



TREX BINS APPROVED FOR USE

Plastic grocery bags and other single use plastics like dry cleaning bags, newspaper sleeves, plastic case overwrap, bubble wrap are made from fossil fuels and are known as polyethylene products (PE).

These products are not recyclable in curbside collection programs, like Republic Services 'All-in-One' recycling program, because they need to be clean and dry to be properly recycled. Polyethylene products that are not properly recycled are either incinerated or enter a landfill, where they photodegrade and can become microplastics dangerous for both human and animal consumption.

Trex, a wood alternative composite decking manufacturer, recycles PE, along with sawdust and wood, to make low maintenance decking and railings. Each year TREX turns 1.5 billion pounds of PE into low maintenance decking and railings. Trex partners with retailers like grocery store chains to acquire its PE. In turn, local retailers rely on the placement of PE collection bins in the community to supply them.



Two of these Trex Recycling Bins are now located inside the Easttown Library vestibule and one bin is in the Township lobby ready for your plastic. See the flyer to see which household plastics are acceptable. We hope you will use these regularly!

