

# Jackson County Recycling

## Commingled Containers

*Make sure all items are empty and rinsed out.*

### Plastic Containers

#1, #2, #4, #5, and #7 Plastic food and beverage containers, including bottles, jars, jugs, and other rigid plastic containers.

### Glass Containers

Glass bottles and jars, glass food containers, and glass beverage containers.

### Metal Containers

Aluminum and metal cans, loose metal jar lids, and steel bottle caps.

## Fiber

Newspaper, office paper, mixed paper, corrugated cardboard and boxboard.

## Items to keep out of recycling bins

-#3 (for example: PVC pipes, shower curtains, inflatable mattresses) and #6 plastics (Styrofoam) should not be placed in recycling bins. Please place these items with regular trash.

-No plastic bags (except for office paper and junk mail).

-No hazardous waste such as paint cans, automotive fluids, car batteries or pesticides.

-No diapers or bio-hazardous waste. Syringes, needles, diapers, and other sanitary products are not recyclable.

-No nonrecyclable plastics. While we have added new plastic items, many plastics are still not recyclable. Plastic lids, foam (Styrofoam) and any other plastics not listed in our recycling guidelines are not recyclable because stable markets do not exist for these materials.

-No caps/lids on glass bottles or jars. Metal lids can be removed and recycled loose in the bin.

-Shredded paper must be placed in the trash bin.

-Plastic lids from plastic soft drink bottles can be placed back onto the soda bottle or thrown away. Do not recycle them loose.

-Plastic caps from glass bottles and jars should be rinsed and thrown away.

-No ceramics such as stoneware, china or porcelain.

-No nonrecyclable glass such as Pyrex, glass windows, or crystal.

Currently we are able to accept milk and juice cartons, but keep in mind this may change depending on the contractor.