# **RECYCLING INFORMATION**

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# PLASTICS - #1-7, continued

What to recycle	How to recycle	Please DON'T recycle
<ul> <li>#6 - PS (non-foam-like)</li> <li>Disposable plates and cups</li> <li>Meat trays</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Discard screw-top caps and lids.</li> <li>Rinse clean.</li> <li>Remove metal handles if applicable.</li> </ul>	See above list
<ul> <li>#7 - Other plastics</li> <li>- Large water bottles (up to 3 gallons)</li> <li>- Heavy food containers</li> <li>- Tupperware</li> </ul>	Cart - Place in cart. <u>Bin</u> - Place in bin.	
	Redeem deposit bottles!	

#### ALUMINUM

What to recycle	How to recycle	<u>Please DON'T recycle</u>
- Soda cans - Beer cans - Food trays - Foil food containers - Foil wrap	<ul> <li>Free of food particles or other materials.</li> <li>Rinse clean.</li> <li>Fold foil wrap flat.</li> </ul> Cart - Place in cart. Bin - Place in bin.	<ul> <li>Pots &amp; pans</li> <li>Coat hangers</li> <li>Toys</li> <li>Other metal items</li> </ul> Redeem deposit cans!

## ASEPTIC PACKAGING

What to recycle	How to recycle	<u>Please DON'T recycle</u>
<ul> <li>Milk cartons</li> <li>Juice cartons</li> <li>Small single-serve juice boxes</li> </ul>	- Discard straws or caps. - Rinse clean. <u>Cart</u> - Place in cart. <u>Bin</u> - Place in bin.	

#### GLASS

What to recycle	How to recycle	Please DON'T recycle
<ul> <li>Clear, brown or green bottles</li> <li>Jelly jars</li> <li>Liquor/wine bottles</li> <li>Juice bottles</li> <li>Mayonnaise jars</li> <li>Soda bottles</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Discard lids or caps with refuse.</li> <li>Rinse clean.</li> <li>Labels need not be removed.</li> </ul> Cart - Place in cart. Bin - Place in bin.	<ul> <li>Window glass</li> <li>Mirrors</li> <li>Light bulbs</li> <li>Medicine bottles</li> <li>Broken glass</li> <li>Dishes or other ceramic items such as flower pots</li> </ul> Redeem deposit bottles!

#### **METAL/STEEL**

What to recycle	How to recycle	<u>Please DON'T recycle</u>
<ul> <li>Up to No. 10 size cans</li> <li>Soup cans</li> <li>Vegetable cans</li> <li>Juice cans</li> <li>Gookie tins</li> <li>Pet food cans</li> <li>Kitchen spray cans</li> <li>Bulk size vegetable containers</li> </ul>	Rinse clean. <u>Cart</u> - Place in cart. <u>Bin</u> - Place in bin.	- Pots & pans - Coat hangers - Toys - Other metal items

## PAPER GOODS

What to recycle	How to recycle	Please DON'T recycle
<ul> <li>Phone books</li> <li>Newspaper</li> <li>Junk mail</li> <li>Catalogs</li> <li>Magazines</li> <li>Home office paper</li> <li>Flyers</li> <li>Brochures</li> <li>Paper egg cartons</li> </ul>	<u>Cart</u> - Place in cart. <u>Bin</u> - Place in brown paper grocery bag or tie with twine into bundles, then place bag or bundle on top of or next to your recycling bin.	<ul> <li>Dirty or contaminated material</li> <li>Tyvek mailing envelopes</li> <li>Gift wrap</li> </ul>

#### BOXBOARD

What to recycle	How to recycle	Please DON'T recycle
- Shoe boxes - Cereal boxes	Remove plastic- or wax- paper liners and flatten	- Dirty or food- contaminated
<ul> <li>Cracker boxes</li> <li>Pasta boxes</li> </ul>	boxes.	material* - Wax-coated boxboard
- Six-pack holders	Cart - Place in cart.	- Plastic-coated paper or
- Shirt boxes	Bin - Place in brown	cardboard materials
- Pizza boxes*	paper grocery bag.	such as plates & cups

#### CARDBOARD

What to recycle	How to recycle	Please DON'T recycle
- Corrugated cardboard	<u>Cart</u> - Flatten & place in cart. Be careful not to wedge in so it doesn't get stuck! <u>Bin</u> - Cut to approx. 3-ft square and either place in brown paper grocery bag or bundle with twine.	<ul> <li>Dirty or contaminated material</li> <li>Plastic- or wax-coated cardboard</li> </ul>

#### **ADDITIONAL RECYCLING**

CLOTHING/SHOES - A Kiducation **MISCELLANEOUS** -Home Depot - Household compact container is located in front of the Public Works Garages at fluorescent lightbulbs, rechargeable 375 Hartford Turnpike. batteries Radio Shack - Rechargeable & household batteries Sam's Club - Household compact BOOKS, DVDs, VHS TAPES & CASSETTES fluorescent lightbulbs All soft and hardcover books (including Staples - Cell phones, ink & toner encyclopedias) as well as DVDs, cartridges, any electronic item but no VHS tapes & cassettes may now batteries or hard drives be recycled. A collection Wireless Zone - Cell phones, batteries container is located at the Transfer Station, 12 Hockanum Boulevard.