

Pickup Monday **Pickup Tuesday** **Pickup Wednesday**

* There are no collections made on holidays as the recycling center is closed. All pickups will be one day later for the rest of the holiday week.

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RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Set recycling bins at the curb the NIGHT BEFORE your collection day. Bins left out more than 24 hours may be subject to fines by the City.

See reverse for preparation guidelines or call Tompkins County Solid Waste Division at 273-6632

Remember: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and Rebuy

Tompkins County Solid Waste Management Division, 273-6632
www.recycletomkins.org

Preparation Guidelines

The following materials are accepted at curbside and at the RSWC:

Recyclable Paper

*Put all recyclable paper together in a paper bag and place in or beside your recycling bin.

👉 Please do not mix paper with recyclable containers.

Newspaper

YES Glossy inserts and magazines. May be put together with other paper types.

NO Product samples, plastic wrap or string.

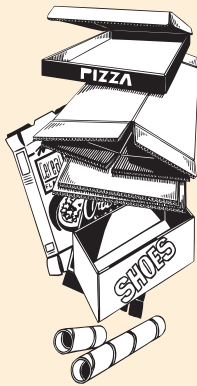


Corrugated Cardboard & Boxboard

Multi-layer cartons and single-layer cardboard

YES Clean corrugated boxes; boxboard (cereal, pasta, shoe and tissue boxes); paper egg cartons. Remove plastic liners. Flatten boxboard and put in paper bag with other papers. Flatten corrugated cardboard. Pieces must be less than 4ft. X 4ft. X 1.5ft. high for curbside pickup. Stack next to or in your recycling bin.

NO Wax- or plastic-coated boxes, wood, plastic or string. No leftover food. No boxes from wet foods, such as ice cream, frozen foods or take-out foods.



Mixed Paper

YES Opened mail, white and colored office paper, magazines, flyers, paper bags, posters, fax paper, non-metallic wrapping paper and cards, spiral notebooks, manila folders, phone books, soft cover books. Staples, paper clips, rubber bands and plastic windows are OK.

NO Blueprint paper, Tyvek® envelopes, waxed paper, photo paper, tissues, paper towel, or non-paper items, such as product samples, credit cards, overhead transparencies, or computer disks.



Recyclable Containers

*Put all containers in the same recycling bin.

👉 Please do not mix containers with recyclable paper.



Glass Bottles and Jars

clear, green & brown bottles and jars

YES Food and beverage containers only. Discard lids and caps (they can be donated to the Sciencenter). Rinse clean. Labels and neck rings are OK.

NO Plate glass, drinking glasses, crystal, Pyrex®, Visionware®, light bulbs or tubes, medicine bottles, ceramics, hazardous product bottles, canning jars, wire caps or lids.



Metal Cans and Aluminum Foil

YES Rinse clean. Place metal lids inside can and pinch top together. Labels are OK. Aerosol cans must be empty: dispose of caps and use up contents according to directions. Save aerosol pesticides for D.E.P.O.T. events.

NO Food residue, pesticide cans, syringes, gas or propane containers.



Plastic Bottles and Jugs

YES #1 through #7 narrow-neck plastic bottles and jugs, in addition to #5 wide-mouth containers such as yogurt and butter tubs. Includes household product, beverage or food containers. Top opening must be smaller than base except yogurt and butter containers.

NO Wide-mouth, stackable containers (except #5); take-out containers, microwave trays, lids, pails; pesticide containers; automotive oil-based product bottles. No Styrofoam®. Do not tie the jugs with string.



Paper Milk and Juice Cartons

YES Paper milk and juice cartons; drink boxes and soy milk containers. Rinse cartons, drain and flatten, if possible.

NO Plastic screw-on tops, drinking straws or food residue. Please do not put cartons in with recyclable paper.



Do not place recyclables in plastic bags.



Tip: Put your newspapers and junk mail in a paper bag. Once it's full and it's your recycling pick-up day, lay it on top of your recycling bin to help keep the containers in place and then put it at the curb.



Remember: If your recycling bin is overflowing, you can purchase a 40 gallon bin with wheels to place your containers in and take to the curb. Call for more details.



Tompkins County Solid Waste Management Division 273-6632
www.recycletompkins.org
Office: Mon-Fri, 8:00am-4:30 pm.
Recycling Center: Mon-Sat, 7:00am-3:30 pm.