

Set recyclables near but not next to regular garbage on your recycling day.

# RECYCLING RULES OF THUMB

Recycling is picked up every other week. See reverse for calendar.

POST IN YOUR RECYCLING AREA



## SAFETY ALERT!



Help us keep our drivers safe and avoid missed pickups. Recycling is manually loaded so please use your Sanico recycling can. If you must use your own can limit the size to 30 gal and weight to 30 lbs. Ensure it is identifiable as recycling.

## A NOTE ABOUT CARDBOARD

Cardboard boxes must either be fit inside your recycling can, or they must be flattened and bundled (3ft x 3ft) and placed to the side of your recycling can. This keeps them from blowing away and also allows us to fit everyone's cardboard onto the truck.

## A NOTE ABOUT SINGLE STREAM

Single Stream recycling means you can mix your recyclables together in one can. The material is brought to a facility where people, not machines, sort everything back into separate categories where it can be re-used to make new items. This method of recycling is great because it offers households and businesses a much more convenient way to recycle. Proponents of single stream argue that by making it easier it increases the percentage of material that is recycled which benefits our economy and our environment. Opponents of single stream argue that through carelessness more waste is put into the recycling can which ultimately hurts our economy and our environment. Sanico believes that if we're careful we can enjoy the greater convenience of single stream without increasing contamination rates, but we need you to do your part! We have partnered with sorting facilities that boast the lowest contamination rates in the state, but it is more important than ever for you to pay attention to the rules of recycling shown above.

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