

# Recycle Right

## Empty, Clean, and Dry



### RECYCLING

Only these items go in your blue recycling container.  
For more information, visit [tacomarecycles.org](http://tacomarecycles.org).

#### PLASTIC



**BOTTLES  
(NO LIDS)**



**JUGS  
(NO LIDS)**



**TUBS  
(NO LIDS)**

#### PAPER



**MIXED PAPER**



**PAPERBOARD  
AND BOXES**



**FLATTENED  
CARDBOARD**

#### METAL



**ALUMINUM  
CANS**



**METAL CANS  
(NO LOOSE LIDS)**

**NO  
GLASS  
BAGGED ITEMS  
PLASTIC BAGS  
STYROFOAM  
PLASTIC WRAP  
FOOD SCRAPS**



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Want to know what goes where?  
Download the Recycle Coach app:



# GARBAGE

These items are not accepted for curbside recycling in Tacoma. Want to know why? Visit [tacomarecycles.org](http://tacomarecycles.org).

**SINGLE-USE ITEMS:** Visit [wastefree253.org](http://wastefree253.org) for tips on reducing and eliminating these common single-use items in your daily life.



**PAPER PLATES, NAPKINS, AND PAPER TOWELS**



**PAPER CUPS**



**PLASTIC CUPS**



**PLASTIC UTENSILS AND STRAWS**



**COFFEE PODS**



**PLASTIC CLAMSHELL CONTAINERS**



**ALL CARTONS**



**FOIL PLASTIC PACKAGING**



**FROZEN FOOD CONTAINERS**



**PIZZA BOXES**



**ALUMINUM FOIL**



**STYROFOAM CONTAINERS**



**ORANGE PRESCRIPTION BOTTLES**



**SHREDDED PAPER**

**NO ELECTRONICS HAZARDOUS WASTE**

# DROP-OFF

Find drop-off locations for these items plus options for electronics, appliances, mattresses, clothing, and more at [tacomarecycles.org](http://tacomarecycles.org).



**GLASS BOTTLES AND JARS (NO LIDS)**



**PLASTIC BAGS AND ZIPPER BAGS**



**ALL BATTERIES**



**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE**