

ONLINE STUDY GUIDE



HOW TO RECYCLE!

- Materials that can be recycled include:
 - **Paper** (Newspaper, magazines, construction paper, envelopes, etc)
 - **Plastic** (Plastic that has a number 1-7 in a triangle *see image below* – Water bottles, milk jugs, butter containers, etc)
 - **Cardboard** (Flattened cereal boxes, pizza boxes, toilet and paper towel rolls, etc)
 - **Metal** (Soup cans, pop cans, tin foil with no food residue on it, etc.)
 - **Glass** (Clear and colored glass – wine bottles, pasta sauce jars, etc.)
- Materials should be thrown loosely in the cart – nothing should be separated or placed in a bag.
- Empty and rinse out all containers before recycling.
- All items must be in the cart to be collected, not on top of or around it.
- When in doubt, throw it out!

HOW DOES THE CURBSIDE RECYCLING PROGRAM WORK?

- Residents in single family homes or up to 4 units are eligible.
- Residents who sign up will be given a 64 gallon recycling cart delivered to their address.
- Advanced Disposal will provide a calendar inside the cart displaying the day of the week the cart will be serviced. GFL (Rizzo) recycling will be picked up the same day as Bulk.
- The recycling cart will be picked up EVERY OTHER WEEK according to the schedule.
- Residents can request a second recycling cart for their home for the cost of \$25 by contacting GFL or Advanced.
- Carts must be out by 7am on your day of service.



WHAT CANNOT BE RECYCLED?

- Do not put food or garbage in your container
- Do not put yard waste in your recycling cart
- Bags of any kind cannot be recycled! This includes: Plastic Bags, Ziploc bags, Chip Bags, Candy Wrappers, Garbage Bags, and Plastic Wrap.
- Styrofoam Containers and Packaging
- Napkins and paper towels
- Electronics, Computers, and Light Bulbs
- Hazardous Waste: Paint cans, automotive fluids, car batteries, pesticides, microwaves, household cleaners, chemicals.
 - These items can be taken to **Household Hazardous Waste** – 2000 E Ferry St, Detroit, MI



Chip Bag



Plastic Utensils



Paper Towel



Juice Boxes



Candy Wrappers



Food



Styrofoam



Plastic Bags



Dirty Paper Plates

WHAT CAN GO TO RECYCLE HERE! – 1331 Holden St, Detroit, MI 48202

- Batteries
- Light Bulbs
- Plastic Bags
- Styrofoam
- Cartons (Aseptic)
- Electronics
- Computers
- Ink Cartridges
- Cooking Grease



Hours of Operation
Monday & Wednesday 10am-6pm
Saturday 9am-3pm

WHO IS MY WASTE HAULER?

If you live on the west side of Detroit, your waste hauler is Advanced Disposal.

If you live on the east or southwest side of Detroit, your waste hauler is GFL Environmental (formerly Rizzo).

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Single family homes or up to 4 units are eligible. Commercial properties and apartments with more than 4 units are not eligible for the curbside recycling program.

WHEN DO I GET MY CART?

Your cart will be delivered after they are ordered by us. We cannot determine an exact date, but can suggest that it will be a few weeks after we submit them to be ordered.

WHERE IS MY CART GOING TO BE DELIVERED?

Your cart will be dropped off at your address.

WHEN IS MY PICK-UP?

- Your pick up day will be EVERY OTHER WEEK determined by the waste haulers.
- Look for a flier in the cart when it arrives or check the waste haulers website for the calendar.
- Contact your waste hauler:

GFL ENVIRONMENTAL: (844) GO-GFLUSA

ADVANCED DISPOSAL: (844) 233-8764

WHAT IF I HAVE ISSUES?

Contact Green Living Science at 313-871-4000 Ext. 3

YOU'RE READY TO TAKE THE ONLINE QUIZ!

**ONCE YOU COMPLETE THE QUIZ, YOU WILL BE PROVIDED
A LINK TO SIGN UP FOR YOUR FREE RECYCLING CART!**