


CURBSIDE RECYCLING

	WHAT'S ACCEPTED	HOW TO PREPARE	NOT ACCEPTABLE
Metal Food & Beverage Containers	Aluminum & tin cans, Aluminum foil & trays.	Rinse clean, tuck lid into can. Do not crush, label can remain.	NO Spray Cans, NO Paint Cans, NO Hangers.
Glass Jars & Bottles	Clear or colored food & beverage bottles.	Rinse clean, throw out lids as trash.	NO drinking glasses, NO ceramics, NO windows, NO light bulbs.
Plastic Bottles	Narrow-necked #1 & #2 plastic bottles.	Rinse clean, throw out lids as trash. Do not flatten.	NO oil, NO antifreeze, NO chemical bottles. NO plastic over 3 gallons.
Milk & Juice Cartons & Juice Boxes	Milk & juice waxed paper cartons & juice boxes.	Rinse, remove straw, don't flatten.	
Corrugated Cardboard	Brown corrugated cardboard only.	Flatten boxes or fold into 2 ft. sq. tie into bundles.	NO pizza, NO cereal, NO gift, NO colored & thin, and NO waxed boxes.
Newspaper, Magazines & Catalogs	Newspaper & all inserts, magazines & catalogs.	Tie into bundles or place in brown paper bags. Don't mix with cans & bottles.	NO plastic bags, NO junk mail, NO dirty paper.

Curbside Collection Schedule:

Recycling is collected every other week at resident's homes. Collection begins at 7:00 AM please have items at the curb early.

Collection remains on schedule for all holidays except the following; Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day. Collection is suspended on those holidays *only* and all collections for the rest of the week are one day late.

One argument steel and aluminium industries put forward, is that most cans are damaged prior to collection. This is nonsense; Reusa-Can has discussed damaged cans with waste collection companies who confirm that 85% of cans are undamaged. That 15% that are damaged, 90% of those are deliberately crushed by members of the public trying to be helpful. Doing this benefits waste companies not ratepayers. By not crushing cans and refurbishing them eliminates all recycling processes.

As you can see from this recycling instruction in America they ask people not to crush cans.

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