ACCEPTABLE RECYCLABLES

BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2015

CARDBOARD, FOOD BOXES, AND CARTONS

PAPER
OFFICE PAPER, JUNK MAIL, NEWSPAPER, BAGGED SHREDDED PAPER, ETC.

GLASS BOTTLES & JARS

PLASTIC CONTAINERS
JUGS, BOTTLES, ETC.

ALUMINUM, METAL CANS, POTS AND PANS

NO SORTING NECESSARY!

NO FOAM CONTAINERS
NO PLASTIC FILM

NO PLASTIC BAGS
NO ELECTRONICS

NO FOOD OR YARD WASTE
NO SHARPS OR INHALERS

PLEASE EMPTY

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**ACCEPTABLE RECYCLABLES**

**PAPER**
- Newspapers (including all inserts)
- Magazines/Catalogs
- Junk Mail (including envelopes)
- Office Paper (including computer & copy paper)
- Construction Paper
- Paperback Books/Telephone Books

**CARDBOARD**
- Empty Cardboard (flattened)
- Food Boxes (cereal, cake mix, frozen food)
- Beverage Carriers
- Paper Egg Cartons
- Brown Grocery Bags
- Toilet Paper & Paper Towel Tubes
- Tissue Boxes

**GLASS**
- Bottles and Jars

**METAL CANS**
- Aluminum Cans
- Steel/Tin Cans
- Clean Foil & Pans
- Empty Aerosol Cans (not paint or pesticide cans)
- Pots & Pans

**PLASTIC CONTAINERS**
- Bottles (water, soda, juice)
- Jugs (detergent, milk, juice, cleaning products, cooking oil)
- Tubs (margarine, sour cream, yogurt)
- Deli, Berry & Produce Containers
- Cups
- Lids

**LARGE RIGID PLASTICS**
- Plastic Buckets (5 gallon, ice cream, kitty litter)
- Laundry Baskets
- Plastic Crates
- Plastic Dish Drying Racks

**CARTONS**
- Juice Boxes
- Soup Cartons
- Milk & Juice Cartons

**UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS**
- NO Appliances
- NO Batteries
- NO Ceramics
- NO Clothing
- NO Compost
- NO Diapers
- NO Electronics
- NO Foam Cups
- NO Foam Deli Containers & Trays
- NO Foam Packaging
- NO Food
- NO Furniture
- NO Hangers
- NO Hoses
- NO Light Bulbs
- NO Loose Caps and Lids
- NO Mirrors
- NO Motor Oil Bottles
- NO Paint
- NO Paper Cups
- NO Pesticides
- NO Pipe or Tubing
- NO Plastic Bags
- NO Plastic Film
- NO Propane Tanks
- NO Sharps or Inhalers
- NO Take Out Packaging or Utensils
- NO Trash
- NO Used Paper Plates
- NO Window Glass
- NO Wires
- NO Yard Waste