

City of Regina SortSmart Contest

Official Rules and Regulations

July 2025 – July 2026

General Overview

The City of Regina (the “Contest Sponsor”) is running two waste diversion contests from July 2025 to July 2026 to encourage proper recycling practices and increase waste diversion:

1. **Curbside Rewards**
2. **Depot Rewards**

By participating in either Contest, the entrants automatically agree to accept and abide by the rules and regulations (the “Contest Rules”). All decisions of the Contest Sponsor, with respect to any aspect of this Contest, including without limitation the eligibility of entries, are final and binding on all entrants in all matters as they relate to this Contest.

Entry in the Contest is subject to all federal, provincial and local laws and regulations.

1. Curbside Rewards Contest Details

Two recycling trucks equipped with AI cameras will monitor blue carts for contamination. Each truck will monitor a group of homes for six-month period before moving to a new area for the second six-month cycle, in total covering approximately 40,000 homes over the year.

Residents who **do not receive a contamination mailer** in the **final 2 months** of their 6-month monitoring period are **automatically entered** into a prize draw.

Five winners per 6-month cycle (10 total) will be randomly selected to receive a **waste utility fee rebate, applied directly to their utility account**:

- 240 L garbage cart – \$193.45
- 360 L garbage cart – \$284.70

Winners will be notified by **mail** (no names included) and must contact the City to claim the prize. No action is required to be entered into the draw, but participants must voluntarily contact the City to receive their rebate.

Staff will verify the residents' name, address and utility billing account where the rebate is to be applied. No personal information will be accessed without consent.

Eligibility

To be eligible for automatic entry:

- Be **18 years or older**
- Be a **City of Regina resident** with a Utility account in their name
- Reside in an **AI camera-monitored area**
- **Avoid receiving** a contamination mailer in the last two months of monitoring

No entry form or action is required.

The odds of winning depend on the number of eligible participants and their recycling sorting behaviour.

2. Depot Rewards – Contest Details

Residents who **bring eligible materials** to a participating **depot or vendor** and **scan the on-site QR code** can enter the contest by completing the entry form. All entry forms for the applicable quarter will be entered into the random prize draw. Two prizes will be drawn **each quarter** closing on September 30, 2025, December 31, 2025, March 31, 2026 and June 30, 2026 at 7:00 pm CST (the “Closing Dates”).

The quarterly prizes are, providing two chances to win:

- **Fall** – 2 Cordless Electric Mulching Leaf Blowers (entry closing date, Sept 30)
- **Winter** – 2 Cordless Electric Snow Shovels (entry closing date, Dec 31 draw)
- **Spring** – 2 Rain Barrels (entry closing date, Mar 31 draw)
- **Summer** – 2 Cordless Mulching Lawn Mowers (entry closing date, Jun 30 draw)

Each seasonal prize will be awarded to two winners (8 total). Prizes must be **picked up at City Hall** upon notification. Prizes provided by SARCAN, Protex and the City of Regina.

The selected entrant(s) will be notified by email/phone on the same business day their name is drawn ("Notification"). The winner's name will be posted on the City's Website and social media posts. The Contest Sponsor assumes no responsibility for any inaccurate information provided to it, or that results in any way from the transmission, receipt or processing of entries.

By entering the Contest, each selected entrant agrees to sign and return the following to City of Regina within five (5) days of accepting the Winner Notification:

- (a) A form affirming eligibility and compliance with all Contest Rules (form may require notarization);
- (b) A liability release form releasing the Contest Sponsor, their directors, employees, officers, agents and affiliates from all liability arising from or relating to the acceptance, receipt, possession, use or misuse of an awarded Prize, participation in any Contest-related activity including any travel related thereto and/or participation in this Contest; and
- (c) A publicity release and consent form permitting the Contest Sponsor's to use his or her name and city/town of residence without compensation in any public notification of the winner or the Contest, publicity or advertising carried out in any medium worldwide by the Contest Sponsor and/or its advertising or promotional agencies without limitation or further notification, unless prohibited by law.

The Contest Sponsor is not responsible for entries that are incomplete or do not conform to or satisfy the condition of these Contest Rules and all such entries may be disqualified. All entries become the sole property of the Contest Sponsor and none will be returned.

Eligibility

To be eligible:

- Be **18 years or older**
- Bring allowable material to a participating depot or vendor

Odds of winning depend on the number of eligible entries received.

Prize Details (for Both Contests)

- Prizes are **non-transferable** and must be accepted as awarded with no substitutions, except at the Contest Sponsor's sole discretion.
 - The Contest Sponsor reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value if a prize cannot be awarded as described for any reason.
 - Odds of winning depend on the number of eligible entries or participants
 - Winners will be contacted by **mail, phone, or email**, depending on the contest stream
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Draw Dates and Winner Notification

- **Curbside Contest Draws:** Final month of each 6-month period (July–Dec 2025 and Jan–June 2026)
- **Depot Contest Draws:** First business week following each seasonal closing date

If a selected entrant does not respond by the stated deadline (Curbside), or within **2 days** (Depot) with the required information or is found ineligible, a new winner will be drawn. By entering, you agree that if you are a selected entrant who is disqualified, and a Prize is forfeited for any reason, the Contest Sponsor will be fully and completely released and discharged from any liability or responsibility in this regard. Contest Sponsor is not responsible for the failure for any reason whatsoever of any selected entrant to receive Notification.

If any selected entrant is not eligible or does not otherwise meet the requirements as set out in the Contest Rules, the Contest Sponsor will have the right to disqualify said entrant and randomly draw another eligible entry for purposes of awarding a Prize, and the Contest Sponsor shall be fully and completely released and discharged from any liability or responsibility in this regard.

General Conditions (Applicable to Both Contests)

- By entering the Contest, entrants and selected entrants agree to release and hold harmless the Contest Sponsor and their directors, employees, officers, agents and affiliates from any injury, loss or damage of any kind to persons or property, including but not limited to death, resulting in whole or in part directly or indirectly from the acceptance, receipt, possession, use or misuse of an awarded Prize, participation in any Contest-related activity including any travel related thereto and/or participation in the Contest.
- The Contest Sponsor reserves the right, in their sole discretion, to terminate, modify or suspend the Contest, or modify the Contest Rules at any time for any reason whatsoever.
- The Contest Sponsor will not be liable for any human or technical errors that may arise or occur in connection with the Contest. The Contest Sponsor assumes no responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of the entries.
- No contact will be made with entrants except with the winning entrant.
- The Contest Sponsor is not responsible for any problems or technical malfunction of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers or providers, computer equipment, software, failure of any e-mail or entry to be received by the Contest Sponsor as a result of technical problems or human error, or any combination thereof.
- The Contest Sponsor reserves the right at their sole discretion to disqualify any individual who tampers with or attempts to tamper with the entry process. **ANY ATTEMPT BY AN ENTRANT TO DELIBERATELY UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE CONTEST MAY BE A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS AND**

SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, THE CONTEST SPONSOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES FROM ANY SUCH ENTRANT TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW INCLUDING CRIMINAL PROSECUTION.

- This Contest is governed by the laws of Saskatchewan and the laws of Canada applicable therein, and is subject to all applicable federal, provincial and municipal laws and regulations.
- By entering this Contest, the entrant agrees that the courts of the Province of Saskatchewan, Canada shall have jurisdiction to entertain any action or other legal proceedings based on any provision of the Contest Rules or the running of this Contest. The entrant hereby irrevocably attorns the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the Province of Saskatchewan.
- Contest Sponsor will not sell or transmit this information to third parties except for the purposes of administering this Contest. Any inquiry concerning personal information held by the Contest Sponsor should be addressed to City at 306-777-7000.
- Following receipt of a Prize by the selected entrant, the Contest Sponsor will confidentially shred and recycle all Contest entries.