

# Curbside Recycling Service

## It's Easy To Recycle!

Southern Oregon Sanitation, Inc. offers a curbside service for residents within our recycling routes.

Recycling is easy, convenient, it keeps it out of the landfills and helps the environment.

With commingled recycling, you don't need to sort through your recyclables. Just place the **allowed recyclable items** in your curbside recycling cart. Be sure not to compact the contents so your cart can easily be emptied. Since recycling is clean, it's okay to wait a week or two if your cart isn't full. Always put your cart out the night before your service day.

*For safety reasons, keep a safe distance of clearance away from vehicles for the operation of the hydraulic arms on our trucks. A general rule of thumb is at least 5 feet of separation between objects.*



Please note what items are allowed and **not allowed** in your recycle cart.

*(Listed under Curbside Recycling Service on reverse side)*

## Working Together



## Questions on Reducing Waste And Recycling?

Information on reducing waste and ways that you can recycle are available for residents & businesses. If you have questions regarding your recycling services or would like to discuss email billing options, just give us a call.

If you do not have curbside recycling services available in your area and would like to recycle, please visit our website for a recycling depot location close to you.

Visit our website: [www.sosanitation.com](http://www.sosanitation.com)



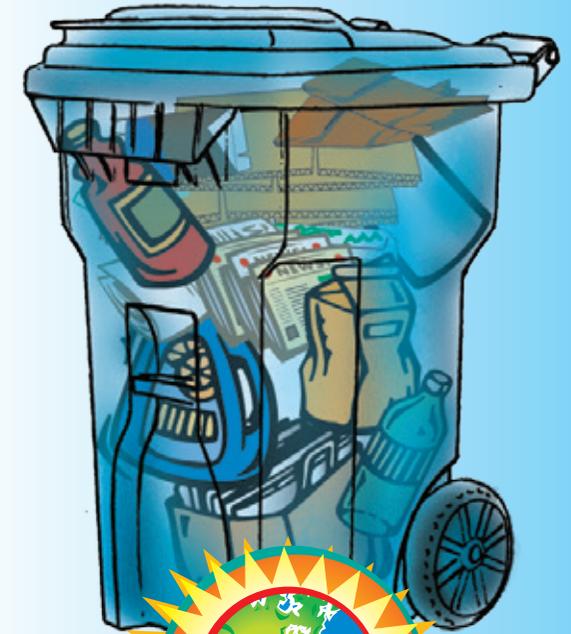
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# Curbside Recycling Made Easy!



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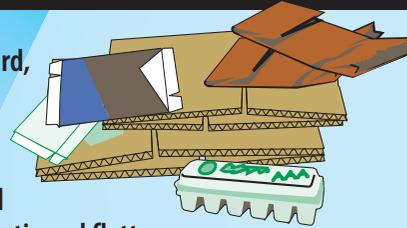
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Leave 5 feet between recycle and trash cart so truck's hydraulic arm will fit between them.

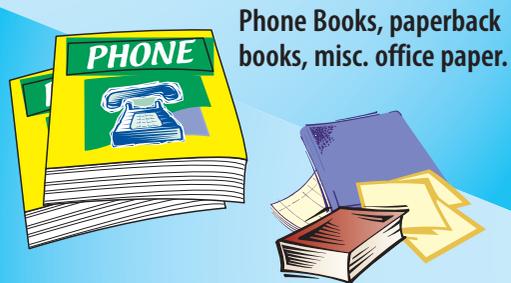


Magazines, newspapers, and all that is included with your newspaper.

Paperboard, cardboard, fiber egg cartons, shoe boxes, cereal boxes or such cardboard as paper towel cores. Remove all plastic and flatten those boxes, cartons and tubes. Please, no waxed cartons.



**PLEASE NOTE:** Cardboard must be flattened and fit within cart so it closes. Set recycle cart out only when full to help control costs.



Phone Books, paperback books, misc. office paper.



**NO REFRIGERATED OR FROZEN FOOD BOXES SHOULD BE RECYCLED DUE TO PLASTIC COATING:** If it was in your refrigerator OR freezer, chances are the cardboard or carton has a contaminating wax or plastic coating and cannot be recycled.



Tin cans (rinse thoroughly), aluminum pie plates, aluminum foil. No need to remove lids or labels, no need to flatten.



Plastics such as: beverage, food bottles, soaps, shampoo bottles, plastic jugs, clean detergent bottles, pet food containers, syrup bottles, milk jugs. Plastic tubs such as: margarine, yogurt, whipped topping, cottage cheese & dip containers. Plastic jars such as: peanut butter & mayonnaise jars. Please clean and rinse thoroughly and remove all lids on plastics.

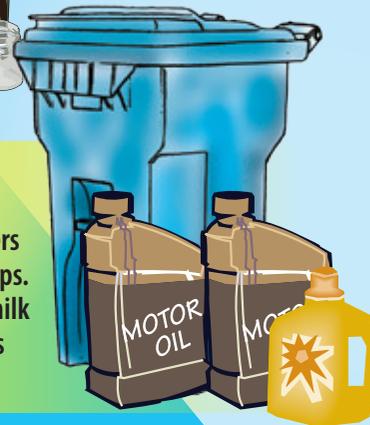


**PLEASE NOTE:** Anti-freeze, oil containers and other plastics that have contained hazardous materials are not accepted.



Glass bottles & jars, remove food residue - no corningware, pyrex or sheet glass.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Motor oil must be poured into non-breakable gallon containers with tight fitting screw caps. (Plastic gallon bleach or milk jugs work best). Place jugs NEXT TO your recycle cart.



# Curbside Recycling NO NO's

Please note: Failure to comply with allowed items in your cart could result in additional service charges or removal of recycle cart.



\*Commingled recycling is collected and sorted as it is going through various conveyors and machinery. The plastic bags get caught in the machines causing problems. We currently do not recycle plastic bags.

## Another NO NO is STYROFOAM



Additional Items **NOT** Allowed In Your Recycling Cart

- NO paper towels or tissue
- NO food
- NO clothing
- NO waxed cartons
- NO plastic bailing twine or strapping
- NO bubble wrap
- NO plastic or wood furniture
- NO buckets containing metal handles
- NO PVC pipe
- NO furnace filters
- NO clamshell plastics
- NO plastics other than those listed in this brochure
- NO yard waste/wood or sawdust or dirt

The curbside recycling carts are loaned to our customers. If lost or stolen, you may be required to pay a deposit.