

# Beaverton Recycles!

## PAPER

- ✓ **YES:** Flat, clean cardboard
- ✓ **YES:** Newspaper, magazines, junk mail
- ✓ **YES:** Phone books, catalogs
- ✓ **YES:** Paper food boxes (cereal, pasta, etc.) with liners removed
- ✓ **YES:** Rinsed milk cartons
- ✓ **YES:** Shredded paper (stuffed in a paper - not a plastic - bag)
- ⊘ **NO:** Waxed or coated cardboard
- ⊘ **NO:** Tissues and paper towels
- ⊘ **NO:** Paper with food residue
- ⊘ **NO:** Frozen food boxes



## METAL

- ✓ **YES:** Empty aluminum, steel and tin cans
- ✓ **YES:** Metal caps and lids
- ✓ **YES:** Clean aluminum foil and foil baking trays
- ✓ **YES:** Scrap metal pieces shorter than 36 inches and less than 40 pounds
- ⊘ **NO:** Metal with food residue
- ⊘ **NO:** Cans with food residue
- ⊘ **NO:** Metal with other attached materials (plastics, etc.)



## PLASTIC

- ✓ **YES:** Rigid plastic containers and bottles with #1 through #7.
- ✓ **YES:** Clean plastic bottles, jugs or jars, (shampoo, soft drinks, detergent, etc.)
- ✓ **YES:** Prescription/pill bottles
- ✓ **YES:** Plastic tubs and lids (butter, yogurt, cottage cheese)
- ⊘ **NO:** Plastic bags (produce, bread, freezer, shopping, newspaper, dry-cleaning)
- ⊘ **NO:** Plastic film or bubble wrap
- ⊘ **NO:** Frozen food and take-out containers
- ⊘ **NO:** Packing materials (block foam and packing peanuts)
- ⊘ **NO:** Cups, plates, utensils
- ⊘ **NO:** Plastic caps and six-pack rings
- ⊘ **NO:** Plastic packaging material (rigid or soft)
- ⊘ **NO:** Hazardous or toxic material containers (motor oil, antifreeze, pesticide, etc.)
- ⊘ **NO:** Plastic toys
- ⊘ **NO:** Garden hoses



## GLASS (in red bin)

**Do not mix glass with other recycling.** Glass items must be kept separate because of safety concerns to staff and equipment during the recycling process. If glass is mixed with the other recyclables, the entire load may have to be thrown away as trash.

- ✓ **YES:** All clean glass bottles and jars (paper labels do not need to be removed)
- ✓ **YES:** Clear and colored glass do not need to be separated
- ⊘ **NO:** Lids or corks
- ⊘ **NO:** Plastic or paper bags, no cartons, no boxes
- ⊘ **NO:** Ceramics, tableware (cups, plates, vases, etc.)
- ⊘ **NO:** Window glass, cookware glass, drinking glasses, reading glasses, mirrors, light bulbs



# No!

- **Plastic Bags** in your Recycling Roll-Cart
- **Glass** in your Recycling Roll-Cart
- **Garbage** in your Recycling Roll-Cart