

Recycling Drop-Off Program

Acceptable and Non-Acceptable Materials



Plastic Bottles and Jugs

EMPTY, CLEAN, DRY ONLY

Yes

- Cap/lid (On container only, never loose, no pumps)
 - Soda and water bottle
- Cooking oil bottles (i.e. olive oil)
- Condiment bottles (i.e. ketchup)
 - Gallon water jugs
 - Liquor bottle
 - Plastic milk jugs
 - Juice jugs
- Detergent/fabric softener bottles
- Shampoo, conditioner, soap bottles (pump removed, normal cap ok)
- Cleaner bottles (pump removed, normal cap ok)

No

- Loose caps/lids
- Soap and cleaner pumps
- Large, refillable 5-gallon water jugs
 - Reusable water bottles
 - Prescription bottles
 - Planters
- Yogurt, butter, sour cream tubs
 - Peanut butter jars
- Plastic & Styrofoam egg carton
- Plastic plate, bowl (single-use or reusable)
- Plastic to-go container (single-use or reusable)
 - Plastic clamshell container
- Plastic cup (single-use or reusable)
- Plastic cup lid (i.e. coffee cup lid)
 - Plastic utensils
 - Plastic straw
- Compostable plastic containers and utensils
 - Single-serve coffee pod
- Plastic grocery bag, bread bag, laundry bag
 - Plastic trash/recycle bag
 - Plastic stretch wrap (saran wrap)
- Plastic film (anything flexible or crinkly noise)
 - Wrappers
 - Bubble wrap
- Styrofoam items and peanuts
 - Toys
 - Rubber
 - Shoes
 - Tires
- Plastic furniture
 - Car seat
 - Garden hose
 - Electronics
- Plastic hanger
 - Diapers
- Plastic folders and binders

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Paper

Yes

- Printer/office paper
- Notebook paper and paper cover (no metal wire)
 - Envelopes with window
 - Envelopes without window
 - Manila envelopes
- Wrapping paper with NO foil, texture, glitter, etc.
 - Cards with NO foil, texture, glitter, etc.
 - Magazines
 - Newspaper
 - Newspaper inserts
 - Catalogs
 - Junk mail and flyers
- Postcards (natural fiber paper only – not waxy)
 - Packing paper
- Paperback books (small amounts – rip book apart)
 - Phonebook (small amounts – rip book apart)
 - Cup tray (i.e. Starbucks, McDonalds)
 - Paper egg carton
- CLEAN paper take-out bags (no grease, crumbs)

No

- Wrapping paper with glitter, sparkles, velvet, foil
 - Cards with glitter, sparkles, velvet, etc.
 - Waxy postcards
 - Receipts
- Waxy cartons (i.e. if scratched with fingernail and it comes off)
 - Cartons (i.e. juice/milk/ice cream/broth)
 - Popcorn bags
 - Soiled/greasy paper take-out bags
 - Napkins
 - Wipes
 - Dryer sheets
 - Toilet paper
 - Tissues
 - Paper towels
 - Paper plates
 - Paper cups
- Paper to-go container (i.e. Chinese food, Chipotle)
 - Paper to-go bowls (i.e. soup)
 - Paper straw
- Compostable paper containers and utensils
 - Wax/parchment paper
 - Shredded paper
 - Hardback books
 - Cigarettes
- Envelope with bubble wrap padding
 - Campaign signs

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Glass Bottles & Jars

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Yes

- Cap/lid (On container only, never loose, no pumps)
 - Beer bottle
 - Wine bottle
 - Liquor bottle
- Kombucha bottle
- Glass juice bottle
- Glass soda bottle
- Glass condiment bottle (i.e. soy sauce, vinegar)
 - Milk jars
 - Mason jar
- Salsa, pickle, condiment jar, etc.
- Glass soap/cleaner jar without pump

No

- Loose cap/lid
- Eyeglasses
- Mirrors
- Windows
- Vase
- Drinking glasses
- Pottery/ceramics
- Household items
- Electronics screens
 - Lightbulbs
- Broken glass of unacceptable materials

Cardboard

Yes

- Brown boxes (flattened, no loose tape)
- Colored boxes (flattened, no loose tape)
- Snack/cereal boxes (flattened, no liner)
 - Shoeboxes (flattened)
 - Toilet paper rolls
 - Paper towel rolls
- Small pieces of cardboard, separated from plastic (i.e. toothbrush packaging)
 - Back of note pad
- Clean pizza boxes (NO grease, cheese, crumbs)
- Cardboard can with no metal (i.e. oats)

No

- Food-soiled or greasy cardboard
- Cardboard can with metal (i.e. Pillsbury dough)
 - Cardboard fruit crates
- No packing material with cardboard (Styrofoam, packing peanuts, plastic or bubble wrap)

Metal Cans

EMPTY, CLEAN, DRY

Yes

- Steel/tin can (i.e. soup, tuna, tomato paste)
- Aluminum can (i.e. beer, soda)
 - Metal can lid

No

- Paint can
- Motor oil can
- Propane/helium/oxygen tank
 - Aerosol can
 - Appliances
 - Electronics
 - Batteries
 - Tools
- Pots and pans
 - Utensils
 - Bicycles
 - Grill
- Scrap metal
 - Piping
- Wire hangers
- Wires, chains
- Christmas lights
- Construction material
 - Metallic wrappers
 - Aluminum foil sheet
- Aluminum baking tray/pie plate
- Needles, sharps, and razors
 - Binder clips