



A Guide to Recycling in Rockland County



Paper Recycling	Container Recycling	Not Recyclable	
<p>Newspapers & Inserts</p> <p>Junk Mail, Coupons & Envelopes</p> <p>Smooth & Corrugated Cardboard</p> <p>Office, Notebook & Construction Paper, Ledger & Envelopes (all Colors)</p> <p>Computer, Fax & Photo Copy Paper (all colors)</p> <p>Glossy Magazines & Catalogs</p> <p>Soft Covered Books & Telephone Books</p> <p>Brown Grocery Bags</p> <p>Non-metallic Wrapping Paper & Greeting Cards</p> <p>Shredded Paper (can place in paper bags)</p>	<p>Food & Beverage Containers</p> <p>Plastic Containers with a Recycling Code #1-7</p> <p>Aluminum Cans</p> <p>Aluminum Foil</p> <p>Disposable Aluminum Products</p> <p>Metal Cans & Empty Aerosol Cans</p> <p>Green, Clear & Brown Glass Bottles & Jars</p> <p>Do not place recyclables in plastic bags</p>	<p>NO plastic bags or plastic wrap (recycle plastic bags at participating retailers)</p> <p>NO paper soiled with grease, paint, etc.</p> <p>NO wax-coated paper or cardboard</p> <p>NO paper cups or plates</p> <p>NO tissues, napkins or paper towels</p> <p>NO hard covered books (remove covers then recycle)</p> <p>NO paper packaging with layers of plastic or foil</p> <p>NO hangers</p> <p>NO toys or clothing</p>	<p>NO appliances</p> <p>NO pots, pans, bowls, utensils, or other cookware</p> <p>NO ceramic plates, mugs, or glasses</p> <p>NO containers that held a toxic substance</p> <p>NO plastic utensils or plates</p> <p>NO styrofoam</p> <p>NO electronics or batteries (bring to the HHW facility)</p> <p>NO SHARPS or medical waste (dispose at designated locations)</p>
Place with your paper recycling	Place with your container recycling	Reuse or trash these items	



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Tips For Recycling

Please Do:

- Rinse your containers to remove food debris and liquid
- Only put acceptable items into your recycling bins
- Put your bins out for collection the night before
- Place your bins in designated areas for collection
- Leave caps and labels on if it is easier...they are acceptable
- Place shredded paper in paper bags only

Do Not:

- Place plastic bags in your recycle bins
- Put recyclables in plastic bags
- Put metal or plastic hangers in recycle bins
- Place soiled recyclables in your bins

The 3 R's

Reduce your trash as much as possible. Buy products with less packaging or packaging that can be recycled. Buy only what you need.

Reuse items as many times as you can. By reusing items we save the natural resources needed to make them and we save space in our landfills. Donate unwanted items instead of throwing them away.

Recycle all of the items listed on the front of this brochure. Making new things from old products saves our community money, conserves natural resources and reduces pollution of our air, water and soil.