

Broadening materials subject to a fee

Objective: equity and coherence

Containers, packaging and printed matter sold as products (CP&PM products) were included in the calculation of the expected quantities to establish the 2018 Schedule of Contributions in order to broaden materials subject to a fee in order to include more materials covered by the net costs paid to municipalities. Therefore, as of the 2018 Schedule of Contributions, short-life containers and packaging sold as products and printed matter sold as products must be reported.

CP&PM products may be grouped into different classes. The classes are not limited: they are only provided to facilitate the identification of the CP&PM products included in the broadening.

You will find below a few examples:

Product category	Product examples
Food bags and films	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aluminum foil Plastic film Wax paper Parchment paper Sandwich & freezer bags Muffin molds Kraft paper bags (lunch)
Disposable food containers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plates, bowls and all containers other than aluminum Plates and all aluminum containers Glasses (all types and materials) Lids (all materials) Mason jar lids
Party supplies and anniversaries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gift bags Wrapping paper Greeting cards Silk paper Gift boxes Gift tags Ribbons and bows (if material designated) Pinatas & party poppers
Stationery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Envelopes Notebooks (with or without spiral) Note pads Sheet pads (lined or squared) Agendas Calendars Protective films and covers Photo paper

House	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Moving boxes and cardboard boxes Recycling bags Protective films for furniture Paint liners Plant saucers Vacuum bags for storage Bubble wrap
Arts & crafts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coloring books Game books (sudoku, crosswords, puzzles, etc.) Exercise books (abc, math, etc.) Construction paper Art kits / Scrapbooking

Excluded Short-life containers and packaging sold as products

Containers and packaging explicitly and solely intended to contain or package garbage and all other types of waste designated under another regulation:

- Trash bags
- Compost bags
- Vacuum bags
- Biomedical waste bags

Excluded Printed matter sold as products

- Books
- Materials included in the newspaper category
- Schoolbooks
- Personal medical files
- Identification documents (birth certificate, passport, etc.)
- Printed matter intended to be used or consumed only by a final user at the sales or distribution site (e.g. paper placemats and menus in a restaurant)