

RECYCLING GUIDELINES



"CONTAINERS" MAY BE MIXED TOGETHER!



ALUMINUM CANS includes used beverage cans only.

CONTAINER GLASS includes container glass only. Glass must be clean, with caps removed. Labels and neck rings can remain on glass. Glass should not be broken. **Glass does not include** ceramic cups, dishes, ovenware, plate glass, safety and window glass, heat-resistant glass such as Pyrex, lead-based glass such as crystal, or TV tubes.



PLASTIC BOTTLES AND CONTAINERS includes only plastic bottles and containers clearly marked with the recycling emblem encircling the #1 (PET or PETE) or the #2 (HDPE). Caps and covers must be removed. Labels and neck rings can remain on plastic. Clean all bottles and containers. **Does not include** motor oil bottles, even if they are labeled #1 or #2.



TIN CANS includes tin coated metal cans, bi-metal cans and steel containers, which must be clean and labels must be removed. If convenient, please cut out both ends and flatten. Cut out ends are recyclable.

"PAPERS" MAY BE MIXED TOGETHER!

MIXED PAPERS includes all grades of papers (white, colored, ledger, shiny, coated, carbonless or NCR paper), envelopes (kraft, windowed, or labeled), magazines, phone books, computer printout paper, glued pads and tablets, file folders, keypunch cards, post-it notes, spiral notebooks, canned soda boxes, cereal boxes, shoe boxes, etc. Shall be placed for collection in paper grocery bags, boxes, or bundled in bundles not more than twelve (12) inches high. Can include paper clips and staples. **Does not include** hand towels or other paper products from restrooms, or soiled napkins and paper plates. **Also does not include** carbon paper, cellophane, or any waxed paper.



NEWSPAPERS includes newspapers and newspaper advertisements.



CORRUGATED CARDBOARD includes clean corrugated cardboard only. Cardboard must be flattened and bundled in bundles not more than twelve (12) inches high and twenty-four (24) inches wide and thirty-six (36) inches long. **Does not include** waxed cardboard.



Garbage & Recycling Collection

- ◆ All homes are required to participate in the garbage and recycling program. Services are billed as a special charge on the annual property tax bill.
- ◆ Garbage and recyclables will be collected each Thursday, with adjustments for holiday weeks. (Please refer to the calendar on the reverse.) Items for collection must be placed curbside by 7:00 a.m.
- ◆ Wheeled garbage carts are provided by Veolia. Broken wheels or lids, or damage due to normal wear and tear should be reported to the Village Clerk (687-4166) for replacement. Carts damaged by negligence will be replaced with a \$75.00 charge to the property owner.
- ◆ **Weekly garbage MUST fit inside your cart.** Garbage bag stickers may be purchased at the Village office (\$1.50 each) for the occasional weeks that you have excess garbage.
- ◆ Recycling crates are available at the Municipal Building at a cost of \$10.00 each. It is suggested that each household use two crates (one for containers, the other for paper products) as described under "Recycling Guidelines".
- ◆ Waste oil is not collected curbside. Contact a service station or Rock Oil for recycling.
- ◆ Sharps cannot be included with trash. Contact your medical provider for disposal options.



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FUTURE REFERENCE.**

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