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APPLE VALLEY WASTE

## Guidelines for Recycling

### Getting Started:

- Place acceptable recyclables inside the red recycling cart provided by Apple Valley Waste
- Place your cart at the curb in front of your house the evening before your collection day
- Make sure that all items are free from food debris. Food contaminated products will not be accepted.
- Remove all lids, metal and plastic lids can be recycled but must be removed from all container types
- If your bin is contaminated with unacceptable items the bin will not be serviced.
- If you have questions or concerns please call Apple Valley Waste at 877-267-1280

### Glass



- **Accepted Materials:**
  - Clear, green and brown bottles and jars
- **Unacceptable Items:**
  - Window glass, ceramics, ovenware, crystal, mirrors and Pyrex

### Metals



- **Accepted Materials:**
  - Food and Beverage containers made of aluminum, steel and tin
  - Aluminum, tin and steel containers and foils
  - Completely empty aerosol cans
- **Unacceptable Items:**
  - Chemical paint thinner solvent cans, non-aerosol pesticide cans
  - Empty gasoline or chemical cans

### Plastics



- **Accepted Materials:**
  - Plastic containers with numbers: 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 7
  - Wide mouth containers (yogurt, peanut butter, margarine tubs)
  - 6-pack and 12-pack plastic rings
  - Plastic bags (bagged together)
  - Plastic Beverage Containers
- **Unacceptable Items:**
  - Oil containers, plastic buckets, food-contaminated plastics and oversized plastics

### Paper



- **Accepted Materials:**
  - Mixed Paper
  - Magazines, Books, Catalogs
  - Cardboard, Paperboard
  - Junk mail, Phone books, Office paper
  - Cereal boxes and paperboard boxes
- **Unacceptable Items:**
  - Any type of paper or cardboard with a waxed surface
  - Gift wrap
  - Any type of coated juice or milk cartons with a waxed surface