RECYCLING GUIDELINES

Only recyclables in City provided bins will be picked up. (This includes cardboard.) If you need more bins, please contact Public Works at PublicWorks@gunnisonco.gov or 970-641-8020.



RECYCLING CATEGORIES

(Acceptable materials are based on the Gunnison County Recycle Center Guidelines, which are subject to change.)

Newspaper/Whitepaper/Magazines

OK: Copy Paper, white envelopes, plans/maps, pastel paper, yellow Post-its, books (remove covers), bagged shredded paper.

NO: Manila file folders and envelopes, neon paper/Post-its, wrapping paper, construction paper, Kleenex/TP, paper towels and tissue paper.

Aluminum CANS Only

NO: Foil or trays, baking sheets, scrap metal, cat food cans, pie pans, aluminum foil etc. Rinse cans out and remove labels.

Cardboard

OK: Corrugated cardboard, egg cartons, brown paper bags, craft paper, flat cardboard (6 packs, 12 packs, cereal boxes etc.) Put in a separate bin. Please flatten boxes.

NO: WAX coated cardboard, cardboard that tears white or milk or juice cartons, food boxes (pizza) or compressed forms.

Tin Cans Only

Canned good cans only. **NO** lids. Rinse cans out and remove labels.

Glass Bottles and Jars

(Brown, Green, and Clear Only)

Put in a separate bin. Remove all caps, corks and lids. Rinse jars out and remove labels.

No: Blue glass, glass blocks, windows, ceramics, tempered glass, vases, lids, rings, foils or labels.

#1 & #2 Plastics Only

OK: Plastics with a #1 or #2 on the bottom only. Rinse out and remove labels.

NO: #3-#7 plastics, plastic bags, metal lids and handles, yogurt, butter or sour cream containers.

If you have an excessive number of recyclables, you may take them to the Gunnison County Recycling Center located at 195 Basin Park Drive. You may drop off all recyclables, Monday through Sunday, 24 hours per day.

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