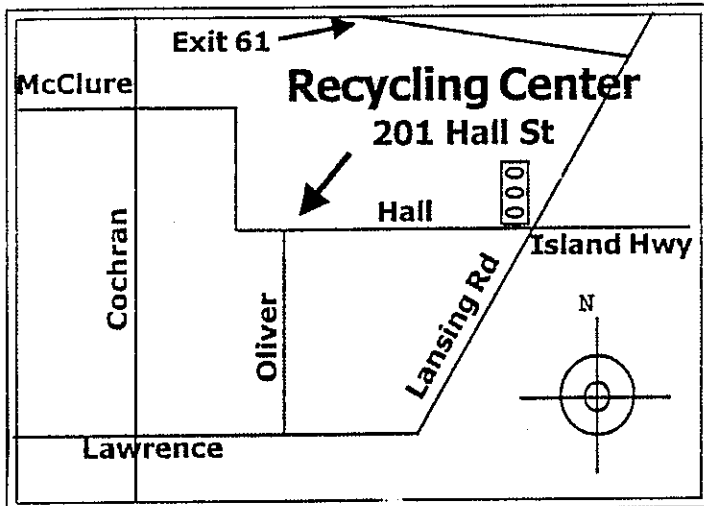


Charlotte Area Recycling Authority

Makes A Difference!



A weekly recycling service for the Charlotte Area at 201 Hall Street

Saturday – 8:30 am to Noon

Tuesday – 10:00 am to Noon

Tuesday - 2:00 to 6:00 pm

Closed if extreme weather conditions exist or if a major Holiday falls on a scheduled work day. Also closed on Frontier Days' weekend.

RECYCLE



PAPER

GLASS

METAL

PLASTIC

For more information, or to volunteer, call (517) 213-1266

See reverse side for more information and instructions

DONATIONS will help ensure the continuation of this project

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Category	Typical products	Preparation
Metal	Aluminum foil, cans, siding, windows, doors, pots, pans, eave troughs, extrusions.	Keep separate from other metals, DOES NOT ATTRACT MAGNET . Remove any glass or plastic.
Metal	Iron & Steel, tin cans, most scrap metals.	Keep separate from other metals. Attracts Magnet .
Metal	Brass, copper, zinc, lead.	Keep separate from other metals.
Metal	Appliances and any other large items.	Keep separate from other metals, capture Freon.
Newspaper	Anything that comes in the daily or weekly papers.	Brown bagged or string tied.
Office Paper	Clear white paper, envelopes, whole or shred.	No highly colored paper; light pastels are OK. Remove any plastic.
Phone Books	Any phone book with glued binding.	Place in same trailer as newspapers.
Hard & Soft covered Books	It is not necessary to remove cover or bindings	Box in small barn on west side of parking lot
Miscellaneous Paper	All junk mail, white or colored paper.	Any paper that does not qualify as office paper or magazines.
Glossy Magazines Glossy catalogs	Stapled or glued bindings	Separate from other papers.
Boxboard	Flat board (no corrugation), food containers, paper towel and bath tissue tubes, Mache egg cartons	Break down any boxes.
Corrugated Cardboard	Corrugated cardboard only	No wax coated; tape and staples OK. Break down boxes and large pieces.
Clear Glass	Clear food and beverage glass only	Keep separate from other glass. No tableware, crystal, window glass, light bulbs, baking dishes. Remove caps & corks.
Colored Glass	Any colored food and beverage, clear or colored cookware, tableware, decorative, mirrors	Keep separate from clear food and beverage glass. No automotive windshields or light bulbs.
PETE #1	Clear & blue tint water bottles, juice, other food containers with star pattern on bottom	Remove all screw on caps and rings before coming to recycling center.
HDPE #2 Natural.	Milk jugs, etc. Any other natural #1 with seam on bottom.	Rinse clean, remove caps and rings, flatten. Remove all caps and rings before coming to the recycling center.
HDPE #2 Colored.	Detergent containers etc. Any colored HDPE #2 with seam on bottom.	Rinse clean, remove caps. Flatten if possible. No hydrocarbons or other hazardous materials.
Plastics #3 => #7.	CARA is accepting miscellaneous plastics 3-7	May be co-mingled
Vinyl Siding-(PVC #3)	Remove any nails, separate from flashing or any attached wood	Do not bring PVC pipe or plastic fencing
Shopping Bags HDPE #2 and LDPE #4	Grocery and shopping bags.	Clean bags only. No food wrappers or garbage bags.
Screw on caps, Rings.	Usually made of #5 (pp).	Keep separate and bring to CARA.
Styrofoam #6 EPS	Packing foam, peanuts, egg cartons, cups, plate, bowls.	No home insulation or bubble wrap.
Household batteries.	A, AA ,AAA, C, D, 9-volt, rechargeable.	No leaking Batteries.
Automotive or Marine Batteries	12 volt.	No leaking Batteries.
Cell Phones	Phones, and all accessories.	Remove all stored numbers.
Eye Glasses	Prescription, non prescription, sunglasses or reading glasses.	No contacts or broken lens.
Ink or Toner Cartridges	Empty or surplus	In bag or box.
Cooking Grease & Oil	Common food preparation grease and oil.	No automotive oil and grease.
Other	Sharps collection, mercury thermometer exchange, florescent tubes and CFL.,	No broken tubes or CFL.
Trash Service	\$3.00 per bag	