

# CURBSIDE RECYCLING GUIDE



## 1 IN THE CART



All recyclable material must be placed in this cart, no personal containers will be serviced.

### PAPER & CARDBOARD



#### YES:

- ✓ Newspaper, magazines, junk mail, phonebooks, paper bags, cereal boxes, gift and shoe boxes, writing and printing paper
- ✓ Shredded paper – Contain in brown paper bag
- ✓ Milk cartons, drink boxes, soy milk and soup boxes – Rinse out
- ✓ Cardboard – Flatten boxes and cut down to fit inside cart, pieces no larger than 2' x 2'

#### NO:

- ⊗ Tissues, paper towels or plates
- ⊗ Food-soiled paper
- ⊗ Foil wrapping paper, pet food bags with plastic liners, or waxed paper liners as found in cereal boxes
- ⊗ Frozen food or juice concentrate containers

### METAL



#### YES:

- ✓ Aluminum and tin cans – Rinse clean
- ✓ Clean foil
- ✓ Aerosol cans – Empty cans only; remove lids and nozzles
- ✓ Scrap metal – No larger than 24" in any direction and less than 35 pounds; remove any attached plastic, rubber or wood

#### NO:

- ⊗ Foil with food on it
- ⊗ Partial or full aerosol cans – Must be taken to a Household Hazardous Waste collection site
- ⊗ Automotive parts

### PLASTIC BOTTLES & TUBS



#### YES:

- ✓ Plastics #1- #5, #7
- ✓ Plastic tubs
- ✓ Plastic buckets, 5 gallons or less
- ✓ Nursery pots
- ✓ All plastic bottles – Rinsed
- ✓ Bottles used for chemicals – empty bottles only
- ✓ Plastic trays or clamshells
- ✓ Motor oil bottles – empty bottles only
- ✓ Plastic bags, wrap or film

#### NO:

- ⊗ Styrofoam™ or other block foam

### GLASS BOTTLES & JARS



#### YES:

- ✓ Glass bottles and jars – Rinse and remove lids

#### NO:

- ⊗ Light bulbs
- ⊗ Window glass
- ⊗ Flower vases
- ⊗ Ceramics
- ⊗ Lids
- ⊗ Mirrors
- ⊗ Drinking glasses

### BATTERIES



#### YES:

- ✓ Place alkaline batteries in orange sealable bag and place in your recycle cart.
- ✓ Bags are provided, please contact our office.

#### NO:

- ⊗ Rechargeable batteries
- ⊗ Lithium batteries

## 2 OTHER ITEMS NEXT TO CART

### USED COOKING OIL/ MOTOR OIL/MOTOR OIL FILTERS



#### YES:

- ✓ Put in a clear one gallon plastic jug with a screw top lid
- ✓ Place filters in sealable plastic bags
- ✓ Limit to 5 x 1-gallon containers

#### NO:

- ⊗ Do not mix with other liquids
- ⊗ Do not mix cooking oil with motor oil

Please have all recyclables at the curb the night before your service day

Questions?

Ask Waste Connections:  
greenwasteofthama.com  
530-528-8500  
or 800-433-6924





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## CART PLACEMENT

Leave cart at curb or roadside – no more than 5 ft from the curb

Please leave spacing between carts and other objects (cars, mailboxes, basketball hoops). The trucks need room to pick up your containers.



## WHERE TO CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION:

### Garbage and Recycling Collection

Green Waste of Tehama  
1805 Airport Blvd., Red Bluff, CA 96080  
530-528-8500 or 800-433-6924  
[www.greenwasteoftehama.com](http://www.greenwasteoftehama.com)

### Tehama County Landfill

1995 Plymire Road, Red Bluff, CA 96080  
For hours of operation, prices and general information, please call 530-528-1102

### Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off

For more information, please call  
530-528-1103 or visit  
[www.co.tehama.ca.us/landfill](http://www.co.tehama.ca.us/landfill)

## YARD WASTE

### MATERIALS

Leaves, Branches, Grass Clippings and Prunings

All yard waste must be placed in this cart, no personal containers will be serviced.



### Do's

- ✓ Use your 95-gal cart for yard trimmings
- ✓ All yard waste should be contained within your cart with the lid closed.

### Don'ts

- ✗ NO plastic bags
- ✗ No dirt, sod, or rocks
- ✗ Limbs cannot exceed 2 feet in length and 3 inches in diameter