

HELP KEEP TRASH RATES DOWN – RECYCLE RESPONSIBLY

RECYCLING INSTRUCTIONS FOR BLUE CARTS & BINS

CANS & FOIL

- Aluminum Cans & Foil
- Tin, steel, and bi-metal cans
- Aerosol cans (empty only)
- Lids from jars



PAPER

- Newspaper
- Cardboard (flatten all boxes)
- Junk mail
- Books & Phone Books
- Egg Cartons
- Frozen food packaging
- Paper Bags & Boxes (like cereal boxes)
- Magazines



DO NOT INCLUDE

- No food contaminated paper
- No gift wrapping paper
- No photos

PLASTIC

- Bottles & Containers labeled #1 - #7
- Plastic Milk Containers
- Detergent Containers

DO NOT INCLUDE

- No plastic bags
- No Styrofoam
- No packing peanuts



GLASS

- Glass Bottles & Jars
- Food Containers
- Beverage Containers

DO NOT INCLUDE

- No window or mirror glass
- No ceramics
- No light bulbs

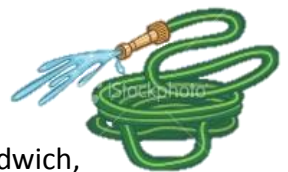


ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Please rinse food residue from containers
- All recyclables must be placed in the cart with the lid fully closed
- Only use the recycling cart provided by your Garbage Company
- Please flatten cardboard boxes
- Place your recycling cart at curbside – 3 feet from other carts, cars and other objects – with the lid facing the street

TOP TROUBLE MAKERS TO AVOID

- Garden Hoses
- Plastic Pipe
- Diapers
- Clothes & Shoes
- Plastic Bags (food, sandwich, grocery, etc.)



For more information, please contact Mid-State Solid Waste & Recycling
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