YOUR GUIDE TO CURBSIDE RECYCLING



What Do I Do With It?

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Compost (food scraps & yard waste) collection

Most single-family homes in Kitsap County can receive compost collection service from their service provider. See if your home is within the service area using the map at kcowa.us/curbcomp.

You can compost these items in your curbside cart:

- Food scraps, including meat, dairy, and bone
- Yard waste
- Napkins and paper towels.

Free TV and computer recycling

Televisions, computers, monitors, laptops, and e-readers can be taken to free drop-off recycling sites around Kitsap County. Visit Recycle.KitsapGov.com to find a site near you.

Household hazardous waste

If a container has the words caution, warning, flammable, combustible, danger, toxic, or poison and still has product inside, it does not belong in the trash. Visit Recycle.KitsapGov.com to find a free disposal site for hazardous household items like:

- Aerosols
- Adhesives
- Antifreeze
- Automotive products
- Batteries
- Cleaning products
- Contaminated motor oil
- Flammable liquids, gasoline, & solvents
- Paints & stains
- Fluorescent tubes & light bulbs
- Herbicides & pesticides
- Mercury thermometers
- Motor Oil
- Pool & spa supplies
- Road flares
- Small propane bottles
- Syringes / sharps

Frequently Asked Questions

When do I put my cart out for pick up?

Call or visit the website of your service provider for a current schedule in your area.

Waste Management: wmnorthwest.com 800.592.9995 Bainbridge Disposal: bainbridgedisposal.com 206.842.4882

Can I leave recyclables outside of my cart?

Unincorporated County: If you regularly have extra recyclables that don't fit in your cart, add a second cart for just a few dollars per month. For occasional extra recyclables, secure them in a labeled container and set it next to your recycling cart. Make sure recyclables can't blow away or get wet

Cities: Contact your service provider to ask about curbside options for extra recycling.

How clean do recyclables need to be?

Wash food containers until you can't see any food residue. It's very important that recyclables are empty, clean, and dry!

Tip! Remove stubborn food from cans and jars by washing them in your dishwasher.

The only plastics allowed in the recycling cart are clean bottles, jugs, jars, and dairy tubs. Why?

Even if they have a recycling symbol, don't recycle other kinds of plastic in your recycling cart. There are multiple reasons other plastics aren't collected at the curb:

- Sorting machinery cannot sort them.
- They may damage sorting machinery.
- There is no market for them, so they cannot be sold.
- The volume is too small to recycle economically.



For more curbside recycling and garbage service information call:

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WASTE MANAGEMENT

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RECYCLE

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GLASS

PAPER & CARDBOARD empty • clean • rinse cartons • flatten cardboard



Milk and Juice Cartons



Office Paper



Paper and Frozen Food Boxes



Newspapers



Mail and Magazines



Phone Books



Cardboard



Paper Bags

CANS empty • rins

PLASTIC CONTAINERS empty • rinse • replace twist caps • no tub lids



Bottles



Jugs





Jars



Dairy Tubs



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empty • rinse • no lids • don't break



Bottles and Jars

empty • rinse • no loose lids • don't crush



Aluminum



Steel (Tin)