

RECYCLING

- BLUE BAGS are required for recycling only; garbage will not be taken if in a BLUE BAG.
- There are two categories of recyclable materials. One category being food and beverage containers, glass jars, bottles, tin, aluminum and plastics with #1 and #2 symbols. The numbers 1 and 2 are located on the bottom of all acceptable plastics. These are to be put together in the BLUE BAG. The other category is all paper products. These are to be bundled separately and put beside the BLUE BAG(s).

RECYCLING GUIDELINES

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MUST BE RECYCLED ACCORDING TO REGULATIONS SET FORTH BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

PLASTIC BOTTLES

EXAMPLES: Clear and Colored Plastic Bottles, Soda (up to 3 liter), Milk & Water Jugs (up to 1 gallon only), Detergent, Bleach, Personal Care Products. HPDE #2 PET (E) #1

PREPARATION: Discard caps, empty and rinse clean. The bottle must have recycling symbol:



PET(E) HDPE

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED: Motor Oil Bottles, Food Wrap, Plastic Toys, Pool Chemical Bottles, Tubs, Buckets or Pails or recycling symbols:



GLASS FOOD & BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

EXAMPLES: Food and Beverage Bottles and Jars – Clear, Green and Brown

PREPARATION: Empty and rinse clean, lids need to be removed but the labels can be left on.

NO BROKEN GLASS

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED: Drinking Glass, Pyrex, Light Bulbs, Ceramics, Window Glass, Mirror Glass



METAL FOOD & BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

EXAMPLES: Soup, Pet Food, Soda, Beer & Pie Plates

PREPARATION: Empty and rinse clean., Do not flatten. Lids and Labels can be left on.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED: Scrap Metal such as: Toasters, Pots, Frying Pans, Coat Hangers.

GLASS, METAL, PLASTIC AND FOOD & BEVERAGE CONTAINERS CAN BE MIXED TOGETHER IN A BLUE BAG.



NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES AND PAPER

EXAMPLES: Newspapers (including inserts) and Magazines

PREPARATION: Bundle and Tie Separately

WE ACCEPT ALL PAPER.

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD

EXAMPLES: Brown Boxes only and Brown Paper Bags

PREPARATION: Cardboard and bags must be empty, flatten and tie in bundles.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED: Waxed cardboard, Shoe Boxes, Gift boxes and Cereal boxes. No packing materials such as Styrofoam peanuts.