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with one

# IT STARTS WITH YOU

## KNOW THE RECYCLING INS & OUTS

### IN

#### PAPER

remove from plastic sleeves/bags

Newspapers  
Magazines & Brochures  
Junk Mail & Envelopes  
Scrap Paper  
Paper Bags  
Paperback Books



#### PLASTICS

emptied & rinsed, lids & caps ok

Food & Beverage  
Containers  
Detergent &  
Shampoo Bottles  
Pump &  
Spray Bottles



#### CARTONS

emptied & rinsed

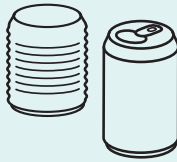
Milk & Juice  
Wine  
Soup



#### METALS

emptied & rinsed, lids & caps ok

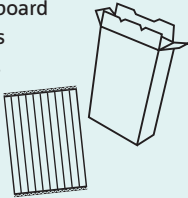
Aluminum, Steel,  
& Tin Cans  
Empty Paint  
& Aerosol Cans  
Aluminum  
Baking Dishes  
Clean Aluminum Foil



#### CARDBOARD

remove shipping/packing materials

Corrugated Cardboard  
Clean Pizza Boxes  
Paper Towel Rolls  
Egg Cartons  
Dry Food &  
Shipping Boxes



#### GLASS

emptied & rinsed, lids & caps ok

All Bottles & Jars



### OUT

#### PLASTIC BAGS

GREASY OR FOOD-SOILED  
PAPER & CARDBOARD

DISPOSABLE PLATES,  
CUPS, & TAKEOUT CONTAINERS

PROPANE TANKS

LIGHTBULBS

#### STYROFOAM™

TISSUES, PAPER TOWELS,  
& NAPKINS

CASSETTE TAPES (VHS & AUDIO)

GARDEN HOSES

POTS & PANS

NEEDLES & SYRINGES

***Banned materials are a threat to worker safety.***

**LEARN MORE AND GET REWARDED FOR RECYCLING THE RIGHT WAY AT  
[PHILADELPHIASTREETS.COM/RECYCLING](http://PHILADELPHIASTREETS.COM/RECYCLING)**

## RECYCLING REWARDS

Turn your recyclables into money-saving rewards for your family — discounts on groceries, a night out, and lots more! All you need is this sticker on your bin. Sign up for FREE and learn more at **PhillyRecyclingPays.com**.

Or, call **888-727-2978** for general customer service, account activation and information, sticker replacement, or questions about rewards.



## COLLECTION GUIDELINES

- Recycle every week on the same day as trash day.
- Recycle **ONLY** accepted materials.
- Mix all recyclables together in your recycling bin. Set out as many bins as you need.
- Need an extra recycling bin? Any metal or plastic containers, no larger than 32 gallons, labeled "recycling" on its side is acceptable for collection.
- **Set-out times** (the night before collection):  
October 1 to March 31, 5pm-7am  
April 1 to September 30, 7pm-7am  
**In Center City:** October 1 to March 31, 6pm-6am  
April 1 to September 30, 8pm-6am
- **Size limits:** For trash cans and recycling bins, maximum 32 gallons. For trash bags, 30-32 gallons (tied or sealed).
- **Trash collection limits:** For single-family residences, up to 4 cans or 8 bags. For apartment buildings with 2-6 units and businesses, up to 6 cans or 12 bags. No limits for recyclables.
- **Oversized items:** Up to 2 non-metal items (sofa, mattress, etc.) per trash day. More details and restrictions at **PhiladelphiaStreets.com/bulk-items**.

## RESIDENT DROP-OFF

The City's six Sanitation Convenience Centers offer free services for Philadelphia residents.

Visit **PhiladelphiaStreets.com** to learn more.

Recycling, trash, and litter questions?  
Call **215-686-5560** or **311**.

