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Gainesville Recycling Resource Guide

The Recycling Resource Guide is an informational directory to assist residents and businesses with finding local options to recycle, donate, compost, resell, repair, and properly dispose of various unwanted materials.

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office paper

Office Paper

Office Paper
Office Supplies

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CONTAINERS

all containers must be empty and clean of food residue

Glass Bottles & Jars	Metal Cans (Steel & Aluminum)	Plastic Bottles, Jugs, Jars & Tubs	Cartons (Tetra Pak & Gable-top)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Food and beverage glass only✓ Remove lids, caps & corks✗ NO tableware or ceramics✗ NO broken glass or mirrors✗ NO light bulbs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Aerosol cans must be fully emptied✓ Rinse out cans✗ NO aluminum foil, pie pans or trays✗ NO scrap metal✗ NO stainless steel water bottles or thermoses	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Remove lids and caps✗ NO plastic bags, wrap, cups, tubes or microwavable trays✗ NO Styrofoam® materials✗ NO plastic clamshells, egg cartons, or deli containers✗ NO plastic utensils	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Food and beverage cartons only✓ Rinse out cartons with soap and water✓ Remove plastic caps✗ NO pouches or straws✗ NO take-out containers

PAPERS

remove all plastic bags and plastic wrap

Cardboard Boxes	Paperboard	Newspapers, Magazines & Phone Books	Office Paper, Junk Mail & Paper Bags
<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Flatten boxes into pieces no larger than 4 ft. by 4 ft.✓ Remove any plastic film and Styrofoam® packing materials✗ NO boxes with food residue, such as greasy pizza boxes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Remove plastic film from pasta and tissue boxes✓ Paper egg cartons are okay✗ NO bakery or donut boxes✗ NO paper plates or cups	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Remove plastic bags and plastic wrap✓ Remove and discard magnets from phone books✓ Paperback books and manuals are okay to recycle✗ NO papers with foil or glitter	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Remove food and wrappings✓ Plain wrapping paper is okay to recycle✗ NO glossy type gift bags✗ NO popcorn or pet food bags✗ NO bubble envelopes

NO PLASTIC BAGS

NO CORDS OR HANGERS

NO CLAMSHELLS OR NON-RIGID PLASTICS

NO GARBAGE OR FOOD

Questions? Call 352-334-2330 or visit www.cityofgainesville.org/recycle

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Oops! Items left inside or attached to this bag:

- ☐ Are **not accepted** for recycling
- ☐ Were placed in the **wrong bin**

Not Accepted for Recycling



No styrofoam



No plastic bags



No cups



No food contaminated papers



No aluminum foil, pie pans or trays



No clamshells or non-rigid plastics



No garbage



No hoses, cords or hangers



No drink pouches

Please review the list of items accepted for recycling on the other side of this card.

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Glass bottles & jars



Metal cans



Plastic bottles, jugs, jars & tubs



Cartons



Papers

plastic bags, plastic wrap and flatten boxes.



Cardboard boxes



Paperboard



Newspapers, magazines & phone books



office paper, junk mail & paper bags

City of **Gainesville** Thanks for Recycling.

thank you for recycling!

Your recycling was perfect today!

Correct recycling helps keep costs down and ensures that materials get to market. Thanks for doing your part.

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Thank You.