

ACCEPTABLE RECYCLING ITEMS

Paper and Cardboard Include the Following:

- Newspapers, inserts & junk mail
- Magazines, catalogs & envelopes
- Paperback books & telephone books
- Hardcover books with cover removed & cover placed in refuse toter
- Boxboard (cereal)
- Office & school papers (colored paper also)
- Paper bags (grocery type)
- Packing paper
- Corrugated cardboard - flattened and cut to fit loosely in toter without jamming
- Shredded paper - please put in plastic bag that is tied shut. (This is the only instance in which a plastic bag should be put in your recycle toter. Loose shredded paper is blown around in the sorting process at the recycling center. Plastic bags of shredded paper will be hand sorted from the recycling material at the center.



Glass can be clear, green or brown. Please rinse and remove lids & rings. Labels do not have to be removed. Do not recycle other items such as light bulbs, window glass, pyrex or drinking glasses.

Aluminum and Tin Cans include all clean aluminum cans, bi-metallic cans, and tin cans. Do not recycle other items such as pie plates, TV dinner trays, or any containers that have held hazardous materials. To prepare recyclable items, please rinse them and place in your yellow-lidded toter. Labels do not have to be removed. Cans may be flattened to save space.

- Soda Cans - empty and rinsed
- Soup, juice and pet food cans - empty and rinsed
- Tin & steel aerosol cans (must be empty)
- Clean aluminum foil



Plastics #1 - #7 should be rinsed and caps or lids removed. The lids are not recyclable. Do **not** recycle containers that have held motor oil, anti-freeze, or hazardous materials. Do not include styrofoam. Plastics bags (including #5 pet food bags) also may not be included with your recyclables. When non-recyclable items are placed in with your recyclables they have to be removed and landfilled anyway, costing more money to sort and dispose of.



- Milk, iced tea, water, soda and juice containers of any size - empty, rinsed, caps or lids removed
- Plastic tubs - empty, rinsed, lids removed
- Wide mouth containers (margarine, butter, yogurt, peanut butter) - empty, rinsed, lids removed
- Laundry detergent bottles - empty, rinsed, caps removed
- Cat litter jugs - empty, rinsed, lids removed