



# RECYCLING REMINDER



Do NOT bag (paper or plastic), box or bundle recyclables.  
Put them loose in your recycling bin — EMPTY, RINSED AND CLEAN.

## Please DO NOT put the following items in your blue bin:

- Plastic checkout bags, plastic garbage bags or plastic film (produce bags, newspaper bags)
  - Plastic bubble wrap, plastic pillows or packing peanuts
  - Styrofoam
  - Plastic or wire hangers
  - Snack packaging (chip bags, candy wrappers, etc.)
  - Bagged food packaging (salad mixes, pre-cut fruits and vegetables, etc.)
  - Plastic juice pouches
  - Plastic straws
  - Plastic sandwich bags
  - Plastic six-pack rings
  - Meat or poultry trays
  - Single-use coffee pods
  - Cardboard or “compostable” take-out food containers
  - “Compostable” cups, plates, utensils or bags
  - Hard plastics such as flower pots and toys
  - Paper cups—hot or cold
  - Paper plates
  - Toothbrushes/toothpaste tubes
  - Lightbulbs
  - Broken glass
  - Drinking glasses
  - Ceramics such as mugs or bowls
- Larger items such as mops, brooms and garden hoses are NOT recyclable. If they are in usable condition, please donate; otherwise, dispose of them in the trash.

**NOTE: Norwalk does not use recycling numbers to determine what is and what isn't recyclable.**

For more information: <https://www.norwalkct.org/497/Recycling>