

## RECYCLING GUIDELINES

(What is allowed in the single-stream recycling carts)

## KEEP THESE ITEMS OUT

(Not allowed in single-stream recycling)

## **CARDBOARD**& BOXBOARD

Ex: Flattened cardboard, cereal boxes, paper egg cartons, milk & juice cartons



#### PLASTICS #1 to #7

Ex: Pop bottles, milk jugs, soap bottles, rinsed food & drink containers (juice, yogurt, etc.)



### MIXED PAPER

Ex: Newspapers, office paper, fliers, & shredded paper (in clear plastic bag)



## HOUSEHOLD TIN & ALUMINUM

Ex: Aluminum containers & foil, tin cans, & aluminum beverage cans



# HELPFUL RECYCLING TIPS:

- \* Rinse out all food & drink items
- \* Flatten cardboard boxes
- \* Remove lids/caps from bottles
- \* No plastic bags of any kind, including "crinkly" or "stretchy" plastics
- \* Place all items loose in the cart; except shredded paper
- \* Plastics must have a #1 to #7 recycle symbol on the bottom

#### HOUSEHOLD WASTE

Ex: Diapers, coffee cups, feminine hygiene items, used tissues, dirty clothes, dishes, food bags, & garbage bags



## NON-RECYCLABLE PLASTICS

Ex: Black plastic, Styrofoam, toys, garden pots, bottle caps, & plastic bags



#### **ORGANICS**

Ex: Food waste, leaves & branches, grass, egg shells, coffee grounds & tea bags



## DIVERTABLE WASTE

Ex: Electronics, tires, mirrors, power cords, all tools, clothing, car parts, lawn furniture, clothes hangers, scrap metal, & glass



## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Ex: Batteries, aerosol containers, paint cans, cleaning products, propane tanks, & lightbulbs



#### **BIO HAZARDS**

Ex: Needles, human and pet waste/feces, Band-aids, bodily fluids, & animal carcasses



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