



Recycling Guidelines

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- There is no garbage collection at the recycling locations.
- Do not leave garbage, “Free” items or other non-recyclable items.
- Do not place bags containing recyclables in the bins. Remove the items from the bags. Currently Ridley’s, Albertsons and McPaws accept grocery bags.

ITEMS ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLE

- **Corrugated Cardboard** – Flattened/broken down corrugated cardboard. No wax coated boxes, egg cartons, chipboard or paperboard(These go to Mixed Paper).
- **Mixed Paper** – Includes printer paper, magazines, newspaper and packing paper. Also includes junk mail, neon paper and chipboard (such as cereal boxes.) No shredded paper and no food-contaminated items.
- **Plastic** – Includes #1 - #7 plastics mixed together. No plastic films such as garbage bags or grocery bags. Also no buckets, PVC pipe or other similar large items will be accepted. **Containers need to be rinsed and free of food and chemical residue.**
- **Aluminum Cans** – Only aluminum cans are accepted in the aluminum bins. No other forms of aluminum are accepted. Remove the cans from bags.
- **Tin** – Clean steel cans only in tin compartment. EMPTY aerosol cans are acceptable. No aluminum, scrap metal or bags.
- **Contaminated bins may be disposed of as garbage.** Please be aware of these guidelines and what you are placing in the bins to prevent this from happening. Your cooperation is appreciated and will contribute to the continuation of the recycling program in Valley County.