

# Weekly Recycling

Thank you for being the best recyclers in Ramsey County!

### **Prevent Recycling Contamination**

CONTAMINATION CAUSES PROBLEMS
AT THE RECYCLING FACILITY.

PLEASE RINSE AND REMOVE ALL EXCESS FOOD.

- NO sharps or needles (bring to a Ramsey County household hazardous waste collection)
- NO containers that held chemicals, such as motor oil and pesticides (place empty containers in trash)
- NO fuel tanks or propane cylinders (they can explode, bring to a Ramsey County household hazardous waste collection)

- NO plastic bags (find a drop-off site at PlasticFilmRecycling.org)
- NO cords, rope, hoses or string lights (they can get tangled in recycling sorting equipment, place in trash)





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#### **METAL**

- Aluminum and steel cans, foil and trays
- NO scrap metal

#### **GLASS**

- Glass bottles and jars
- NO drinking cups
- NO mirrors

#### **CARTONS**

- Milk cartons and juice boxes
- Soup, soy milk and broth cartons
- NO ice cream cartons

## PLASTIC CONTAINERS

- Plastic yogurt, butter and produce containers
- Plastic transparent deli and "to go" containers
- Plastic bottles and jugs (milk, water, soda, laundry, shampoo and dish soap)
- NO plastic bags, plastic wrap, Styrofoam<sup>™</sup> or black trays and packaging

#### **PAPER & BOXES**

- Newspapers, magazines, phone books
- · Mail, school and office papers
- Boxboard (including cereal, cracker, pasta, toothpaste and shoe boxes, refrigerated boxes; soda and beer cases)
- Clean delivery pizza boxes
- Corrugated cardboard
- Shredded paper in closed paper bags
- Brown paper bags
- NO disposable paper plates, cups or utensils
- NO tissue or paper towels
- NO freezer or microwavable food boxes

#### **Please Remember:**

RINSE CONTAINERS, LABELS OK.

REMOVE CONTENTS, FLATTEN BOXES.

KEEP PLASTIC CAPS/LIDS ON PLASTIC CONTAINERS. OTHER CAPS/LIDS GO IN THE TRASH.

#### **Not Sure?**

See back page for other items not accepted. If you are in doubt about recycling an item, go to RamseyRecycles.com/AtoZ or call 651-633-EASY (3279), answered 24/7.