

Albany/Irasburg Recycling and Waste Disposal Guide

1030 Main St. Albany, VT . Saturdays, 8:30am – 1:00pm



SORT ITEMS



NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES & OFFICE PAPER (JUNK MAIL)

Mix together - catalogs, telephone books, glossy inserts and paperback books, colored paper, white paper, wrapping paper and junk mail. Any color or type of paper can be in this category except: **NO brown Kraft bags, boxboard, coffee cups, ice cream cartons, or metallic wrapping paper.**

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD & BROWN KRAFT BAGS & BOXBOARD

Remove excess tape. Staples are OK. Please no strings, handles, or bags with plastic layers. **NO wax-coated cardboard, cardboard soiled with food waste, coffee cups, ice cream cartons, or Styrofoam.**

BOXES MUST BE FLATTENED

TIN CANS

Labels are OK. Flattening not required. Separate from aluminum cans (A magnet will stick to tin but not to aluminum).

MUST BE RINSED

ALUMINUM CANS, FOIL AND FOOD TRAYS

Labels OK. Flattening not required. Snack bags and candy wrappers are not aluminum foil.

MUST BE RINSED

GLASS (ALL COLORS)

Remove lids – recycle with tin

Any color bottle or jar.

NO porcelain, Pyrex, windows, crystal, lids, metal or wood. NO light bulbs.

MUST BE RINSED

PLASTIC BAGS

Must be labelled #2, #4, or #5. Any color accepted. Includes bubble wrap. **No Ziploc or nylon woven bags (like grain/cat litter bags)**

PLASTIC CONTAINERS #1 – #4 & #5 Food Containers

2 Gallons or smaller / NO BLACK PLASTIC / *MUST BE RINSED*

Look for the recycling number stamped on the container. Labels are OK, please crush larger containers.

#5 accepted if it's a food container. **NO black plastic of any kind. NO automotive fluid bottles.**

NO vinyl siding, toys, CD cases, VHS tapes, Styrofoam, syringes, or medical devices. These are trash.



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DIRTY OR UNRINSED ITEMS

Black Plastic containers

Plastic Containers larger than 2 Gallons

ADDITIONAL ACCEPTED MATERIALS:

FOOD SCRAPS: All food scraps, including meat, bones, dairy. Please remove PLU stickers. No plastics, metals, paper.

SPECIAL WASTES: Oil, Oil Filters, Electronics, Automotive batteries, Rechargeable batteries, Alkaline batteries, Aerosols, Hard cover books., Fluorescent light bulbs.

HOUSEHOLD TRASH: \$3.00/30 gallon bag. Check our Calendar or contact Town Clerk's office for Bulky Waste Event information. Fees subject to change, call Town Office for latest pricing. Residents can also contract with local haulers for curbside collection services. Check out our Licensed Hauler List on our website.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE: **BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**, Monday – Friday, May through the end of September in Lyndonville, and special events throughout the District June – September. Call for details.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS – CONTACT THE NORTHEAST KINGDOM WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT AT (802) 626-3532 or (800) 734-4602 On the web at www.nekwmd.org, e-mail outreach@nekwmd.org



List of Items NOT ACCEPTED for Recycling
Please put the following items in your trash unless otherwise stated

Unacceptable Plastics Include:

Any **black** plastic containers
Motor oil, gas containers
Pesticide containers
Styrofoam of any kind
Planting pots and trays
Plastic furniture
Plastic Toys
Coffee Makers
Coat hangers
Vinyl Siding
Maple Tubing
CDs, DVDs, VHS, and cases
Water line pipes and plastic tubing of any size
Hard, rigid plastic (if it shatters, it's not accepted)

Unacceptable Plastic Bags and Films

Woven plastic bags
Nylon Bags
Ziploc Bags

Unacceptable Aluminum

Chip Bags, Snack Wrappers, Pop tart Wrappers
Aluminum Flashing (recycle with scrap metal)
Coffee Bags

Unacceptable Tin

Recycle these with Scrap Metal

Frying Pans
Large Pieces of Metal
Nails, Screws, Fasteners
Any tin that is a non-food container

Unacceptable Cardboard

Pringles containers
Milk and Juice Cartons of any kind
Ice cream and waxy or plastic frozen food boxes
Cardboard with metallic interior
Single-use coffee cups
Soiled Cardboard
Waxy Cardboard

Unacceptable Paper

Kraft brown paper bags (recycle with cardboard)
White or Brown Boxboard (recycle with cardboard)
Shiny, glossy, or metallic papers
Paper plates, cups, bowls
Single-use cups
Napkins, paper towels, tissue paper

Unacceptable Glass

Crystal
Incandescent light bulbs
Automotive lights
Pyrex
Porcelain

Unacceptable Food Scraps

PLU Stickers (sticks on fruits, vegetables)
"Biodegradable" cutlery, bowls, plates, utensils
Food utensils
Plates, bowls, cups
Plastic bags
Styrofoam
Keurig cups