# **Broome County Landfill Recycling Drop-Off Only**

#### **Motor Oil & Antifreeze**

5 gallons per person per visit or take to any oil change service station

### **Batteries**

- Lead acid batteries
- All household batteries (please tape ends; if leaky or corroded, place in a plastic bag)

## Additional Battery Recycling

• As of June 8, 2011 all retailers selling rechargeable batteries are required to accept back the same type of rechargeable batteries. Check with a local retailer.

# **Mixed Rigid Plastic Recycling**

### **Acceptable Plastic Items:**

- Plastic bucket with metal handles
- Plastic milk/soda crates
- Plastic laundry baskets
- Plastic lawn furniture
- Plastic landscape & microwave trays
- Plastic totes-any size
- Plastic drums-any size
- Plastic toys & playhouses
- Plastic pet carriers
- Plastic coolers
- Plastic shelving

- Plastic dish drainers
- Plastic flower pots (no soil)
- Plastic traffic signs
- Empty plastic garbage cans (any size)
- PET blister pack
- 5 gallon water bottles
- Automotive plastic •
- (bumpers, pick up truck bed liners, grills, side-view mirrors, head lights & rear lights, hub caps)

# **Not Acceptable Mixed Rigid Plastic Drop-off Material:**

- PVC pipe/tubing, Vinyl siding
- Plastic film (grocery bags, stretch film)
- Glass, metal, wood, paper, clothes, Styrofoam •
- Poly coated paper (orange juice & milk cartons) •
- Flexible water hoses, hazardous material, medical waste
- Narrow neck liquid containers; small plastic containers (yogurt cups & bottles); oil/chemical containers

## **Business Recycling** Program

- Are You a Business or Institution and need assistance improving or Implementing a **Recycling Program?**
- Looking for Waste **Reduction Tips?**

The Division of Solid Waste Management can help! Call 607-778-2250

# **Planning a Public Event?**

Now it is easier than ever before to offer recycling at public events. The Division of Solid Waste now has specialized ClearStream™ recycling units available for loan. The units are compact and easy to use.

To make arrangements to use the units please call 778-2250. Please give 2 weeks notice

> **Open and Look** Inside for your Complete **Recycling Guide**

**Need a Recycling Bin?** Contact your municipal or private garbage hauler to get a new yellow bin.

Municipal Haulers: City of Binghamton Village of Johnson City Village of Endicott Town of Union

# **Need a Bigger Bin?**

Bring your yellow bin to the County Landfill to trade it in for a 32 gallon bin. One per household. Additional **32** gallon bins may be purchased. Call 778-2250 for more information.



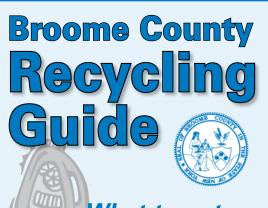
Partial Funding provided by New York State Department. of **Environmental Conservation** 

Printed on 100% Recycled Paper



772-7021 797-3031 754-2429 786-2980

6-14



What to put *in your* **Recycling Bin** at home, at work & at school.

#### **Broome County Division of Solid Waste** Management

60 Hawley Street, PO Box 1766 Binghamton, NY 13901

For more information call 607-778-2250 or visit www.gobroomcounty.com

ECYCLES

## CARDBOARD RECYCLING

### **Recycle:**

- Pizza Boxes (if heavily soiled dispose of in garbage)
- Corrugated Boxes (wavy middle layer)
- Single Layer Cardboard (cereal boxes, pasta boxes, tissue boxes, etc.)
- Frozen Food Boxes

## **Do Not Recycle:**

- No Wax Covered (can scrape off wax with your finger nail)
- No Mold Covered or Food **Contaminated Material**

#### **Did you know:**

All haulers must pick-up recyclables separate from garbage. It is against the law for recyclables and garbage to be mixed in the same truck!

## **CARTON RECYCLING**

**Recycle:** (*Please Rinse*)

- Milk Cartons
- Juice Cartons
- Aseptic Cartons (juice boxes)

#### **Did you know:**

Every resident, business and school in Broome County is required to recycle by law!

# **PAPER RECYCLING**

## **Recycle:**

- Newspaper & Inserts
- Magazines
- Catalogs
- Junk Mail
- Manila Folders
- Envelopes
- Brown Paper Bags
- Office Paper
- Construction Paper (all colors)
- Scrap Paper
- Hard & Soft Cover Books
- Wrapping Paper (not metallic)
- Telephone Books

## **Do Not Recycle:**

- No Blue Prints
- No Carbon Copy Paper
- No Metallic Paper
- NoTissues
- No Napkins
- No Paper Towels
- No Paper Cups
- No Paper Plates
- No Egg Cartons
- No Wax Paper

# **PLASTIC RECYCLING**

## **Recycle:** (*Please Rinse*)

- Yogurt, Margarine Tubs, etc.
- Detergent Containers, etc.
- Water Bottles, Juice Containers, etc.
- Shampoo, Lotion Containers, etc
- Mustard, Ketchup, Mayo Containers, etc.
- Landscape Plant Trays (no soil)
- MicrowaveTrays
- Small Plastic Totes
- Plastic Dish Drainers
- Plastic Flower Pots (no soil)
- Small Plastic Toys
- Small Plastic Waste Baskets
- Foam Egg Cartons
- Foam Cups
- Plastic Cups (clear & colored)
- Plastic Clamshell Containers (fruit, vegetable, bakery)
- Plastic Reusable Water Bottles
- Plastic Reusable Food Storage Containers

## **Do Not Recycle:**

- No Plastic Bags or Other Plastic Film
- No Styrofoam Packing Foam or Packing Peanuts
- No Automotive Fluid Containers
- No Small Appliances
- No Plastic Utensils
- No Plastic Plates

#### **Did you know:**

Many grocery stores have receptacles to recycle plastic bags.

# Check out what you can recycle!



#### **Did you know:**

Fluorescent Bulbs should not be placed in the trash or recycling. Bring to the Household Hazardous Waste Facility located at the Broome County Landfill or bring to Home Depot or Lowes Home Improvement (return counter).



# **GLASS RECYCLING**

## **Recycle:** (Please Rinse)

- Clear Jars & Bottles
- Brown Jars & Bottles
- Green Jars & Bottles

## **Do Not Recycle:**

- No Window Pane Glass
- No Mirrors
- No Ceramic
- No Glass Plates & Cups
- No Light Bulbs

#### **Did you know:**

All haulers (municipal & private) must collect all recyclable materials listed as recyclable by Broome County.

## **METAL CONTAINER** RECYCLING

## **Recycle:** (Please Rinse)

- Aluminum Cans
- Tin & Steel Food & **Beverage Containers**
- Aluminum Pans
- Clean Foil
- Metal Pots, Pans & Bowls

## **Do Not Recycle:**

- No Utensils
- No Hangers
- No Scrap Metal