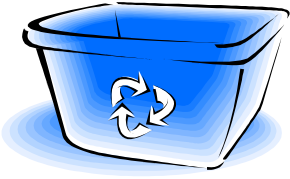


RECYCLING GUIDELINES: ORCAS ISLAND TRANSFER STATION



*PLEASE clean all items and
flatten, if possible.*



YES, recycle these together:

- Mail (including window envelopes)
- Magazines and catalogs
- Newspaper and inserts
- Phone books, hard and paperback books
- Shredded paper (*bagged to avoid littering*)
- Cardboard
- Office paper
- Paper food boxes
- Paper grocery bags
- Paper egg cartons
- Milk and juice cartons
- Soy milk boxes
- Plastic grocery/shopping bags (*bundled*)
- Plastic dairy containers (with lids)
- Plastic containers and buckets (*remove handles*)
- Plastic bottles, jars, cups (caps and lids)
- Empty prescription containers
- Aluminum, metal and tin cans
- Glass bottles and jars (with caps and lids)

Recycle separately:

- Scrap metal (fee: \$0.069/lb, \$130/ton)

RECYCLE vehicle batteries, uncontaminated antifreeze and motor oil at the transfer station during open hours.

NO, these are GARBAGE:

- ✓ Food residue
- ✓ Food-soiled paper (add to compost or worm bin)
- ✓ Paper towels, plates, napkins, tissues
- ✓ Plastic food trays and utensils
- ✓ Styrofoam cups, plates, trays, take-out containers
- ✓ Styrofoam packaging and peanuts (reuse or take to mailing house)
- ✓ Styrofoam forms and dock material
- ✓ Bubble, shrink and food wrap
- ✓ Aluminum foil and trays
- ✓ Nursery Pots
- ✓ Needles and syringes (*require special handling; speak to site attendant*)
- ✓ Disposable diapers
- ✓ Cloth and rags
- ✓ Construction materials
- ✓ Ceramics and dishes
- ✓ Mirrors and window glass
- ✓ Incandescent bulbs
- ✓ Household batteries
- ✓ **EMPTY** toxic containers (oil, antifreeze, pesticides, paints, aerosols, etc.)
- ✓ **EMPTY** propane bottles
- ✓ **EMPTY** gas cans and tanks

**Thank you for preventing waste
and for recycling!**

COVER ALL LOADS SECURELY TO PREVENT
LITTERING AND TO AVOID A SURCHARGE!

San Juan County Solid Waste Division: 370-0503