

Why Recycle?

- Recycling preserves natural resources.
- Recycling saves energy.
- Recycling helps curb global warming.
- Recycling reduces pollution.
- Recycling reduces the need for landfills.
- Recycling is good for the economy.
- Recycling raises awareness.

While curbside recycling in Cuyahoga Heights is a voluntary program for our residents, we strongly urge you to recycle if you are not already doing so.



Residents will place all materials in their blue recycling containers that will be provided at no cost to the residents. These containers will be picked up on Monday of each week.

In case a holiday falls on a Monday, recycled material will be collected on the Tuesday following the holiday.



Materials that are not properly prepared for recycling or are mixed with non-recyclable material may be taken as refuse.

WHAT MATERIALS CAN BE RECYCLED IN YOUR BLUE CONTAINER

CARTONS

All cartons - refrigerated, shelf-stable, aseptic packaging. *For example: fruit juice boxes, orange juice and milk cartons, wine boxes, soy and almond milk boxes, cereal cartons, egg substitute cartons.*

METALS

All aluminum, tin, metal and bi-metal cans – **rinsed if possible.** *For example: soda, juice, soup, vegetables, and pet food cans, pie tins, clean aluminum foils, wire hangers.*

GLASS

All glass bottles and jars – **rinsed if possible.** *For example: soda, wine, beer, spaghetti sauce, pickle jars.*

PLASTICS

Empty plastic containers – **rinsed if possible.** *For example: soda, juice, detergent, bleach, shampoo, lotion, mouthwash, dishwashing liquid bottles, milk jugs, tubs for margarine and yogurt, plastic planters.* As well as other plastic items. *For example: plastic bags, grocery bags, Styrofoam, plastic coat hangers, non-electric plastic toys, plastic laundry baskets.*

DO NOT RECYCLE

CONTAMINATED PAPER – Soiled papers or bags with oils and food waste.

BROKEN GLASS – Window glass, mirror glass, auto glass, light bulbs, fluorescent lights and ceramics.



OTHER PLASTIC – Plastic hygienic items, any electric or battery operated toys.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS –

Electronics, cleaning fluids, automotive fluids, all batteries, pesticides, oil based paint, garden chemicals, pool cleaners.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Paper/Cardboard – A recycling container at the service garage has been provided for residents to drop off cardboard and/or newspaper material. If you have a large amount of cardboard/newspaper and are unable to take it to the container, please call the Village Hall prior to Tuesday and we will pick it up with our regular “special pick up” items.

Clothing – The Service Department will pick up any clothing donations and any other used household items on the first Wednesday of the month for a charity pick up. Please call the Village Hall (216) 641-7020 prior to the first Wednesday of the month to schedule this pick up.

Large Items – The Service Department will pick up any appliances, furniture, mattresses, and large trash items every Tuesday as needed. Please call the Village Hall prior to Tuesday to schedule a pick up.

Yard Waste – Curbside service is provided with normal garbage pick up every Monday. Place all “yard waste” in a separate container for pick up. All yard waste is taken to Rosby Resource Recovery.

Leaf Pick Up – In the fall, rake all leaves to the curb; the Service Department will pick them up.

Hazardous Material – In the spring and fall, the Service Department will pick up hazardous material from homes on Tuesdays. Please call the Village Hall prior to Tuesday to be put on the special pick up list.



Used Oil – Please call the Village Hall prior to Tuesday to schedule a pick up for your used oil. Otherwise, you may drop it off directly to the Service Department at any time. All used oil must be in a container with a cap such as a jar or milk carton.

Telephone Books – There is a storage unit in the CanalWay Center’s parking lot which is located off of East 49th Street. This container is used to dispose of old telephone books between June 1 through September 30.



If you have any additional questions, please feel free to contact the Service Department at (216) 641-3505.

Village of Cuyahoga Heights



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