



RECYCLING GUIDE

PAPER

CLEAN AND EMPTY

Flattened Cardboard
Clean Pizza Boxes (No Food Residue)
Paper Boxes & Containers
Newspapers & Magazines
Junk Mail & Office Paper

NO SHREDDED PAPER



PLASTIC

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Plastic Bottles,
Cups & Containers
(Leave Caps On)

NO PLASTIC BAGS
NO FOAM



GLASS

CLEAN AND EMPTY

Glass Bottles & Jars

NO WINDOWS OR CERAMICS



METAL

CLEAN AND EMPTY

Steel & Aluminum Bottles & Cans,
Aluminum Foil

NO PROPANE TANKS
NO SCRAP METAL



CARTONS

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Milk, Juice, & Soup Cartons
(Leave Caps On)



KEEP OUT OF RECYCLING CONTAINERS



**SEPARATE
OUT
RECYCLING
TRASH**



Anything stringy,
like cords,
cables, hoses,
clothing



Anything in bags.
Leave
recyclables
loose.



Hazardous
materials like
batteries,
medical waste,
or propane tanks

NEW recycling rules for all Newaygo County residents

- Plastics should be rigid, no bags, films or wrappings. Some of these types of items can be returned to stores like Walmart or Meijer, please check with your local store about their policies.
- Shredded paper is no longer accepted, and should be put in the trash.
- Cardboard boxes must be empty and flattened.
- Styrofoam is not accepted.
- Items should be rinsed clean of all food waste.
- Hazardous materials like batteries, propane tanks, or medical waste are not accepted.

Curbside customers in the City of Fremont, or drop-off customers in the County of Newaygo can visit www.cartright.net for more information.

Curbside customers in the cities of Newaygo and Grant can visit www.recyclingsimplified.com for more information from Republic Waste.

RECYCLING RULES HAVE CHANGED

If items were left in your bin please see below to learn how to prepare your items correctly for acceptance. New recycling guidelines in effect beginning December 13, 2019

Learn more at www.cartright.net

- Plastic films and bags are not recyclable in this program. If any plastic bags or films are present in your bin all of your items will be left. Please remove any plastic bags or films for next weeks pickup
- Anything secured in bags are not accepted. Leave recyclables loose
- Garbage bags are not allowed.
- Styrofoam is not recyclable in this program.
- Shredded paper is no longer accepted in this program
- Items should be clean without food waste
- Cardboard boxes of any size should be empty and flattened
- Hazardous materials like batteries, medical waste, or propane tanks are not accepted.
- Hangers are not accepted
- Paper plates, napkins, toilet paper, paper toweling and plastic cutlery is not accepted.
- Straws are not accepted