



## WHY RECYCLE?

It contributes to a cleaner and healthier environment. It also conserves energy, saves precious natural resources and reduces the amount of trash sent to County disposal facilities. We also have a goal, which is to recycle at least 50% of our waste!

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT

Recycle should be placed out by **7 a.m.** on the scheduled collection day every **Wednesday** (either on the curb in front of the home or in the alley where your garbage is picked up). Please note that recycle will not be picked up if it falls on a holiday. Recycle bins may be purchased at City Hall during normal business hours. 18-gallon or 24-gallon containers are available for purchase. To report a missed collection, contact the Public Works department by calling City Hall at (210) 824-7401.

## ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mixed Residential Paper</b></p> <p>Newspaper, magazines, paperboard boxes (cereal boxes, etc.), mail, junk mail, office paper, phone books, paperback books, cardboard, (must be flattened)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Cans</b></p> <p>Food and beverage cans made of tin, aluminum, steel (should be rinsed)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Glass</b></p> <p>Unbroken, rinsed food &amp; beverage containers that are clear, brown, or green in color</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Plastic</b></p> <p>Plastic containers with #1 through #6 recycling symbol on the container, such as milk, detergent, soft drink, juice, water, shampoo, liquid soap bottles (should be rinsed)</p>

## UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Household trash, aluminum foil, auto/window glass, ceramics, china/dishes, drink boxes with straws, hard-cover books, light bulbs, waxed milk & juice cartons, no Styrofoam of any kind (cups, plates, food containers, peanuts, or packaging materials), plastic toys/bags, wire clothes hangers, yard waste, plastic/glass/metal containers that held hazardous materials such as motor oil, paint, pesticide or weed killer