“EAT ME FIRST" BIN FOR YOUR FRIDGE
This bin is for food that will spoil first. You can also make leftovers into a new meal or freeze foods for a future meal.

BLACK PLASTIC
Avoid products that come in black plastic containers. They often end up in our landfill.

HOW TO USE VEGGIES SCRAPS
You can grow veggies from food scraps to reduce food packaging. You can also reuse veggie scraps by making a vegetable broth out of them. More ideas here.

REUSE PLASTIC PACKAGING FOR OTHER PURPOSES
There are many ways to reuse plastic packaging. For example, you can save your tortillas bags and reuse as a Ziploc bag. Or reuse plastic packaging from toilet paper to line your trash bin.

REUSABLE CLOTH BAGS
Cloth bags are much sturdier and longer lasting than plastic ones. You can also make a stylish cloth bag from an old t-shirt.

ICE CREAM CARTONS
Did you know in Toronto you can throw ice cream cartons in the green bin? Check the Waste Wizard app or website for more information.

PERSONAL CARE
Millions of shampoo bottles and deodorant applicators are thrown away each year. You can replace this packaging by using shampoo bars or making your own deodorant. You can even look for a refill store near you!

SUGAR WAX
You can eliminate the need for single-use wax strips or disposable razors, simply using old cotton strips and an affordable sugar recipe to wax. You can wash and reuse the cotton strips. Learn more here.

MAKEUP CONTAINERS
Check if the makeup brand has a recycling program within its store. If not, go to TerraCycle.ca to find a location where you can properly dispose of your containers.

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