



# GET CART SMART

## PUT THESE ITEMS IN YOUR RECYCLE CART

### PLASTIC #1 & #2

Bottles, tubs, jugs & jars



No pumps Empty and rinse

### METAL & ALUMINUM

All cans & aluminum foil



Empty and rinse

### CARDBOARD & PAPER

Cardboard, paper, magazines & cartons



Flatten cardboard

Please **DO NOT** put your recyclables in plastic bags or put plastic bags and wrap in your recycle cart. Plastic bags and plastic wrap clog up the machinery which causes hours of down time each week.



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# STOP!

Everyone knows plastic bottles and cans go in the recycling bin, but the following items are often mistaken as curbside recyclables. Please **DO NOT** put these items in your recycle cart.

**When in doubt, throw it out!**



No Glass bottles, jars, windows, mirrors, light bulbs, household glassware or ceramic items.



No plastic bags or wrap. Clean, dry plastic bags, wraps and packaging can be recycled at your grocery store.



No clothing, shoes or textiles, these items can be taken to your local thrift store.



No batteries, paints, oils, or any other hazardous material.



No needles, syringes or other medical waste.



No paper towels and napkins; this paper is too thin to recycle and often, too dirty.



No food waste.



No small paper pieces and packaging, or shredded paper.



No styrofoam.