

# RECYCLE GUIDE



DO NOT BAG RECYCLING, KEEP IT LOOSE!

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# PAPER AND CARDBOARD

#### MIXED PAPER

- White and colored paper (office, binder, typing, etc) (
- Envelopes
- Junk mail
- Catalogs and magazines
- Phone books

#### **NEWSPAPER**

#### **PAPER BAGS**

### **CARDBOARD**

Flatten and fold to fit

#### **PAPERBOARD**

- Cereal boxes, shoe boxes
- Paper egg cartons, paper towel rolls
- Beer and soda packs
- File folders

#### **ONOT RECYCLABLE:**

- NO Shredded or crosscut paper
- NO Cartons or Aseptic packaging (milk, juice boxes, soy containers)
- NO Books
- NO Paper cups, plates, napkins, paper towels or tissues
- NO Food-contaminated paper
- NO Waxed paper or waxed cardboard
- NO Plastic-coated paper or cardboard

#### Scrap Metal and Rigid Plastics

Accepted at the Resource Recovery Facility only.

#### **Not in Blue Cart!**

Includes pots and pans, wire, hardware, 5-gallon buckets, toys, molded plastic chairs, laundry baskets, hangers, and nursery pots.

# Recycle Right! GLASS, METAL, AND PLASTIC

#### **GLASS BOTTLES & JARS**

- Beer, wine, soda, juice, food, etc. (Remove caps and lids, empty and rinse. Recycle lids too)
- No other glass
- No corks

## **METAL CANS**

- Aluminum, tin, and steel cans
- Food aerosol cans (Empty)
- No scrap metal

#### **ALUMINUM CANS & FOIL**

- Cans, pie plates, trays
- Foil wrap (Must be clean)

# PLASTIC BOTTLES, JUGS, **JARS & TUBS**

- Water, soda, milk, detergent, peanut butter, yoqurt, etc.
- No polystyrene (#6 PS)

#### **PLASTIC BAGS**

- Clean, dry, bag & tie!
- No single bags

#### **ONOT RECYCLABLE:**

- NO Food, garbage, or diapers
- NO Plastic motor oil containers
- NO Ceramics, dishware, glassware, Pyrx, windows, mirrors, light bulbs
- NO Non-food aerosol cans
- NO Polystyrene plastic foam (#6 PS)
- NO Plastic cups or hinged food boxes
- NO Utensils or straws
- NO Tanglers Hoses, wire, electric cords, holiday lights
- Use City-provided cart. No other containers will be serviced.
  - Place carts on street with wheels touching curb.
- Leave at least 4 inches between carts, more space is even better.
  - Don'tplace carts under tree branches or overhead wires.
    - Take your carts in after they have been serviced.

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