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[Alberta Beverage Container Recycling Corporation](#) (ABCRC) oversees the collection and recycling of more than 150,000 different types of regulated, non-refillable beverage containers sold in Alberta. Used beverage containers are transported from more than 220 independently-owned depots located throughout Alberta, then sorted and processed at ABCRC facilities. ABCRC strives to continuously improve the return rates on all beverage containers while promoting the environmental, economic and social benefits of recycling.



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[GFL Environmental](#) is the only major diversified environmental services company in North America offering services in solid waste management, liquid waste management, and infrastructure development. With strategically located operations across Canada and the United States, GFL is uniquely equipped to undertake practically any environmental challenge, with unparalleled commitment to safety and customer service. Recognized by our signature fleet of bright green trucks and equipment, we offer a wide range of environmental and industrial services to businesses, communities and households, providing a consolidated and sophisticated approach to meeting our customers' needs.



[Cascades Recovery+](#), a division of Cascades Canada ULC ("Cascades Recovery+"), is a full service Sustainability solutions provider focused on increasing diversion and minimizing overall waste costs for its partners. It is also focused on the creation of a Circular Economy by working with Brand owners and Packaging producers to design products with a positive end of life that can be returned as resources into the supply chain.



[The City of Calgary](#) works to make life better every day and help ensure that Calgary is a great place to make a living, and a great place to make a life. The City of Calgary is committed to the citizen priority of building a healthy and green city with leading environmental policies and practices to support healthy, active citizens. With a vision of leading the community towards [zero waste](#), The City has set ambitious goals to reduce waste going to landfills through innovative recycling, composting and diversion programs.



The City of Edmonton's [guiding principle](#) is to create as a community to connect people to what matters to them, working every day to make transformational impacts in their community, deliver excellent services and manage the corporation. Through their Waste Reduction Roadmap and a [25-year Waste Strategy](#), The City of Edmonton is focused on waste prevention and waste reduction, and redesigning services to help Edmontonians play a bigger role in Edmonton's zero waste future.



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The [Alberta Recycling Management Authority](#) (ARMA) acts on behalf of the province to oversee end-of-life processing of tires, electronics, paint and used oil materials. Our industry is rooted in the principle of circular economy where resources and products are kept in use for as long as possible, and regenerated into new products and materials at the end of their earlier life cycle.



The [Beverage Container Management Board](#) was established as a management board under Alberta's Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act. It is also a not-for-profit organization incorporated under the Societies Act of Alberta. The BCMB is responsible for regulating Alberta's beverage container recycling system, and leads the development of policy and programs that enable the recycling of beverage containers in Alberta. Their vision is to be the leader in stewarding beverage containers to minimize their impact on the environment.



[Claystone Waste Ltd.](#) is a western Canadian leader in waste management. Their vision is to develop innovative solutions for the safe disposal of waste and enhance the quality of life for the people in the communities that we serve.



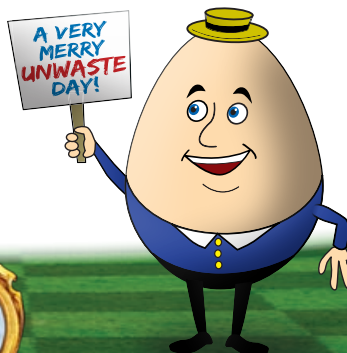
[Merlin Plastics](#) is a recycler and processor of post-consumer and post-industrial plastic container packaging. Merlin Plastics continuously work with brand owners, retailers, and industry associations to improve packaging design for recyclability as well as develop alternatives for ongoing sustainable solutions. In lieu of 'cradle-to-grave' end-of-life cycle for plastic products, their objective is for a seamless, continuous Circular Economy.



For more than 25 years, [Nespresso](#) has been committed to pursuing sustainable solutions for their products. In 1991, they launched their first recycling program in Switzerland. Since then, Nespresso has continued to make investments in recycling programs, sustainability initiatives, and whenever possible, worked with all levels of government to reduce their impact on the environment. At the heart of Nespresso's business is a producer responsibility model, which includes coffee capsules made from certified sustainable aluminum, an infinitely recyclable material that they retrieve for repurposing through their recycling programs. Nespresso remains committed to recovering as much of its materials as possible for repurposing.



[Quantum Lifecycle Partners LP](#) works to securely dispose of end-of-life IT assets. Quantum manages every step in the IT disposition process including data destruction, refurbishment and resale, logistics and electronics recycling.



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