Collier County -- City of Naples

MANDATORY WASTE DISPOSAL AND RECYCLING INFORMATION

FOR MULTI-FAMILY COMMUNITIES

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PLEASE REVIEW THE ATTACHED FOR INFORMATION ON PROPER DISPOSAL OF WASTE AND RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS

For More Information about the COLLIER COUNTY Waste Management and Recyling Programs please visit:

https://www.colliercountyfl.gov/government/public-utilities/solid-hazardous-waste/recycling

For More Information about the CITY OF NAPLES Waste Management and Recycling Programs please visit:

https://www.naplesgov.com/solidwaste/page/recycle-program

CITY OF NAPLES -- Recycle Program

The City provides once-a-week curbside recycling service to both single- family and multi-family dwellings. Single-family residents are provided a blue 65-gallon recycling cart which needs to be placed at the curb with the lid opening towards the road by 7:00 am on the day of collection. Recycling carts should not be placed at the curb earlier than the evening before collection, and emptied carts must be retrieved from the curb the same day they are collected.

Acceptable Recyclable Materials:

- **Glass:**
  - Soda bottles, beer bottles, liquor and wine bottles, glass jars, any other clear, brown, or green glass bottles.
- **Aluminum:**
  - Soda and beer cans, aluminum pie pans
- **Metal:**
  - Food cans including soup, fruit, vegetable, juice, pet food and tuna cans
- **Plastic:**
  - Plastic containers marked No. 1-7—including water bottles, milk jugs, detergent & bleach bottles, soda bottles, shampoo bottles, butter or spread tubs—Make sure they are rinsed & free of debris
- **Paper:**
  - Newspaper, magazines, paperback & hardcover books, brown—white—colored paper bags, phone books, junk mail, catalogs, office and computer paper, corrugated cardboard (moving boxes), cardboard (cereal, cracker, pasta, shoe, gift, pizza) boxes

Please flatten all boxes *All containers must be rinsed clean*

Unacceptable Recyclable Materials:

- **Glass:**
  - Medicine bottles, dishes, drinking glasses, windows, mirrors, cookware (Pyrex, Corning)
- **Aluminum:**
  - Pots and pans, cooking utensils, screen doors & windows, lawn furniture, house siding, used foil
- **Metal:**
  - Tools, car parts, license plates, appliances,
  - Bakeware
- **Plastic:**
  - Plastic bags or wrappers pool chemical bottles, motor oil, and antifreeze containers, household chemical containers, flower pots, newspaper sleeves, garden hose, toys, Styrofoam of any kind (egg cartons, packing peanuts, take-out food containers and meat trays)
- **Paper:**
  - No paper products with wax coating (milk, juice or ice cream cartons), used paper coffee or beverage cups, paper towels, toilet paper and napkins

Unacceptable items will be left in carts

Recycling

RECYCLE THIS!

What goes in your cart must be CLEAN, DRY and LOOSE.
NO PLASTIC BAGS.
Los reciclabes deben estar vacíos, secos y no dentro de bolsas de plástico.
Sa wap resikle a pa dwe gen anyen ladan l, okenn kras. Pa mete yo nan sachè plastik.

Plastic bottles, jars, jugs and tubs	Glass bottles and jars	Metal cans	Paper, cardboard and cartons
Botellas y envases de plástico Boutey ak bwat plastik	Botellas y frascos de vidrio Boutey ak bokal en vè	Latas de acero y aluminio Bwat metal ak bwat aliminyòm	Papel, cartón y cartulina Papye, gwo bwat katon ki plati ak ti bwat katon

Collier County **CollierCountyFL.gov/recycle** **Preserve Our Paradise**

← Paint - Latex (Full or Partially Full)

Drop-Off Center

☠ Always dispose of hazardous products properly and responsibly. Do not pour them on the ground or into storm drains. Bring household hazardous waste to your nearest drop-off center for environmentally safe disposal. Some items may be subject to a small disposal fee. Never place chemicals or other hazardous materials in your trash/recycle cart, this can result in a truck fire.

This information is directly from the Collier County website – please visit the website for complete information and helpful tips including waste disposal locations and times.

https://www.colliercountyfl.gov/government/public-utilities/solid-hazardous-waste/recycling

Only place these items into your curbside recycling cart:

- Plastic bottles, jars, jugs and tubs
- Glass bottles and jars
- Metal cans
- Paper, cardboard and cartons

Remember these three basic rules the next time you recycle

1. Remove all food waste from containers
2. Fill your container with clean and dry recyclables
3. Do not bag your recyclables. Do not place any type of plastic bags in your recycling cart

What can I do with special items or household hazardous waste?

Visit one of Collier County's conveniently located Recycling Drop-Off Centers. For a current list of accepted materials and rates, visit colliercountyfl.gov/dispose

How can I recycle plastic bags or packaging?

Plastic bags are not recyclable in curbside recycling. Plastic bags get tangled in equipment used to sort recyclables, which becomes a safety issue for workers. You can drop off plastic bags and packaging at participating stores to be recycled.

Where does my recycling go?

All residential recycling that is collected at the curb is hauled to a Material Resource Facility (MRF) located outside of the county. At the MRF, the material is sorted, baled and shipped to third party wholesalers. Recycled material is then processed into new material, such as bottles, containers, clothes, bicycles, furniture and paper.

Helpful Links

- Residential Guidebook to Waste Disposal and Recycling
- What's Recyclable at Home - English, Spanish, Creole
- Recycling Tips- Video

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