

Businesses and
Institutions
Schools & Hospitals

PA Act 101 requires Recycling in Commercial and Institutional Establishments in communities with a population of 5,000 or more.

Here's what to recycle:

- Office Paper
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Aluminum Cans
- Leaf waste if applicable

•Local governments may also require recycling by Ordinance of these and other materials in any size community.

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PROVIDES Technical Assistance on:

- Establishing Recycling Programs
- Waste Reduction Techniques
- Municipal Reports & Grants

PROVIDES Presentations to groups :

- Recycling @ Home, School, Work
- Composting
- Environmental Shopping

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To Learn How to Recycle

- Electronics
- Motor Oil
- Compact Florescent Lamps
- Household Hazardous Waste

Leaves, Brush and Grass can be
Composted. Contact the Recycling Center
at 963-6868

OR your Municipal Office for details.
Learn how to Compost by calling
963-2017.



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Lets Make Recycling Work



*If We Aren't Recycling,
We Are Throwing It All Away*

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**Lackawanna
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So Much PAPER to Recycle
Here's WHAT and HOW:

Newspaper, Magazines Catalogs

Please place in a brown paper bag or bundle.



Office Paper

Computer paper, mail, envelopes and shredded paper
Please place in a clear plastic bag.



Cardboard Boxes

Heavy shipping boxes and light weight boxes (cereal and crackers- please throw out liners and **flatten**), paper towel rolls and pizza boxes.

Please **FLATTEN** boxes and bundle or place inside a larger box.



Recycle Me!



We want
your **BOX**
Not your
PIZZA!

How To Prepare Recyclables

1. Remove food/drink waste from containers and liners from boxes.
2. Flattening plastic bottles & then putting caps back on will make more room.



3. Please don't break glass! It's hard to recycle.
4. Put **shredded paper** in a **clear plastic bag** so it can be easily recycled.
5. **THANK YOU** for making **Recycling Work!**

HELPFUL TIP:

Plastic grocery or store bags cannot be put in your recycling bin. Please, return them to the grocery store or even better purchase and use reusable bags.

Commingle Containers Cans, Bottles, Jars, Tubs & Tops

Glass

Bottles & Jars only
These tops should be thrown away.
NO windows, mugs or glasses etc.

Cans

Aluminum & Steel (Tin)
Beverage & Food containers

Plastic

Bottles, Jars & Tubs with tops:
Milk, soda, water, soaps, margarine,
yogurt, cottage cheese etc.
NO cups, toys, plant pots...



The following cannot be recycled:
Food wrappers, paper or foam
dishes/cups, snack bags, straws,
utensils,, wraps, film.