, 1235 Main St. Smithers BC 250 847 2288**

**Pharmasave, 3752 4th Ave. 250 847 4474 AND 1211 Main St. 250 847 8750 Smithers BC**

**Safeway Pharmacy, 3664 HWY 16 Smithers BC, 250 847 2622**

**Other Items**

**The Recycling Area at The Smithers/Telkwa Transfer Station Accepts the Following Items for Recycling (Follow Sorting Directions at The Depot):**

* Residential Cardboard and Mixed Paper
* Residential Containers
* Residential Plastic Packaging
* Residential Plastic Bags and Overwrap
* Residential Glass Jars and Bottles
* Residential Styrofoam
* Agricultural Plastics

**The Smithers-Telkwa Transfer Station Also Accepts the Following Items for Recycling:**

* Paint, Solvents, Gasoline & Pesticides
* Propane Tanks (All Sizes)
* Metal Scrap (Steel and Auto Hulk)
* Grass Clippings/Leaves

For more information about recycling options near you, please visit: [www.bcrecycles.ca](http://www.bcrecycles.ca)

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