



## HOPE TOWNSHIP RECYCLING

Due to increased use of the recycle bin we at the Township would like to remind people of the guidelines for recycling. We have had increases in misuse of the bin recently such as unrecyclable items are being left in the bin, items left in big bags and plastic jugs not being flattened out. By following these guidelines there will be a cost savings for the Township.

The Recycling bin located at the Township Hall is accepting the following items:

- #1 through #5 plastic food or beverage containers
- Aluminum, steel & tin food or beverage containers
- Clear, green and brown glass food and beverage bottles

### Unacceptable Items:

- Any container from oil, antifreeze, windshield fluid or other car liquids
- Plastic trays or pots from flowers and plants
- Salt bags, top soil bags, packaging plastic, LED light bulbs, plastic toys, aerosol spray cans, window glass, rubber products, mirrors, fabrics, wood, drinking glasses, Styrofoam or containers used to store chemicals and paints
- Plastic garbage or supermarket bags
- Paper and cardboard

Preparation:

- Flatten all plastic jugs and water bottles
- All containers need to be rinsed thoroughly
- Labels do not need to be removed
- Empty contents of plastic bags into bin – Do not leave items in plastic garbage bags

Paper items including newspapers and magazines may be taken to Thornapple Valley Church on M-43 north of Hope Township.

Cardboard and corrugated boxes may be taken to LJ's Fluid Power in Delton (near Delton Floral). There is a trailer behind the building. Please make sure all boxes are collapsed.

