

Where Does It Go?

See what goes in your recycling, food and yard waste or garbage.

 **Recycling** Place clean and empty items loose in cart, not bagged or in boxes.

No Food, Liquid or Loose Plastic Bags.



Paper
Cartons & boxes
Flattened cardboard
Clean coated paper

Lids (3 in. or wider)
Glass bottles & jars
Cans
Aluminum foil
Scrap metal (less than 2x2x2 ft.)

Plastic bottles, jars, tubs
Plastic trays, cups, containers
Plastic plant pots
Plastic bags (bagged together)
Pill bottles (no prescription vials)

 **Food+ Yard Waste**

No Plastic, Glass or Metal. No Plastic Bags.



Meat, dairy & cheese
Bones & shells
Coffee grounds & filters
Fruits & vegetables
Pasta, bread, grains & rice
Tea bags

Approved compostable bags
Paper towels & napkins
Paper bags
Greasy pizza boxes
Uncoated paper plates

Shredded paper
(mix with yard waste)
Grass, weeds & leaves
Houseplants (no pots)
Branches (less than 4 ft. x 4 in.)

 **Garbage** Many of these items can be reused or recycled elsewhere. See back page.

**No Hazardous Waste,
Recyclables or Yard Waste.**



Alkaline batteries
Unusable ceramics & glassware
Utensils
Unusable clothing, textiles, shoes
Incandescent light bulbs

Lids, caps, tops (less than 3 in. wide)
Ziplock, food & single plastic bags
Kitchen fats, oil, grease
(in a secure container)
Diapers & animal waste (bagged)

Paint cans (dry & empty)
Foam take-out containers
Food-soiled coated paper
Packing peanuts (bagged)
Empty toxic containers

Products containing toxic materials are prohibited from food and yard waste, recycling and garbage.

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Other Collection Services

Apartment/condo residents: Contact your manager for these services.

Used motor oil: Free

Collected at no charge. Contact your manager.

Electronics (Computers, TVs, monitors)

Collected for a fee. Contact your manager.

Bulky items

(Mattresses, furniture, appliances, etc.)

Collected for a fee. Contact your manager.



Beyond the Curb Other recycling & disposal options.

TV, electronics, battery, cell phone & fluorescent bulb drop-off

1-800-RECYCLE or www.ecyclewashington.org.

Some locations may charge a fee.

Medicine take-back locations

www.takebackyourmeds.org

Clothing, furniture & household goods

Donate items in good condition.

Packing peanuts

Take to a mail store for reuse.

Construction materials

www.GreenTools.us

Garbage, recycling, clean wood & yard waste

Accepted at Seattle's Recycling & Disposal stations.



For local drop-off locations for hard-to-recycle items, visit www.seattle.gov/util/lookup

Hazardous Materials Prohibited from recycling, yard waste and garbage.

Products marked "CAUTION," "WARNING," "DANGER" or "POISON" may require hazardous waste disposal.

Safe hazardous material disposal information:
206-296-4692 or www.lhwmp.org

