

IGBC BEAR-RESISTANT PRODUCTS



Attention

Manufacturers of IGBC-certified bear-resistant products are required to verify that their products are still manufactured to original specifications. This process helps ensure that information provided to consumers is current and accurate.

Products from manufacturers that have completed this verification process appear on this list of IGBC-certified bear-resistant products.

Products that have not been confirmed appear on a separate list of certified products. Unconfirmed products are still considered certified by the IGBC, but the IGBC has not confirmed that products are made to the same specifications and are still available for purchase.

Manufacturers can contact the testing program at testing@igbconline.org, confirm the status of their IGBC-certified products, and have their products added back to the official IGBC list of certified bear-resistant products.

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Introduction

Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee (IGBC) Certified Bear-Resistant Products provide a way to secure food, garbage, and other attractants on public and private lands. These products have been tested by the IGBC and meet or exceed IGBC's minimum standards.

Certified products are one method of complying with some food and garbage storage requirements on public lands. These requirements apply to most National Forests, National Parks, and federal lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management, and some state lands within grizzly bear range. Certain municipalities, private landowners, and homeowner's associations also implement garbage or attractant storage ordinances and by-laws requiring use of IGBC certified products.

The IGBC does NOT determine if bear-resistant products can be used to meet food or garbage storage regulations, or which types or brands of products can be used to meet regulations. Each land management authority (i.e., US Forest Service, Park Service, state wildlife agency or other entity) determines specific products and methods that can be used to comply with food storage regulations that apply on lands managed by that entity.

Please ensure you are choosing or using a product that complies with the requirements that apply in the area you will be visiting.

The IGBC List of Certified Products includes two groups of bear-resistant products and designs.

- Bear-resistant products that are confirmed as being manufactured to the specifications the IGBC certified and are available for purchase. Links provided with these products connect to the manufacturer's homepage or other websites (when possible) where the product can be purchased.
- Electric fence designs and products that meet IGBC standards for securing attractants in areas where grizzly bears may be present. *

* Electric fence designs and products listed in this document are not intended to replace general bear safety guidelines for preventing bears from being attracted to tents and/or areas while people are sleeping.

Products in this document have been tested by the IGBC and have met IGBC standards as grizzly bear-resistant. Certification does not guarantee that a grizzly bear will never gain entry to these products. Nor does the IGBC guarantee that small amounts of the contents of the containers won't be able to leak or spill out.

These commercial products and suppliers are presented for information only and inclusion in this document does not imply endorsement of any product or source over another. Products are generally arranged in alphabetical order.

This list will be updated as needed. Please note that some products may be marketed or sold under different brand names.

IGBC BEAR-RESISTANT PRODUCTS

BACK PACKING & SMALL STORAGE CONTAINERS

ADOTEC

Ultralight Food Locker, Grizzly Bear Model, 14L size – **IGBC Certification No. 245493** (Certified 08-13-24)
226-456-3316 www.adotecgear.com

ALUBOX.COM

Metal Storage Case, Model A042 - **IGBC Certification No. 5411** (Certified 8-10-21)
+45 57601002 www.alubox.com

BearVault

BV One 1- **IGBC Certification No. 255500** (Certified 07/25/25)
BV425 - **IGBC Certification No. 5422** (Certified 6/13/22)
BV450 - **IGBC Certification No. 5339**
BV475 - **IGBC Certification No. 5423** (Certified 6/13/22)
BV500- **IGBC Certification No. 5340**
866-301-3442 <http://www.bearvault.com>

Grub Can

Wave 6.6 - **IGBC Certification No. 5414** (Certified 10-11-21)
Wave 10.0 - **IGBC Certification No. 5415** (Certified 10-11-21) **NOT CURRENTLY IN PRODUCTION**
Carbon 6.6 - **IGBC Certification No. 5427** (Certified 6-23-22)
Carbon 4.5 - **IGBC Certification No. 235484** (Certified 10-25-23)
928-853-8070 www.grubcan.com

Missoula Technical Development Center

Modifications to 50 Caliber Ammo Box: Military grade solid steel ammunition cans, with hinged lid and locking latch. Must be modified to include a bolt (with nut and washer) through the latch that prevents the latch from being opened and lid removed when bolt is in place (as shown in "[Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee. 1989. Bear-Resistant Containers – Minimum design and structural standards; Inspection and testing methodology.](#) Page 18."). These types of ammunition cans are available in various sizes. Acceptable dimensions include: length: 10"–19; height: 7" – 15"; width: 3" – 10". **IGBC Certification No. 5419**

REI

Traverse Bear Can, Model 25200 – **IGBC Certification No. 245491** (Certified 6/27/24)
208-610-8887 www.rei.com

UDAP Industries Inc.

"No Fed Bear" Canister- [IGBC Certification No. 5345](#)

Ursack (Bear Saga, LLC)

Food Storage Bag – Model: Ursack Major (Previously the S29 AllWhite) – **IGBC Cert. No. 3738** (Certified 4/11/14)
Food Storage Bag – Model: AllMitey – **IGBC Certification No. 5135** (Certified 4-24-17)
440-570-1503 www.ursack.com

Open-Head Steel Drums

Open-head, steel drums, sizes 5 to 55 gallons, with steel lids that attach to the drum head with a metal ring around the rim that is secured with a bolt and nut, or with a self-locking lever that is secured with a metal carabiner or padlock. Drums should be constructed of 12 – 20 gauge steel (i.e., steel thickness between 0.9 mm (0.035”) and 1.5 mm. (0.059”). - **IGBC Certification Number 235466** (Certified May 10, 2023)

PANNIERS and BOXES

Colorado River and Trails Expeditions Inc.

Rafting Dry Box - **IGBC Certification No. 5446**
800-253-7328 <https://crateinc.com>

Industrial Design & Equipment, Inc. DBA Indeco Inc.

Aluminum Storage Pannier Model 3.03 – **IGBC Certification No. 3767**
360-393-9750 <http://www.indeco-usa.com>

Mad Cow Metal Works

Aluminum dry boxes ranging in size from 12”x8”x7” to 40”x16”x16”, **IGBC Certification No. 3353**
Aluminum horse pannier 24”x13”x18” – **IGBC Certification No. 3355**
406-581-9115 <http://madcowmetalworks.com>

Zarges Inc.

Aluminum Case, Model Zarges K470 # 40810 - **IGBC Certification No. 5001**
Aluminum Case, Model Zarges K470 # 40568 - **IGBC Certification No. 5398**
Aluminum Case, Model Zarges K470 # 40678 - **IGBC Certification No. 5021**
704-357-6285 <http://www.ZargesUSA.com>

COOLERS

**** COOLERS REQUIRE USE OF BOLTS AND NUTS OR
APPROPRIATELY-SIZED PADLOCKS TO BE BEAR-RESISTANT ****

Bison Coolers

Bison 25 QT Cooler, Model 500101 - **IGBC Certification No. 235482** (Certified 9/14/23)
Bison 50 QT Cooler, Model 500201 - **IGBC Certification No. 235470** (Certified 7/25/23)
Bison 55 QT Cooler, Model 500701 - **IGBC Certification No. 255508** (Certified 9/2/25)
Bison 75 QT Cooler, Model 500301 - **IGBC Certification No. 235480** (Certified 9/6/23)
682-235-5125 www.bisoncoolers.com

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Blue Coolers

Ice Vault 60 QT Cooler, Model 60-1001BX - **IGBC Cert. No. 255517** (Cert. 12/4/25)
Ark Series 100 QT Cooler, Model 100-4001BX - **IGBC Cert. No. 255518** (Cert. 2/4/25)
866-474-2583 www.bluecoolers.com

Canyon Coolers

Outfitter 35 QT v2 Cooler, Model X35S-V2 - **IGBC Cert. No. 255512** (Cert. 9/11/25)
Canyon Pro 85 QT Cooler, Model PRO85S - **IGBC Cert. No. 255513** (Cert. 8/14/25)
866-558-3267 www.canyoncoolers.com

Cold Bastard Outdoors

Hard Cooler, Model Rugged+45 – **IGBC Certification No. 5389** (Certified 8/21/20)
Hard Cooler, Model Rugged+70QTW – **IGBC Certification No. 5406** (Certified 6/14/21)
Hard Cooler, Model Rugged+20QT – **IGBC Certification No. 5407** (Certified 7/21/21)
951-239-0402 www.coldbastardcoolers.com

EUFORIC Brands (see Maluna Unhinged)

GoatBoxCo.

HUB 50 Cooler - **IGBC Certification No. 225430** (Certified 8/4/22)
HUB 70 Cooler - **IGBC Certification No. 225435** (Certified 10/17/22)
979-575-0182 www.goatboxco.com

Lone Mountain Coolers (Permafrost Coolers)

Lone Mountain 35QT cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 5417** (Certified 11/16/21)
Lone Mountain 45QT cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 5413** (Certified 9/16/21)
Lone Mountain 75QT cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 5418** (Certified 11/22/21)
Lone Mountain 20QT cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 5421** (Certified 06/13/22)
Lone Mountain 60QT cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 225436** (Certified 10/17/22)
Lone Mountain 110QT cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 5429** (Certified 7/22/22)
406-599-8993 www.lonemountaincoolers.com

Permafrost Coolers (see Lone Mountain Coolers)

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Wyld Gear

Hard Cooler 25 QT - **IGBC Certification No. 5237 (Approved 6/18/18)**
Freedom Series 25QT, Model HC25 - **IGBC Certification No. 5420 (Approved 6/13/22)**
Freedom Series 50QT, Model HC50 - **IGBC Certification No. 225434 (Approved 10/7/22)**
Freedom Series 65QT, Model HC65 - **IGBC Certification No. 5412 (Approved 9/6/21)**
Freedom Series 75QT, Model HC75 - **IGBC Certification No. 225431 (Approved 8/4/22)**
Freedom Series 90QT, Model HC90 - **IGBC Certification No. 225465 (Approved 12/01/22)**
Freedom Series 110QT, Model HC110 - **IGBC Certification No. 225433 (Approved 10/7/22)**

YETI Coolers

45 QT Cooler - **IGBC Certification No. 5329**
Roadie Cooler 20 - **IGBC Certification No. 3716**
Tundra Cooler 35 - **IGBC Certification No. 3717**
Tundra Cooler 45 - **IGBC Certification No. 3701**
Tundra Cooler 50 - **IGBC Certification No. 3390**
Tundra Cooler 60 – **IGBC Certification No. 5211**
Tundra Cooler 65 - **IGBC Certification No. 3702**
Tundra Cooler 75 - **IGBC Certification No. 3391**
Tundra Cooler 85 - **IGBC Certification No. 4882**
Tundra Cooler 105 - **IGBC Certification No. 3392**
Tundra Cooler 110 - **IGBC Certification No. 3393**
Tundra Cooler 120 - **IGBC Certification No. 3704**
Tundra Cooler 125 - **IGBC Certification No. 3394**
Tundra Cooler 155 - **IGBC Certification No. 4883**
Tundra Cooler 160 - **IGBC Certification No. 3395**
Tundra Cooler 210 - **IGBC Certification No. 5017**
Tundra Cooler 250 - **IGBC Certification No. 3703**
Tundra Cooler 350 - **IGBC Certification No. 5032**
Tundra Cooler 420 – **IGBC Certification No. 3718**
Roadie 48 Wheeled cooler – **IGBC Certification No. 245489 (Certified 04/29/24)**
www.yeti.com

GARBAGE CONTAINERS, FOOD STORAGE LOCKERS, RECYCLING UNITS & GREASE BINS

Bear Guardian

B-100 Bitterroot Series trash receptacle for 32-gallon trash can (revised latch May 2020) **IGBC Cert. No. 3746**
B-200 Bitterroot Series trash receptacle for (2) 32-gallon trash cans (revised latch May 2020) **IGBC Cert. No. 3747**
B100XL Bitterroot Series trash receptacle - **IGBC Cert. No. 255501 (Certified 07/10/25)**
B200XL Bitterroot Series trash receptacle - **IGBC Cert. No. 255503 (Certified 07/24/25)**
B300 Bitterroot Series trash receptacle - **IGBC Cert. No. 255504 (Certified 07/24/25)**
S-111 Selway Series 11 cu ft Food Storage Locker **IGBC Certification No. 3748**
S-115 Selway Series 15 cu ft Food Storage Locker **IGBC Certification No. 5274 (Certified 5/26/10)**
S-124 Selway Series 24 cu ft Food Storage Locker S124 (Updated latch 5/2020) **IGBC Cert. No. 5212 (Certified 1/24/18)**

S-130 Selway Series 30 cu ft Food Storage Locker (updated latch 5/2020) **IGBC Certification No. 5061**
T-400 Teton Series 4 yd dumpster **IGBC Certification No. 5218** (Certified 2/18/18)
T-600 Teton Series 6 yd dumpster (double access doors) (updated latch 5/2020) **IGBC Cert. No. 5220** (Cert. 2/21/18)
T-800 Teton Series 8 yd dumpster **IGBC Certification No. 5219** (Certified 2/18/18)
Bitterroot Series w/paddle latch - **IGBC Certification No. 5275** (Certified 6/10/10)
208-356-3263 www.bearguardian.com

BearSaver

Dumpster: 3-yrld, front-load - **IGBC Certification No. 5369**
Food Storage Locker: FS15 - **IGBC Certification No. 5371**
Food Storage Locker: FS16 - **IGBC Certification No. 5372**
Food Storage Locker: FS20 - **IGBC Certification No. 5373**
Food Storage Locker: FS24 - **IGBC Certification No. 5374**
Food Storage Locker: FS30 - **IGBC Certification No. 5375**
Trash/Recycling Unit: HB-1 - **IGBC Certification No. 5376**
Trash/Recycling Unit: HB-1 Mini - **IGBC Certification No. 5377**
Trash/Recycling Unit: HB-2 - **IGBC Certification No. 5378**
Trash/Recycling Unit: HB-2 Mini - **IGBC Certification No. 5379**
Trash Enclosure – Single: BE1-P - **IGBC Certification No. 5380**
Recycling Enclosure – Single, Model BE1-Y - **IGBC Certification No. 5381**
Trash Enclosure – Double, BE2-P - **IGBC Certification No. 5382**
Recycling Enclosure – Double, BE2-Y - **IGBC Certification No. 5383**
Trash/Recycling Combo Unit - Double: BE2-PX - **IGBC Certification No. 5384**
Trash Cans and Recycle Bins: “CE Series” - **IGBC Certification No. 5385**
Trash Cans and Recycle Bins: “HA Series” - **IGBC Certification No. 5386**
Residential Trash Cart Enclosure: RCE195F - **IGBC Certification No. 5387**
Residential Trash Cart Enclosure – 35 Gallon: RCE135F - **IGBC Certification No. 5388**
Trash/Recycling Unit: “RCE Series” - **IGBC Certification No. 5393**
Mini-Depot Triple Recycling Unit: MDYP-LL - **IGBC Certification No. 5366**
Mini-Depot Trash/Recycling Combo Unit: MDYP-LL-X - **IGBC Certification No. 5367**
800-851-3887 <http://www.bearsaver.com>

Bear Stop Box - (I.C. Refrigeration Service Inc.)

Bear Stop Box, Model 2CCGCE - **IGBC Certification # 235487** (Certified 12/21/23)
209-538-8271 www.bearstop.org

CanShed, LLC

CanShed 3 Slider garbage can enclosure – **IGBC Certification No. 3754**
720.204.8004 www.canshed.us.com

Capital Industries

3 yd³ Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5276**
2-yd³ Front-Load Dumpster - **IGBC Certification No. 5336A**
2-yd³ Rear-Load, Split Style Bear Lid Dumpster - **IGBC Certification No. 5336B**
3 yd³ Front-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336C**
3 yd³ Rear-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336D**
4 yd³ Front-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336F**
4 yd³ Rear-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336G**
6 yd³ Front-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336H**

6 yd³ Rear-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336I**
8 yd³ Front-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5336J**
206-762-8585 www.capitalind.com

Citibin, Inc.

Citibin 1-module Large Garbage Can Enclosure – **IGBC Certification No. 255506** (Certified 8/7/25)
Citibin 2-module Large Garbage Can Enclosure – **IGBC Certification No. 255507** (Certified 8/7/25)
347-549-4121 www.citibin.com

Colorado Correctional Industries

1.5yd Rear Load Dumpster, Model: WM1.5CDREL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5193
2yd Rear Load Dumpster, Model: WM2CDREL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5194
2yd Front Load Dumpster, Model: WM2CDFEL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5195
3yd Rear Load Dumpster, Model: WM3CDREL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5196
3yd Front Load Dumpster, Model: WM3CDFEL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5197
4yd Front Load Dumpster, Model: WM4CDFEL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5198
6yd Front Load Dumpster, Model WM6CDFEL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5199
8yd Front Load Dumpster, Model: WM8CDFEL-BPL	IGBC Cert. No.: 5200
95 Gal. Roll-Away Cart, Model: MPBP95C	IGBC Cert. No: 5201
32 Gal. Double Residential, Model: MPBPFD32C	IGBC Cert. No: 5202
32 Gal. Single Residential, Model: MPBPFS32C	IGBC Cert. No.: 5203
35 Gal. Double Residential, Model: MPBPFD35C	IGBC Cert. No.: 5204
35 Gal. Single Residential, Model: MPBPFS35C	IGBC Cert. No.: 5205
95 Gal. Double Residential, Model: MPBPFD32C	IGBC Cert. No.: 5206
95 Gal. Single Residential, Model: MPBPFS32C	IGBC Cert. No.: 5207
Quick Release Locking System, Model: MPBPQRS	IGBC Cert. No.: 5208
70 Gallon Tip-Out, Model MPBPFS70G	IGBC Cert. No.: 5293
Single Campsite Food Storage Locker	IGBC Cert. No.: 5299 (Certified 5/10/05)

[Colorado Correctional Industries](http://www.coloradocorrectionalindustries.com)

Duck River Services

Garbage Can Enclosure GCE, Model 68-13582 - **IGBC Certification # 235469** (Approved 07-25-23)
931-797-6455 www.DuckRiverGCE.com

Gardner Garbage Service

Grizzly Guard Dumpster, Model 01 - **IGBC Certification # 245495** (Certified 01/06/25)
406-224-7642

Grizzly Fabrication & Welding, LLC

2 yd dumpster with single latch – **IGBC Certification No. 5191** (Certified 8/4/09)
4 yd dumpster with single latch – **IGBC Certification No. 5192** (Certified 8/4/09)
Food storage locker, 12 cu³ ft, Model 612C-RE – **IGBC Certification No. 5185** (Certified 11/27/12)
Food storage locker, 15 cu³ ft, Model 615C-RE – **IGBC Certification No. 5186** (Certified 11/27/17)
Food storage locker, 24 cu³ ft, Model 624C-RE – **IGBC Certification No. 5187** (Certified 11/27/17)
Food storage locker, 30 cu³ ft, Model 630C-RE – **IGBC Certification No. 5044** (Certified 11/21/17)
(307) 271-1267 www.grizfab.com

Haul-All Equipment Systems, Ltd.

Freedom 32 - **IGBC Certification No. 3332**

Discovery - **IGBC Certification No. 3333**

Dumpster, 6-yd³ Front Load, Model # CFL6 – **IGBC Certification No. 3363**

Hid-A-Bag I Mini, Model # HBIM-P – **IGBC Certification No. 5109** (Certified 10/31/16)

Hid-A-Bag II Mini, Model # HBIIM-PG – **IGBC Certification No. 5108** (Certified 10/31/16)

Hid-A-Bag I, Model# HBIS-P – **IGBC Certification No. 5110** (Certified 10/31/16)

Hid-A-Bag II, Model # HBIIS-PG – **IGBC Certification No. 5113** (Certified 11/14/16)

Front Load Dumpster, Model #BT-1705 – **IGBC Certification No. 5111** (Certified 11/14/16)

Sentinel, Model #OB70 – **IGBC Certification No. 5112** (Certified 11/14/16)

Hid-A-Way - 4 YD dumpster, Model # HL4T - **IGBC Certification No. 5114** (Certified 11/14/16)

Hid-A-Way - 6 YD dumpster, Model # HL6T - **IGBC Certification No. 5122** (Certified 11/14/16)

403-328-7788 www.haulall.com

Jamestown Advanced Products Corp

24 ft³ Food Storage Locker – **IGBC Certification No. 3766**

24 ft³ Food Storage Locker, Model 16803-001 – **IGBC Certification No. 5215** (Certified 2/16/18)

30 ft³ Food Storage Locker, Model 16804-001 – **IGBC Certification No. 5216** (Certified 2/16/18)

30 ft³ Stackable Food Locker, Model 16808-001 – **IGBC Certification No. 5217** (Certified 2/16/18)

15 ft³ Food Locker, Model 16802-001 – **IGBC Certification No. 5221** (Certified 2/23/18)

24 ft³ Stackable Food Locker, Model 16807-001 – **IGBC Certification No. 5222** (Certified 2/23/18)

26 ft³ Food Locker with Sloped Lid, Model 16842-001 – **IGBC Certification No. 5223** (Certified 2/23/18)

2-yd³ Front-Load Dumpster – **IGBC Certification No. 5307** (Certified 9/25/08)

716-483-3406 www.jamestownadvanced.com

Northland Products, Inc.

Kodiak Can, 65-gal, rotating knob latch, Model KP65- HDRK - **IGBC Certification # 5142** (Certified 4/30/17)

Kodiak Can, 95-gal, Model KP-95 HD- **IGBC Certification # 5048** (Certified 5/27/16)

Kodiak Can, 95-gal, heavy weight; rotating knob latch, Model KP-95X HD - **IGBC Certification # 5071** (Cert. 7/5/16)

Kodiak Can, 95-gal, standard weight/rotating knob latch release, Model KP95-HDRK - **IGBC Cert. # 5136** (Cert. 7/5/16)

Kodiak Can, 95-gal, standard weight w/ rotating knob latch rel., Model KP95-HDRK - **IGBC Cert. #5229** (Cert. 5/10/18)

Kodiak Can, 65 gal., lever latch, 40 lbs total weight, Model # KP65-HDLL – **IGBC Certification No. 5396** (Cert. 4/27/17)

Kodiak Can, 95 gal., lever latch, 34 lb can, 8 lb lid), Model # KP95-HDLL – **IGBC Certification No. 5397** (Cert. 4/11/18)

928-636-9298 www.kodiak-products.com

Rehrig Pacific Co.

65EG Bear Cart, Semi-Automated Med. with Body Bar & Bite Guard – **IGBC Certification No. 5249** (Certified 5/1/19)

35EG Bear Cart, Semi-Automated Cart with Latch Bite Guard – **IGBC Certification No. 5400** (Certified 5/12/21)

www.rehrigpacific.com

RJ Thomas Co., Inc.

Food Storage Locker, Model # BPFL-D-30, BPFL-D-30-ADA – **IGBC Certification Number 5258** (Certified 6/12/19)

Food Storage Locker, Model # BPFL-25, BPFL-25-ADA (new latching system since product with cert # 3372 tested so assigned new cert #)– **IGBC Certification Number 5123** (Certified 12/6/16)

Food Storage Locker, Model # BPFL-15, BPFL-15-ADA – **IGBC Cert. No. 5104** (Cert. 10/26/16)

Food Storage Locker, Model # BPFL-T-18 – **IGBC Cert. Number 5263** (Cert. 9/3/19)

Food Storage Locker, Model # BPFL-30, BPFL-30-ADA – **IGBC Cert. No. 5105** (Cert. 10/26/16)

Trash/Recycling Receptacle, Model # BPRT1-36/#1 – **IGBC Cert. No. 5106** (Certified 10/26/16)

Trash/Recycling Receptacle, Model # BPRT2-72 – **IGBC Cert. No. 5124** (Certified 12/6/16)

Trash/Recycling Receptacle, Model # BPRT3-108/#1 – **IGBC Cert. No. 5107** (Certified 10/26/16)
712-225-5115 www.rjthomas.com

San Dimas Technology and Development Center - 2-yd³ Bear-Resistant Dumpster

909-599-1267 <http://www.fs.fed.us/t-d/> username: t-d: password: t-d

See Recreation Management Tech Tip # 0323 1302 SDTDC.

Shoshone National Forest - Steel Bear Box, welded or bolted with or without stand.

Tiger Companies

197 gallon Animal Resistant Trash Receptacle, Model ALP4500-01-GRN - **IGBC Cert. Number 255511** (Certified 9/25/25)

973-854-8600 www.tigercompanies.com

Toter LLC

32 gallon, Model 79B32, semi-automated - **IGBC Cert. Number 5236** (Certified 6/18/18)

64 gallon, Model 79B64, semi-automated - **IGBC Cert. Number 3368** (Certified 03/01/11)

96 gallon, Model 79B96, semi-automated - **IGBC Cert. Number 3367** (Certified 10/07/09)

64 gallon, fully-automated refuse cart, Model 79A64-A - **IGBC Cert. Number 5416** (Certified 10/28/21)

96 gallon, fully-automated refuse cart, Model 79A96-B - **IGBC Cert. Number 245494** (Certified 11/05/24)

(96 Gallon Model Number Revised 12/04/24 to update model number from 79A96-A to 79A96-B)

704-768-2599 www.toter.com

TuffBoxx (billed to: tierceltechnology.com)

Bearbin Metal Litter Storage Unit, Single Receptacle, Model BPRR1 - **IGBC Cert. Number 255514** (Certified 11/19/25)

973-854-8600 www.tuffboxx.com

UCO Totes

UCO Totes Grease Bin, Model 134 gallon - **IGBC Certification # 235474 (Approved 08-03-23)**

UCO Totes Grease Bin, Model 209 gallon - **IGBC Certification # 235475 (Approved 08-03-23)**

UCO Totes Grease Bin, Model 314 gallon - **IGBC Certification # 235476 (Approved 08-03-23)**

360-205-3252 www.ucototes.com

Accessories

BearBolts

BearBolts, Version 2.0 – **IGBC Certification No. 245496** (Certified 12/12/24)

337-257-8082 www.bearbolts.com

ELECTRIC FENCING TO DETER GRIZZLY BEARS

The IGBC recommends several electric fence designs that have been proven effective in deterring grizzlies and are an option for securing bear attractants in areas frequented by grizzly bears. The first design is intended for longer term applications including securing livestock, fruit trees, compost piles, chicken coops and other attractants on private lands, as well as securing outfitter camps on both public and private lands.

The second design describes components of portable electric fences that can be used when recreating in bear country to secure attractants and campsites, or whenever a temporary means of securing bear attractants is needed. Please consult with the land management authority for the area you plan to recreate in for information about specific food storage requirements in that area.

A Note About Proper Use of Electric Fences:

Common reasons for electric fence failures include failing to turn the fence on at night, improperly grounding the fence, inadequately clearing weeds, shrubs or trees shorting out fences, and failing to fully charge batteries. Protecting energizers from excessive jarring and moisture will also minimize chances of energizer malfunction (i.e. broken internal wiring or on/off switches) and the resulting electric fence failure. To ensure that fences are working properly, test the amount of voltage flowing through the fence using one of the economical and lightweight voltage testers that are now available.

Two Tech Tips bulletins from the US Forest Service's Missoula Technology and Development Center provide an excellent overview of electric fencing and proven recommendations for setting up an effective electric fences. Relevant Tech Tips bulletins are available online by visiting the links below, or by calling the Missoula Technical Development Center at 1-406-329-3900.

- *Northern Continental Divide Electric Fence System Pub# 9923-2321 MTDC*
<http://www.fs.fed.us/t-d/> (username: t-d: password: t-d)
- *Portable Mesh Electric Fence System Pub# 0723-2305 MTDC*
<http://www.fs.fed.us/t-d/> (username: t-d: password: t-d)

Permanent or Semi-Permanent Fence Designs

The seven strand electric fence has applicability in situations such as permitted base outfitter camps, or around beehives, orchards or chicken coops on private land where the fence is typically in place for a longer period of time.

Table 1. Summary of Recommended Specifications for Permanent and Semi-Permanent Electric Fences.

Summary of Permanent and Semi-Permanent Electric Fence Specifications	
Minimum Required Voltage	5000 Volts
Minimum Number of Shocks per Minute	40
Minimum Ground Rod Length	18 to 24 inches in length (1.5 to 2 feet)
Minimum Distance Between Fence and Items Inside	36 inches (3 feet)
Voltmeter Required?	YES
Minimum Energizer Output	0.7 joules
Minimum Fence Height Required	48 inches (4 feet)
Minimum Post Length	48 inches (4 feet)
Minimum Fence Height	48 inches (4 feet)
Maximum Spacing between Posts	96 inches (8 feet)
Minimum Number of Strands of Wire	7
Maximum Distance between Wire Strands	10 inches (.83 feet)
Ground Wire Return System Required (alternating hot and ground wires)	
Fence Wires Must Be Either Smooth Metal Fence Wire (16 gauge minimum) or Polywire with at Least Six Strands of Stainless Steel Wire	

Portable Electric Fence Designs

Portable electric fences are an effective method of temporary food storage in grizzly bear country. Table 2 summarizes the minimum specifications necessary to deter grizzlies. These specifications may be updated as additional testing of portable electric fences are tested in areas frequented by grizzlies.

Table 2. Summary of Recommended Specifications for Portable Electric Fences.

Summary of Recommended Portable Electric Fence Specifications	
Minimum Required Voltage	5000 Volts
Minimum Number of Shocks per Minute	35
Minimum Ground Rod Length	12 inches (1 foot)
Minimum Distance Between Fence and Items Inside	1.50 feet (18 inches)
Voltmeter Required?	YES
Minimum Energizer Output	0.11 joules
Minimum Fence Height Required	33 inches (2.75 feet)
Minimum Post Length	42 inches (3.5 feet)
Minimum Number of Horizontal Wires	7
Maximum Fence Length	720 inches (60 feet)
Minimum Number of LED Lights	2
Minimum Number of Stainless Steel Wire Strands Per Horizontal Wire	3
Maximum Size of Horizontal Opening in Mesh	12 inches (1 foot)
Minimum Pulse Duration	0.05 milliseconds
Post Construction	Polyethylene (allowed) or Fiberglass (recommended); with metal spike on bottom
At Least One Readable Placard Warning that Fence is Electrified	

IGBC-CERTIFIED PORTABLE ELECTRIC FENCING PRODUCTS

Products listed in Table 3 below meet IGBC minimum requirements for portable electric fences. Fences must be built according to the specifications listed in Table 2 and must be working properly in order to meet food storage regulations in areas where portable electric fences are allowed.

This does not imply that the products listed below can be used to meet food storage regulations on all public lands. Please check with the appropriate land management authority for guidance regarding acceptable methods of meeting food storage orders in that area.

Table 3. IGBC-Certified Portable Electric Fencing Products

<p>UDAP Industries, Inc. - Bear Shock Fence</p> <p><i>Portable Bear Net Electric Fence built according to specifications in Pub# 0723-2305 MTDC</i></p> <p>406-494-9292 or 866 BEAR 911 http://www.PepperPower.com</p>
<p>Counter Assault – Pentagon Electric Bear Fence</p> <p><i>Portable Mesh Electric Fence built according to specifications in Pub# 0723-2305 MTDC</i></p> <p>406-257-4740 or 800-695-3394 http://www.counterassault.com</p>
<p>Patriot - Bear & Nuisance Animal Fence Kit (Certified 5/10/16)</p> <p><i>Portable Mesh Electric Fence built according to specifications in Pub# 0723-2305 MTDC</i></p> <p>800-874-8494 www.tru-test.com</p> <p>Note: this kit does not contain an energizer to power the electric fence. In order to meet IGBC specifications, an energizer meeting the specifications set forth in Pub# 0723-2305 MTDC must be used with the kit. The kit recommends using either the Stafix/Speedrite AN90 or the Patriot PB12 model energizer, both of which meet IGBC specifications.</p>