



KEEPING TRENTON CLEAN AND GREEN

Garbage Collection Every Week:

Please place in the TRASH cart:

- Mixed trash
- Broken toys
- Ceramics
- Bagged garbage & food waste
- Styrofoam & other loose trash

Recycling Collection Every Other Week:

Please place in the RECYCLE cart:

MIXED CONTAINERS

- Aluminum cans & clean aluminum foil
- Tin cans, steel cans, aerosol cans, empty/dried paint cans
- Glass bottles & jars
- #1-7 plastic
- Milk cartons, juice boxes, soup cartons

MIXED PAPER

- Newspaper, magazines, books, mail, school/office paper
- Brown corrugated cardboard
- Gray chipboard (cereal and shoe boxes)
- Brown paper bags
- Shredded paper (bagged in clear plastic)

DO NOT put the following items in the recycling cart:

- Styrofoam of any kind
- Trash
- Construction materials
- Clothing
- Yard waste
- Household hazardous waste
- Electronics

Please do not put recycling in plastic bags (see exception for shredded paper). Local clean sweep programs may offer alternative options for disposal of fluorescent light bulbs, household hazardous waste, pharmaceuticals & electronics.



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CART PLACEMENT

- The arrows on the lid of the cart must point to the street
- Handles and wheels should face away from the street.
- The garbage cart should be placed within 2 ft. of the street on one side of the driveway.
- The recycle cart should be placed within 2 ft. of the street on the other side of the driveway.
- Please keep at least 3 ft. of clearance between the carts and other objects, especially mailboxes and vehicles

RECYCLING FACTS

- ♻️ Bottled water costs between \$1 and \$4 per gallon, and 90 percent of the cost is in the bottle, lid and label.
- ♻️ 5 plastic bottles can be recycled to make a polyester T-shirt.
- ♻️ A used aluminum can is able to be recycled and back on the grocery shelf as a new can in as fast as 60 days.
- ♻️ Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to keep a 100-watt bulb burning for almost four hours, or run your television for three hours.
- ♻️ Reduce paper waste by using both sides of the paper and using scrap paper whenever possible.
- ♻️ Reuse canvas, paper or plastic bags to bring home purchases.



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