

Recycling RIGHT Never Takes a Holiday!

November through February is the busiest time of the year at the Monroe County Recycling Center. Help your waste hauler and recycling center employees properly process the material from your residential recycling bin by following a few simple rules:



ALWAYS place in your bin:

- ✓ Cardboard – always flattened (including **CLEAN** pizza boxes)
- ✓ All clean paper AND wrapping paper (no metallic paper – place in trash)
- ✓ Plastic bottles, jugs, jars and tubs
- ✓ Cans, bottles and cartons – **always** CLEAN, DRY AND EMPTY

NEVER BAG RECYCLING!

NEVER place in your bin:

- Electronics *
- Styrofoam *
- Plastic Bags, Film, and Plastic Shipping Envelopes *
- Cooking Oil *
- Pharmaceutical Bottles *
- Batteries *
- Food
- Single Use Plastics – plates, cups, utensils, napkins
- Bows, ribbons, wire, twine, decorations



Still unsure? Follow this rule: **WHEN IN DOUBT, THROW IT OUT!**

*visit MonroeCounty.gov/ecopark for disposal options

Now available at your Town Hall, Village Hall or library ...
new Monroe County recycling cards and magnets!

Materials can also be requested **FREE** via mail at <https://www.monroecounty.gov/des-magnet>

MIXED RECYCLING
EMPTY CLEAN UNBAGGED

PAPER

- Newspapers and inserts
- Magazines and catalogs
- Cellulose books
- Junk mail & office paper
- Cardboard boxes
- Pizza boxes
- Corrugated

METAL & GLASS

- Metal containers & fuel tanks
- Aerosol cans
- Glass bottles & jars
- Household cans
- No hazardous, corrosive, flammable, or toxic liquids

PLASTIC

- Empty beverage, milk, juice & spray
- Jugs (5L, 20L, 50L)
- 2L PET
- Take-home products
- Household toys like & sports pumps
- No lawn mowers, trimmers, etc.
- No tires or auto parts
- No oil pans
- No car seats
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ecoPark
12 Rufus Drive Rochester, NY 14624
Hours of Operation: 8:30am - 5:00pm (Closed on Holidays)

PLASTIC BAGS AND FILM
RETURN TO RETAILERS.
DO NOT INCLUDE IN MIXED RECYCLING BINS.

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