






St. Mary's County Recycling Guide



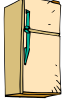



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<u>CONVENIENCE CENTERS</u>	<u>ACCEPTABLE</u>	<u>UNACCEPTABLE</u>
	<p><u>Single Stream Recycling (sorting not required)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Cardboard</u>: Does not have to be broken down. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Plastic Containers</u>: All plastics marked #1 through #7 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Glass Containers</u>: Food/beverage jars & bottles - all colors (clear, brown, green) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Metal Containers</u>: Food/beverage containers made of aluminum, tin, steel, etc. (lids & labels acceptable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Aerosol Cans</u>: Empty (caps acceptable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Aluminum Foil & Pans</u>: Minimal food residue <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Milk Cartons, Juice Boxes & other Aseptic/Gable-Top Packaging</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Newspaper</u>: Inserts acceptable <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Magazines & Catalogs</u>: Any magazine or catalog <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Mixed Paper</u>: Computer, letterhead, folders, white/colored & ledger paper, envelopes, food/ beverage/& pizza boxes, milk/juice/creamer cartons, packing paper, junk mail, books, telephone books, brown paper bags & wrapping paper <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Eye glasses</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Oyster shells</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plate glass, mirrors, ceramics, crystal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carbon paper <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper towels and restroom waste paper <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Incandescent light bulbs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paint cans <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic bags/film/wrap
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Textiles</u>: Clean, dry and bagged clothing, linens, belts, shoes, purses & curtains 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rugs & foam-backed drapes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Used Oil & Antifreeze</u>: All grades <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Used Filters</u>: Properly drained (crushed/uncrushed) motor oil, diesel fuel, automatic transmission, power steering, hydraulic oil, gasoline & coolant filters 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brake fluid – free disposal during Household Hazardous Waste day. See website <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cleaning solvents - free disposal during Household Hazardous Waste day. See website.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Rechargeable Batteries & Cellular Phones</u>: Lithium ion, nickel cadmium, nickel metal hydride & small sealed lead acid batteries, and all cellular phones <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Fluorescent Tubes & Ballasts</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Electronic Equipment</u>: Televisions and computers (such as CPU, monitor, printer, tower) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alkaline batteries <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Incandescent light bulbs or other glass products <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scrap metal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tires <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large and small appliances <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electronic equipment encased in wood. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plasma televisions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Microwaves
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Used Cooking Oil</u>: Vegetable oil & cooking grease 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Do not contaminate with used motor oil or any other petroleum-based product

For additional information about recycling in St. Mary's County call (301) 475-4200 or visit www.stmarysmd.com

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<u>ST. ANDREWS LANDFILL</u>	<u>ACCEPTABLE</u> Accepted for <i>recycling</i> at St. Andrews Landfill only	<u>UNACCEPTABLE</u> <i>Disposed of</i> at St. Andrews Landfill unless otherwise noted
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Yard Waste</i> : Stumps, logs & limbs (split or reduced in size to not exceed 12" diameter), and brush, leaves & grass clippings (see Weighmaster for details.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stumps, logs & limbs exceeding 12" diameter in size <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial construction and demolition debris <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic bags used to contain and transport yard waste
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Masonry Products</i> : Clean concrete, brick, block & asphalt (see Weighmaster for details.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Porcelain
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Scrap Metal & Appliances</i> : Refrigerators, stoves, microwaves, air conditioners, heat pumps, dishwashers, washing machines, dryers & outdoor equipment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Misc. Metallic Items</i> : (see Weighmaster for details)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drain all oil/gasoline & remove batteries prior to disposal. See Used Oil under Convenience Center recycling
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Automotive Batteries</i> : 12 & 24 Volt.	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Scrap Tires</i> : Passenger car, light truck, trailer, tractor, heavy duty truck & bicycle, with these conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On or off the rim • Five (5) tires (passenger/light truck) free per trip • Excessive loads & sizes charged \$158.00/ton 	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Gas Cylinders</i> : 10, 20, 40 & 100 lb. propane cylinders, campstove/lantern cylinders (16.4 oz/#1), oxygen, acetylene, carbon dioxide & Freon tanks.	