

Roadside Recycling in Washington Grove (Updated April 2022)

Please put all recyclables including mixed paper and recyclable yard waste by the road on **Thursdays by 7 am.**

For missed pickups call the Town Office 301-926-2256 or washgrove@comcast.net

Yard waste is NOT collected during December, January and February.

PLEASE EMPTY AND RINSE ALL CONTAINERS

Material	Recycle These	Not Acceptable
Glass	All glass bottles and jars - clear, green and brown	NO mirror or window glass NO light bulbs NO drinking glasses or cups NO plates or ceramics NO broken bottles or jars
Metal	All aluminum and steel food and beverage cans; <i>clean</i> aluminum foil products	NO pots, pans, tubing or furniture NO siding NO automotive parts NO aluminum foil with food on it
Plastic	Bottles, containers, tubs, lids, pails, buckets, nursery and flower pots, and medicine, pill, and vitamin bottles marked with the recycling symbol and the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7 Stadium cups Tupperware- or Rubbermaid - type durable plastic containers and lids	NO containers that have contained hazardous materials such as motor oil, antifreeze or lawn and garden chemicals NO syringes, IV fluid bags, gloves or other plastic medical supplies NO Styrofoam or Polystyrene (PS) NO packing peanuts or foam blocks used to protect items in shipment NO plastic wrap, bags, film or shrink wrap NO food-soiled plastic NO items marked with the recycling symbol and the number 6
Mixed Paper	Newspapers, magazines, catalogs, phone books, office and computer paper, unwanted mail, envelopes with windows, paperback books, milk and juice cartons with a plastic spout (leave spout as is)	NO packing material (foam/plastic) NO food-soiled paper NO wax-coated liners NO wax paper, carbon paper NO paint-contaminated paper NO hardback books NO foil gift wrap
Cardboard	Corrugated cardboard, cereal and all other paper boxes*	NO DIRTY PIZZA BOXES NO food-soiled cardboard

*Flatten all empty boxes; tie in bundles no larger than 3' x 3' and no thicker than 6" each. Acceptable materials can be combined together and placed in paper bags or small cardboard boxes.

YARD WASTE (Picked up by our Trash Contractor)

BAG IT

Place leaves, grass, brush and other yard trimmings in the large paper bags available at local grocery, hardware and/or home improvement stores.

CAN IT

Use reusable containers, such as trash cans. Cans must be marked "recycling". Bright green stickers are available in the Town Office.

BUNDLE IT

Brush can be tied in brown bundles no larger than 30" in diameter, 4' in length. Pieces may not exceed 4" in diameter.

SAVE THIS FLYER FOR FUTURE REFERENCE