



# RECYCLING GUIDELINES / NO PLASTIC BAGS

When recycle items are placed in plastic bags it becomes very time consuming for the hard-working people hand sorting the material to break or cut open every bag, therefore hampering our ability to provide the recycle processor a good product that is easily sorted. It also doesn't allow our drivers to properly see what they are collecting. Our drivers are the eyes of our collection program, and we count heavily on them to clean the recycle stream to ensure we minimize as much trash and contamination as possible.

RECYCLE



**Glass Bottles**  
**ONLY** Glass Bottles and Glass Jars (All colors)  
 Please Rinse Before Recycling



**Metals**  
 All Aluminum and Tin Cans and Empty Aerosol Cans.  
 Please Rinse Before Recycling



**Plastic Containers**  
 #1 Beverage Bottles  
 #2 Colored Plastic, Milk & Juices Cartons  
 #3 Household Cleaning Supplies  
 #4, #5 & #7 Baby Bottles & Sippy Cups  
 #4, #5 & #7 Food or Beverage Containers  
 All Containers Must Be Emptied and Washed.




**Paper Products**  
 Brown Paper Bags • Paper Hot Cups  
 Flattened Corrugated Cardboard  
 Newspapers and Inserts  
 Junk Mail, Catalogs, Phone Books  
 Chip Board = Cereal Boxes, Beer Cartons, Coated Juice and Liquid Containers (please rinse before recycling)  
 Office Paper (any color and no need to remove staples or paper clips)

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Styrofoam Packing Blocks Only Are Recyclable

No Packing Peanuts or Flat Sheets of Styrofoam


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**Ceramics**  
 Light Bulbs  
 Plates  
 Pots & Pans  
 Pyrex Dishes  
 Window Glass  
 Windshields




**Clothing**  
 Carpet  
 Clothes Hangers




**Plastic Items #7 PLA**  
 Bubble Wrap  
 Compostable Bags  
 Plastic Buckets or Pails  
 Plastic Six Pack Holders  
 Plastic Toys  
 Plastic Wrap



**Polystyrene #6**  
 Clam Shells  
 Plastic Cups  
 Plastic Plates  
 Plastic Utensils  
 "To Go" Containers  
 Styrofoam Cups



**Tissue & Toilet Paper**  
 Napkins  
 Paper Towels  
 Shredded Paper



**Used Paper Products**  
 Food Containers  
 Oil-Grease Cartons  
 Paper Cups - Coated  
 Paper Plates  
 Pizza Boxes  
 Waxed Paper

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**NO MEDICAL WASTE**  
**NO USED SYRINGES**

**NO LARGE METAL OR STEEL ITEMS**  
**WIRE, FENCING, POLES, PANS, BUCKETS,**  
**BBQ GRILLS, RIMS, APPLIANCES**

Please check our website for a full list of collection guidelines

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