



mixed recycling



paper, cardboard (flattened) and cartons only



metal cans, lids and foil only



glass bottles and jars only



plastic containers only

empty of a minimum, rinsed whenever possible

NOT FOR USE AS A LABEL: This is a label for official municipal recycling collection. It is not for use on private property. It is not for use on items that are not accepted for recycling. It is not for use on items that are not accepted for recycling. It is not for use on items that are not accepted for recycling.

These items do not belong in your recycling bin or cart



no plastic bags, including inside of bags



no more than a 1/2 gallon of liquid (e.g., beverage residue)



no fiber that isn't paper (e.g., textiles or wood)



no paper, cardboard, tissues, or paper towels



no metal that isn't a lid or pan (e.g., pots)



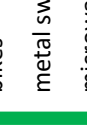
no glass that isn't a drinking glass (e.g., bottles)



no plastic that isn't a container (e.g., bags)



no foam containers (e.g., Styrofoam)



no containers with hazardous materials or chemicals

Special collection by Appointment ONLY

<https://www.smithfieldri.gov/departments/recycling-refuse/pick-up-request>

This is a list of common items under the categories to select for collection:

Metals & Appliance (RECYCLE)

- hot water heater
- air conditioner
- refrigerator
- weed whacker
- metal tools/electronic tools
- treadmill
- bikes
- metal swing sets
- microwaves
- metal patio umbrella (remove fabric)
- metal file cabinets
- metal desks
- metal shelf
- dehumidifier
- washing machine
- clothes dryer
- dish washer
- gas grill (no propane tank)
- stove
- metal fire pit
- metal furniture (remove fabric)

BULK ITEM (TRASH)

- vacuum cleaner
- wooden furniture
- upholstered furniture
- hot tub cover
- vertical blinds
- strollers
- pool floats
- toddler and crib mattresses
- futon mattresses
- carpet (cut, rolled, tied in 3 ft. sections)
- pool liner and cover

RECYCLING TIPS

- Plastic Rule:** Any plastic container up to 5 gallons in size can be placed in your recycle cart. Please empty and rinse. Place plastic caps and covers back on the item they came from.
- Glass Rule:** Bottles and jars only. Empty and rinse. Separate metal lids from glass jars.
- Metal Rule:** Cans, foil and lids. Empty and rinse. Bunch up foil. Do not flatten cans.
- Paper and Cardboard Rule:** Paper and cardboard (flattened) and cartons. There is a cardboard only dumpster for large pieces of cardboard, at the Smithfield DPW, available from 7:30-3:00 M-F.
- Please do not place plastic bags in your recycle bin. No plastic bags, bags of bags or recycling inside of bags.
- Plastic shopping bags should be brought to a ReStore Container, available at most markets.
- Clothing and shoes should not be placed in the recycling cart. Please deposit clean clothing in one of the clothing donation boxes around town. They will even accept ripped or stained clothing, as long as it has been washed.
- Large rigid plastic items (lawn furniture, toys, etc.), electronics, tires, mattresses and box springs are recycled during town sponsored drop-off events, see calendar for dates.

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