# Madison County Recycling

Questions? Call the Recycling Hotline: 1-800-721-2208  
Or visit us online at [www.madisoncounty.org](http://www.madisoncounty.org)

"Yes" Means Items Can Be Recycled. "No" Means items are unacceptable – place in the trash.

## Paper Products and Cardboard

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| Yes: All newspaper and inserts  
Yes: Junk mail and envelopes  
Yes: Magazines & Catalogs  
Yes: All Board or Cardboard such as: cereal and other food boxes, gift and tissue boxes, paper towel/toilet rolls  
Yes: Corrugated cardboard boxes  
Yes: Pizza boxes  
Yes: Telephone books  
Yes: Non-metallic greeting cards & wrapping paper  
Yes: Paper bags  
Yes: Plastic retail bags | No: Soiled or wet paper  
No: Carbon or wax paper  
No: Folders with metal parts (or spiral books)  
No: Tissue paper  
No: Plastic wrap  
No: Milk or juice cartons  
No: Wax-coated corrugated or microwave product boxes  
No: Frozen food, refrigerated or microwave product boxes  
No: Styrofoam products  
No: Soda & beer cartons & carriers  
No: Packaging with plastic or foil coatings or liners | * All items need to be clean and dry  
* Remove all plastic liners  
* Flatten and make into bundles  
* Material may be placed together in a clear plastic bag or loose in recycling bin  
* Set out next to or on top of recycling bin, if one is used  
* Protect from the rain  
* Do not tie with tape or wire |

## Textiles

| Yes – All clean, dry clothing  
No: Rugs or carpets  
No: Plastic or rubber items  
No: Moist, wet, oily, torn or stained materials  
No: Small fabric scraps  
No: Shoes or sneakers  
No: Blankets, sheets or sleeping bags | * Buttons and zippers are okay  
* Place Textiles in sealed clear plastic bag.  
* Set out next to or on top of recycling bin, if one is used |

## Keep Paper and Textiles Separate From Containers

How to Recycled Containers: All glass, plastic and metal containers may be placed together in the same clear plastic bag or recycling bin. Remove and discard plastic lids and caps and rinse containers thoroughly.

## Glass: Green Amber, Clear

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| Yes: Food and beverage containers  
Yes: Deposit Bottles | No: Windows or auto glass  
No: Light bulbs  
No: Ceramic or crystal  
No: Mirrors |

## Plastic: Bottles, Jugs, Jars & Plastic Bags

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| Yes: Deposit Bottles  
Yes: Milk and water jugs  
Yes: Soap and detergent bottles  
Yes: Any plastic bottles, jugs, stackable tubs, or jars with recycling symbols #5-7. | No: Plastic toys or pallets  
No: Bottles that contained motor oil or other hazardous products go in the trash |

## Metal Cans, Aluminum, Pots & Pans

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| Yes: Food & beverage containers  
Yes: Deposit cans  
Yes: Aluminum foil, plates, trays, pots and pans (NEW)  
Yes: Empty aerosol cans | No: Hazardous products  
No: Misc. scrap metal items. These should be placed in the Scrap Metal container at the transfer station |
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