



How You Can Help...

Recycling saves energy, reduces pollution and preserves valuable natural resources.

Republic Services, Inc. provides our recycling service and is now using new trucks with a mechanical arm that picks up the recycle cart and empties its contents into the top of the truck. With this system, participants are supplied with a 95 gallon cart on wheels to collect recyclables. This service is provided to our neighborhood every other Monday (a schedule and full instructions are included with your new cart).

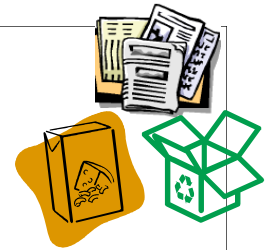
Basic procedures are:

1. Have cart within 4 ft of road by 7 am
2. Be sure cart has 3 feet of clearance on all sides (away from mailboxes, trees, vehicles and other trash carts/cans).
3. Do not overload cart or place items on top of cart.
4. Place cart with arrows on lid pointing to curb. If it does not have arrows, place so hinges on lid and wheels are on side away from the street.
5. Place materials loose in cart — no sorting and do not bag items.

Acceptable recyclables: (NO NEED TO SORT)

- **Plastics** — Recycle rinsed PET and HDPE plastic bottles and containers which are marked on the bottom with a number "1" or "2" inside a recycle triangle. Remove all caps and lids. Labels do not have to be removed. Plastic toys are not acceptable. 
- **All glass bottles & jars** — Recycle all brown, green, blue and clear glass bottles and jars. Rinse clean and remove lids and caps. Do not crush or break glass containers. Paper labels do not have to be removed. Please, no Pyrex, used pesticide or herbicide containers, window glass, light bulbs, auto glass, mirrors or ceramics. 
- **Aluminum, tin & steel cans** — Aluminum, tin and steel food and beverage cans including aerosol cans. Please rinse clean; labels do not need to be removed — no paint cans.

- **Newspapers, magazines, phone books, cardboard and cereal type boxes.**



How can I recycle?

- **Curbside Recycling.** Call **917-7300** to establish curbside recycling or get additional information (M-F, 7 a.m.—5 p.m.) or go to the informative website at www.indyrecycles.com. The cost for this service is \$6 per month billed quarterly.
- **Drop Off Recycling.** The closest drop-off sites to our neighborhood are:
 1. Kroger parking lot — 79th and Fall Creek
 2. Sahm Park — 6801 E. 91st Street. Drive South into parking lot back toward pool and playground.
 3. Marsh Parking Lot—11625 Fox Rd

Did you know ...

- Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to run a TV for three hours, or the equivalent of a half a gallon of gasoline.
- Recycling all copies of the Sunday edition of the Indianapolis Star would save about 150,000 trees.
- In Indiana, if we recycle all used oil filters, we could save 85,000 gallons of oil, 3,000 tons of steel and 1,000 tons of saturated filter media for waste-to-energy processed annually.
- Each ton of recycled paper can save 17 trees, 380 gallons of oil, 4,000 kilowatts of energy and 7,000 gallons of water.

Let's all do our part!

