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DISPOSAL

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Acceptable Recyclable Materials

Paper / Fiber (Clean, dry paper that can be torn):

- Newspapers (with inserts), magazines and catalogs, junk mail
- Cardboard and paperboard boxes (including all cereal boxes without the liners, frozen food packaging, etc.).
- Cardboard boxes must be flattened and no larger than 4' x 4' in order to be recycled. Otherwise, they will be collected with trash.
- Corrugated cardboard, cardstock
- Books (including paperbacks, textbooks, hardbacks, telephone books)
- Office paper (including typing, fax, copy and letterhead), colored paper and envelopes
- Brown paper bags (Kraft)
- Non-metallic wrapping paper
- Aseptic / Gable-top milk and juice cartons
- Shredded paper contained in a sealed or tied bag

Plastic, Glass and Metal (Non-Fiber):

- #1-#7 Rigid plastic containers including bottles, jugs, wide-mouth tubs, and trays (clean of food waste)
- Aluminum food/beverage containers, aluminum foil, aluminum pie pans
- Steel/tin cans, such as soup and vegetable cans
- Aerosol cans (empty)
- Glass jars and bottles

The following plastic items: plastic milk/soda crates, plastic buckets with metal handles, plastic laundry baskets, plastic lawn furniture, plastic totes, plastic drums, plastic coolers, plastic flower pots, plastic drinking cups/glasses, plastic 5-gallon water bottles, plastic pallets, plastic toys, and empty plastic garbage/recycling bins

Unacceptable Recycling Materials

Non-Fiber:

- Styrofoam (cups, plates, bowls, take-out containers, foam packing material of any kind)
- Materials contaminated with food waste and/or grease
- Colored plastic film (candy/food wrappers or bags, colored plastic bags)
- Loose plastic bags (must be contained in one bag)
- Plastic cutlery (forks, knives, spoons)
- Non-container glass (cookware, plate glass, window glass)
- Motor oil containers
- Ceramics
- Construction and demolition material, wood, vinyl siding
- Clear, bagged plastic film

Paper / Fiber:

- Used paper towels, tissues
- Used paper plates, cups, etc.
- Metallic wrapping paper
- Wax paper, laminated paper
- Any paper contaminated with food waste
- Loose, shredded Paper (must be contained in one tied or sealed bag)