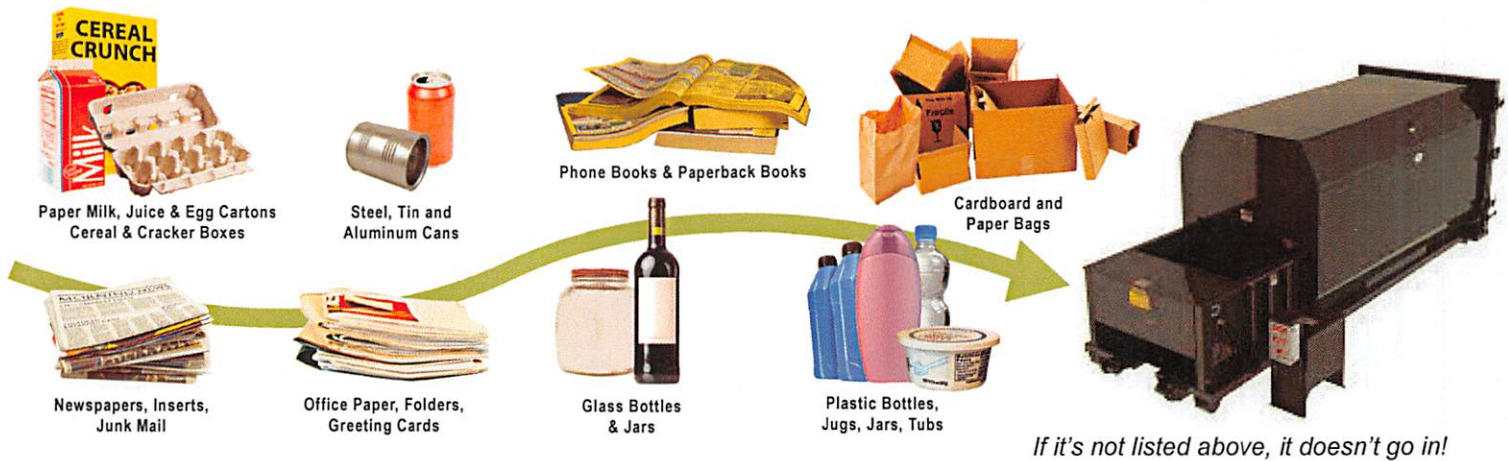


How to Successfully Recycle in Kent

1. Rinse containers from food and debris
2. Empty bottles
3. Know what is acceptable
3. Put everything in ONE BIN
4. Learn more at www.hrra.org or email: info@hrra.org



MIXED RECYCLING it's easy and convenient... NO SORTING!



Items that DON'T belong in Mixed Recycling: Loose Plastic Bags - Styrofoam - Ceramic & Pottery - Dirty Pizza Boxes

Important! DO NOT put loose plastic bags in with mixed recycling. Plastic bags, also called plastic film, cause machinery to break down at the processing facility. Clean and dry plastic film can be recycled separately at the Kent transfer station.

Recycle at the Transfer Station:



NO frozen food bags
NO prewashed salad mix bags
NO degradable bags
NO compostable bags

Did you know?

We collect aluminum foil and all .05 deposit cans & bottles at the Kent Transfer Station for the Kent Center Scholarship Fund. Bins for these are next to the mixed recycling compactor. This has raised over \$120,000 for scholarships.



We also collect wine corks and recycle them through recork.org



Glass is 100% RECYCLABLE As long as it's not contaminated...

Ceramic, china, dishes, mirrors, light bulbs, Pyrex®, porcelain and window glass should NOT go in the recycle bin! They are the most destructive contaminants for glass recycling. Make sure they don't get mixed in with your recycled glass bottles. Their different melting points and chemical compositions will ruin new glass bottles.

To find out more about glass recycling visit: www.gpi.org/recycling/community-recycling

Why put styrofoam in the trash? There are few markets for styrofoam to be recycled.

Alternatives for styrofoam - The Kent Transfer Station takes peanuts and bubble wrap which is used by residents who do shipping. Just ask one of the guys where to leave it and where to get it. Many "mailing solution" stores also accept peanuts.

Please ask for help if you are unsure where something goes.