

WHAT GOES WHERE?

Quail Street Recycling Center

Aluminum Cans

Place in plastic rollable bins

- aluminum beverage cans only

(No food residue, cat food cans, aluminum foil, tins, or steel cans)

Glass

Place in roll-off marked for glass

- glass beverage bottles and food jars

(No food residue, metal lids, mirrors, window or plate glass or ceramics)

Plastic (#1-5 and #7)

Place in roll-off marked for plastics

- plastic beverage and laundry detergent bottles with caps half-way screwed on
- plastic food tubs and lids
- clamshells (for berries, lettuce)
- milk cartons
- juice boxes

(No food residue, buckets, pipe, Styrofoam or plastic #6, frozen dinner plates, prescription bottles, trash cans, lawn furniture or **any container which previously contained a household or other chemical (cleaners, motor oil, etc.)**)

Paper

Place in roll-off marked for paper

- shredded paper in clear plastic bags
- newspaper with inserts
- paperboard (cereal boxes, mac and cheese boxes, etc.)
- white, colored paper
- wrapping paper (not foil-lined)
- hard and soft-cover books
- magazines, catalogs
- phone books
- junk mail
- envelopes with and without film windows
- brochures, pamphlets
- manuals with glue bindings
- file folders with plastic tabs
- paper with staples, paper clips, binder clips

(No food residue or wet items)

Cardboard

Place on tables next to shed

- flattened corrugated cardboard

(No food residue or wet cardboard)

Scrap Metal

Place in roll-off marked for scrap metal

- aluminum (foil, pie plates, etc.)
- metal lids, bottle caps
- steel cans (food)
- tin cans and pet food cans
- steel, stainless steel
- iron, cast iron
- lead
- copper
- zinc
- brass
- alloys
- electrical cords
- **98% or more** acceptable scrap metal that is loaded with minimal site attendant assistance (clean, no food or other residue)

(No compressed gas cylinders, microwaves, refrigerators, electronics, ordnances, aerosol cans, drums, paint cans, fluorescent light ballasts or any item/container which contains/contained a household or other chemical (motor oil, Freon, etc.)

NOT RECYCLABLE*

- Styrofoam (Plastic #6)
- plastic bags and wrap
- bags containing recyclables
- trash
- electronics
- compressed gas tanks, propane tanks, aerosol cans
- loose shredded paper
- containers which previously contained household or other chemicals (cleaners, motor oil, etc.)
- anything soiled with food
- food or organic waste
- waxed paper and waxed cardboard
- carpet or cloth
- wet or soiled paper and paper products
- any light bulbs
- liquids
- mirrors, window or plate glass, plates, dishes and glasses
- chemicals/hazardous waste/radioactive materials

* See "Where to Recycle Other Materials" at Lakewood.org/Recycling