CURBSIDE RECYCLING GUIDELINES

GREEN side PAPER

- Newspaper, Magazines, Catalogs
- Cardboard, flattened 2'x2' or smaller pieces
 - NO frozen/refrigerated food or drink boxes (beer/soda holders, etc.), egg cartons, or pizza boxes
- Chipboard cereal & snack boxes, etc.
- Home & Office paper bag shredded paper in a paper bag
- Junk mail & Envelopes
- Paper bags, Paper gift wrap

■ Phonebooks, Paperback books

Remember to...

Face your bin with the handle towards the house in an unobstructed location

BLUE side CONTAINERS

Should be free of food & liquids

NO Plastic bags or film plastic (chip bags, bread bags, shrink wrap, etc.)

- Glass jars & bottles all colors
- #1-#7 Plastic bottles & containers must be rigid & marked with a #1-#7 NO lids or caps
- Aluminum & Bimetal cans
- Steel & Tin cans
- Aluminum foil & formed containers



If in doubt, throw it out

Not sure if an item is recyclable in your curbside bin? Throw it out.

Examples: chip bags, snack wrappers, Styrofoam (meat trays, etc.), compostable plastics, plastic utensils & straws, durable plastic goods (chairs, toys, totes, etc.), photographs

Be picky about PAPER

Do not recycle any paper that has come in contact with food, beverage, or bodily function.

Examples: carry-out coffee cups, paper towels, tissues, paper plates, waxed paper or cardboard (milk cartons, ice cream boxes), soymilk, juice & soup boxes, pizza boxes

Safety first!

Your recycling will be sorted by people in our community. Please dispose of or recycle hazardous materials properly. See reverse side or www.hwma.net to learn how.

Examples: Do not include medical sharps, biohazard items ("bathroom trash", byproducts of home medical procedures, etc.), electronics, CFLs, batteries

These items NOT accepted at curbside collection

Electronic waste * Appliances * Fluorescent bulbs * Batteries * Soft and Hardcover books * Scrap metal * Medical sharps * Motor oil * Antifreeze

Take to one of these recycling centers, call for hours, items taken & fees (if any)

Arcata Resource Recovery Center * 1445 10th St. * Arcata * 822-5156

Eureka Recycling Center * 1059 W. Hawthorne St., * Eureka * 268-8020 * www.hwma.net