

# YOUR GUIDE TO RECYCLING PLASTICS

**PLASTICS MUST BE  
SEPARATED INTO TWO (2)  
BINS**

## **BIN 1**

### **FILM PLASTICS**

#### **criteria for film plastics**

- Must be from residential consumable product packaging (no commercial/construction materials)
- Must be one material (of plastic)
- Cannot be crinkly

Examples:

Grocery Bags, bread bags, produce bags and overwrap.

## **BIN 2**

### **FLEXIBLE PLASTICS & PACKAGING**

#### **criteria for other flexible plastics & packaging**

- Must contain a combination of plastic materials
- Must be from residential consumable products (no commercial or construction material)

Examples:

Potato chip bags, dog/cat food bags, woven & net product bags, bubble wrap and plastic/bubble envelopes, tand-up/zip lock bags, potato chip bags, chocolate bar wrappers, crinkly food packaging

**YOUR EFFORTS CONTRIBUTE TO A BETTER FUTURE!**

## **THE FUTURE OF PLASTICS**

### **separating plastics plays a vital role**

Recycle BC partnered with Merlin Plastics to create a pilot project to reuse that material and turn it into a sustainable energy source called engineered fuel!

