

A to Z Recyclable Materials

Recyclable Solid Waste Materials

You can—and should—recycle almost everything. Here's an alphabetical list of just a few recyclables to get you started.

- A.** Aluminum, asphalt, asphalt shingles
- B.** Batteries, bead board, building salvage, bricks
- C.** Cardboard, carpet, carpet padding, cell phones, cement, ceramic tiles, clothing, coal, computers, computer peripherals, compost, construction materials, concrete, crushed rock
- D.** Demolition materials, dirt, drywall, dry waste materials
- E.** Electronics, engineered wood
- F.** Ferrous metals, fiberboard, fiberglass insulation, firewood, florescent tubes, foam padding, furniture
- G.** Glass, granite, grocery bags, gypsum drywall
- H.** Homebuilding salvage, hard drives
- I.** Ink cartridges, insulation, iron
- J.** Junk mail
- K.** Kitchen appliances, kitchenware, knits
- L.** Leather, light bulbs, lighting fixtures, linoleum, lumber
- M.** Metals, mobile phone
- N.** Nails, nonferrous metals
- O.** Office paper, oil and oil filters
- P.** Packaging, pallets, paper, plastic, petroleum, polystyrene (foam, block), polyurethane (e.g., foam padding, carpet padding), porcelain
- Q.** Quartz, quality recyclables, quarry stone
- R.** Refrigerators, roofing materials, rubber
- S.** Sawdust, shingles, shredded paper, scrap metal, steel
- T.** Telephones, telephone books, textiles, tiles, timber, tin, tires, tools, toner cartridges
- U.** Utility poles, umbrellas, underbrush, undercarriages, uniforms
- V.** Vehicles, video terminals, video cameras,
- W.** Wallboard, white goods (cookers, washing machines, refrigerators, freezers and other electrical items), wood
- X.** Xerox® machines
- Y.** Yard debris, yellow pages
- Z.** Zippers, zigzag sewing machines, Ziplock® plastic bags

Do you have items not on the list? We'll help you figure out if you can recycle them. Simply contact us at 503.253.0867.

Hazardous Wastes

Unfortunately, some materials are toxic and require special handling. ECR does not accept these hazardous wastes: asbestos, aerosols, biological waste, cleaners, fertilizers, herbicides, laboratory chemicals, lead paints, pesticides, poisons thinners and solvents, printing and photo chemicals, radioactive waste.

You should always dispose of hazardous waste at a designated hazardous waste facility. You should never dispose of hazardous waste in your garbage, sewer system, in storm drains or on the ground.