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WASTE MANAGEMENT

Think Green.

Dear Easttown Resident,

We are pleased to announce the introduction of automated single stream recycling in your community. As a part of this process you have received a 64 gallon recycling container. This container is designed to be used with our automated collection system. Our automated truck utilizes a mechanical arm which will wrap around your recycling container and empty it into a bin attached to the front of the truck.

Basic Procedures:

Please place your container within 3 feet of the curb or roadway and leave at least 3 feet of clearance between the container and any other object, i.e., mailboxes, cars, trees, wires.

Place the container with the wheels facing your residence and lid opening facing the street. This will prevent any damage to your lid as well as assist in leaving your lid shut after emptying.



Sincerely,
Waste Management



Acceptable Recycling Items For Your 64 Gallon Container

Corrugated Paper
Mixed Paper
Clear and Colored Glass Containers
Aluminum, Steel and Bimetal Containers
Plastics Containers Marked #1 through #7

Waste Management is North America's largest recycler of household-generated recyclables, recycling enough newspaper, office paper and cardboard last year to save more than 41 million trees.



Did You Know?

**Customers of Waste Management Enjoy Single-Stream Recycling.
All of your recyclables can be placed together in the same bin!
No sorting required!**

The following can be placed in your curbside bin and mixed all-together:

- Aluminum food and beverage containers with food debris removed. Labels do not need to be removed.
 - Glass food and beverage containers with lids and food debris removed: Clear, Brown Green. Labels do not have to be removed.
 - Natural and pigmented plastic **narrow-neck** containers with symbols 1,2,3,4,5,6,7 (milk bottles, water bottles, detergent bottles, shampoo bottles, bleach bottles, etc). **[REDACTED]** food debris removed. Labels do not have to be removed.
 - Ferrous (Iron, steel, tin) cans with food debris removed.
 - Newsprint – black and white or pigmented. Not bound or placed in bags.
 - Construction paper, Kraft paper, cereal Boxes, shoe boxes, or similar.
 - Printer paper, computer paper, copy paper.
 - Junk Mail.
 - Pizza boxes
 - Magazines, catalogs.
 - Corrugated cardboard that is small enough to fit into the bin/toter and not bound.
 - Phone books.
 - Lids may stay on recycle plastics
 - O.J., Milk, Juice cardboard containers
 - Plastic bags w/newspapers, etc. inside but NOT large amounts of plastic
- Short List of Materials Not Accepted:**

- Wax coated paper or cardboard.
- Any material with food debris.
- **[REDACTED]** Large quantity of plastic bags
- Batteries of any kind.
- Styrofoam of any kind.
- Light bulbs.
- Mirrors, window or auto glass, porcelain, ceramics, glass cookware/bake ware, microwave oven trays, drinking glasses, perfume/cologne bottles.
- Wood or Yard Waste
- Unnumbered plastics.
- Coat hangers, Wire.
- Household items such as toasters, cookware, bake ware, electronics, appliances, etc.
- Hazardous or toxic substances.
- Items containing or having debris and residue containing hazardous or toxic substances such as paint cans with wet paint, motor oil containers, gasoline cans, glue, petroleum products, etc.
- Aerosol cans.

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You can put additional recycles NEXT to new recycle tote in an old Easttown Township recycle bin or in a bag that is CLEARLY MARKED for recycles.

Preparing Trash and Recycling for Collection

- Please have all items curbside no later than 6:00 A.M. on your scheduled collection day.
- Please place all recyclable items in the provided 64 gallon container, acceptable items for recycling include:
 - Corrugated paper
 - Mixed paper
 - Clear and colored glass container
 - Aluminum containers, steel containers and bimetal containers
 - Plastic containers marked #1 thru #7
 - Cardboard – Please insure all cardboard fits in provided container
- Leaf/Brush waste – All leaves must be placed in biodegradable paper bags and placed curbside for collection. Brush must be placed in manageable bundles and tied with string. Limbs can be no longer than 6 feet in length and 4 inches in diameter. Holiday trees and wreaths will be collected during the January leaf collection. No trees in plastic bags.
- Bulk Waste – Please have all bulk items curbside no later than 6:00 A.M. on your scheduled collection day. The following items will not be collected as bulk waste:
 - Tires and tire rims
 - Items containing refrigerants (refrigerators, air conditioners, freezers, dehumidifiers, etc). Please contact us if you require removal of such items to arrange for a special pick up of these items. A separate fee billed directly to the resident is associated with this service.
 - Materials classified as Hazardous Waste (paint in liquid form, paint thinners, anti-freeze, items containing fuel or motor oil, gas cylinders, etc
- Paint Cans – Only paint cans that contain **dried paint** will be collected. Paint cans containing any paint in liquid form cannot be collected. Please place any paint cans containing dried paint in your **trash** receptacle for collection. Paint cans are not accepted as recyclable items.

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