

# Single Stream Recycling—How to Recycle

## No sorting!

All Recyclables in One Bin means no sorting, bagging or tying recyclables, or regular trips to the depot: place all your material in your bin. Plastic bags are to be placed into one single bag and tied shut. Shredded paper should be bagged and tied shut.

### PAPER FIBER MATERIALS *Do Not Bag or Tie*

- \* Flattened corrugated cardboard and paperboard (i.e. empty cereal boxes, empty detergent boxes, empty tissue boxes) *placed loosely in the cart*
- \* Newspapers, flyers, inserts, junk mail (to avoid blowing out of bin on windy days, please bag)
- \* Magazines, catalogues, paperback books, hardcover books with covers and spine removed
- \* Telephone books
- \* Gift and packing paper (except aluminum or shiny paper)
- \* Brown paper bags, tissue roll cores, gift and packing paper, paper egg cartons
- \* Shredded paper please bag

### CONTAINERS & GLASS - *Clean and Rinsed - Do Not Bag or Tie*

- \* Aluminum soft drink & beer cans
- \* Household tin cans (please rinse)
- \* Milk cartons and jugs (please rinse and remove caps)
- \* Juice cartons, boxes and aseptic containers (please rinse)
- \* Plastic soft drink and water bottles (please remove caps)
- \* Place plastic shopping bags inside another bag and tie; includes clean plastic food wrap and clean plastic product wrap
- \* Household plastic containers and bottles - must have the recycling arrows with a number (#1 through #7) on the bottom. (A container with the arrows but no number means the container is made from recycled materials, but may not be recyclable itself and cannot be accepted)
- \* Glass liquor bottles - Household glass; clear, green or brown (please rinse and remove lids) No cups, dishes, ashtrays, window glass, mirrors, Pyrex, ceramics, light bulbs or crystal

#### Accepted Grades of Plastic



### DO NOT RECYCLE

- \* Wax, plastic coated or food contaminated paper, cardboard, cups or paper plates
- \* Soiled tissues, napkins and paper towels
- \* Styrofoam or other foam packing
- \* Household garbage, organic, hazardous or regulated waste
- \* Medical waste or diapers
- \* Hazardous material such as paint, chemicals or solvents
- \* Ashes, dirt, concrete or other heavy materials
- \* Construction material such as boards, roofing materials and carpet
- \* Automotive parts, tires, oil filters or oil, tree clippings, liquids of any kind, animals or animal parts
- \* Propane tanks, electrical cords, batteries
- \* Clear plastic clam shell containers without recycling arrows and numbers 1 through 7
- \* Plastic Toys or Tupperware
- \* Outdoor lawn furniture