



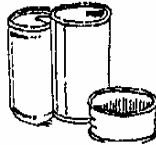
# 2011 RECYCLING UPDATE



## The Town of West Point Recycles! DO YOU?

### ACCEPTABLE RECYCLABLE ITEMS

**Aluminum Foil Products**  
Metal Food &  
Beverage Cans

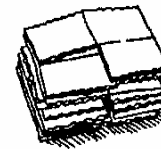
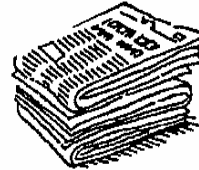


**NO. 1 & 2 PLASTIC BOTTLES**  
Milk Jugs, Soda Bottles, Household Cleaner  
Bottles, Shampoo Bottles, and  
Similar Bottles & Jugs -  
rinse & remove lids



**BAGGED, Newspaper** -  
clean & dry

**BAGGED, HOUSEHOLD  
PAPER:** Paper Grocery Bags,  
Telephone Books, Magazines, Single-  
Layer Cardboard (cereal and tissue  
boxes), Junk Mail, Cards, Stationery,  
School Paper, Computer Paper,  
flattened boxes; shredded paper in  
clear bags



**Corrugated  
Cardboard**  
clean & dry, flattened, no  
larger than 3x4 ft pieces

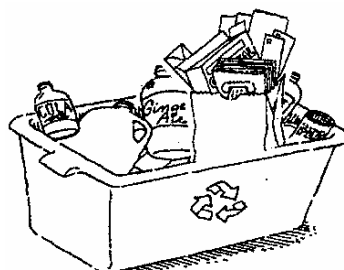
**Glass Bottles & Jars**  
clear, brown & green -  
rinse & remove lids



### DID YOU KNOW?

- That you are actually increasing the cost of processing recycled goods when you place unacceptable items, such as Styrofoam, Plastic Bags, Items Coated with Food and Household Trash among your recyclables to be collected.
- To insure that your recyclables are collected. Place your items out no later than 7AM on collection day (Wed).
- That nationally we produce 4.5 pounds of trash per person each day. In West Point we continue to average 1/2 that number! We're at 2.3 pounds per person. GREAT JOB!!!
- That through our recycling efforts during 2010, the Town of West Point recycled about 141,280 pounds of paper and cardboard alone. The Department of Energy says that we saved about:
  - 491,159 gallons of water
  - 1,200 thirty foot pulp trees
  - 287,999 Kilowatt hours of electricity
  - Reduced about 41,465 pounds of air pollutants
  - 32,706 gallons of oil
  - 216 cubic yards of landfill space

The Town of West Point  
now offers 18 gallon,  
recycling bins.  
Call 843-4363 for your  
bin. Limited offer while  
supplies last.



### **YARD DEBRIS**



The Public Works Department will collect residential yard waste, such as tree branches, tree limbs, bushes, shrubbery cuttings, leaves and lawn clippings.

- This service is intended **ONLY** for, "homeowner" generated debris. Please have debris generated by a contractor disposed of properly, by the contractor performing the task.
- Yard waste should **NOT** be placed in your "Roll-Waste" garbage container.
- Yard waste, which is suitable for cutting and stacking, shall be in lengths no greater than 4' in length. And no larger than 4" in diameter.
- Leaves, clippings and other yard waste unsuitable for stacking shall be placed in bags for collection.
- Please be aware of the location of your pile. Do not block driveways, ditches or water meter boxes.
- It is our goal to respond to your work request within 1-2 weeks, depending on current workloads. Your patience is appreciated.
- If you have yard waste to be collected, or have a question about our collection program, please contact Town Hall 843-4363.



# 2011 REFUSE SCHEDULE & UPDATE



<u>HOLIDAY (Observed)</u> No Refuse/Recycling Collection	<u>MAKE-UP DAY</u> Place Can Out By 7AM For Collection
THANKSGIVING DAY Thursday, November 24, 2011	Wednesday, November 23, 2011 (Includes Normal Recycling Pickup)

**All Other Holidays For 2011 Will Be Collected On Their NORMAL Collection Days!!!**

**PLEASE!!!** If you are unsure of your Holiday Refuse/Recycling Collection Schedule, Check Out COX Channel 48 or contact Town Hall 843-4363.

### Bulk Refuse

- Bulk Refuse Collection is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month.  
**SORRY! No collection from rental properties or businesses.**
- Bulk Refuse includes oversized household trash and bulky items such as furniture and appliances.
- Remember to remove all doors from furniture and appliances before placing them out for collection.
- **SORRY!** Items that cannot be collected include: Industrial and Commercial Waste, Construction Debris of any kind, Hazardous and Medical Waste.
- If you have Bulk Refuse to be collected, or have a question about our collection program, please contact Town Hall 843-4363.

Need another 90-Gallon Trash Cart? We Can Hook You Up. Call 843-4363 for details.



### VPPSA

**Don't forget to utilize your local Convenience Center for Solid Waste Disposal. Convenience Centers are open at the following locations:**

Location	Hours	Accepted Materials
King William Transfer Station 57 Recycle Road 769-0395	Wednesday - Monday 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. Closed Tuesdays	Residential Waste, Tires, Oil & Antifreeze, Home Appliances, Auto Batteries, Corrugated Cardboard.
VFW Road Convenience Center 1091 VFW Road 843-4237	Monday - Wednesday, Friday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Tuesday & Thursday	Residential Waste, Oil & Antifreeze, Home Appliances, Auto Batteries.
Landfill Convenience Center 24562 King William Road 769-3963	Monday - Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Thursday & Sunday	Residential Waste, Tires, Home Appliances, Large Loads of Brush.
Epworth Convenience Center 984 Epworth Road 769-4808	Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Monday & Thursday	Residential Waste, Home Appliances.

Please call ahead if you have any questions regarding your material.