

ACCEPTABLE Recycling Items

Newspaper

Newspapers
Ad supplements
Brown paper bags



Office Paper

Office paper – all colors
Office paper with staples
Shredded paper
Glossy paper (newsletters & magazines)
Phone book
Envelopes (even with plastic windows)
Post it notes



Magazines / Phonebooks

Soft cover books
Glossy magazines



Cardboard

Corrugated cardboard
Chipboard or boxboard
Boxes with staples
Cereal boxes
Soda cartons
Manila file folders
Back of legal pad of paper



Metal, Steel, Tin & Aluminum Cans

Rinse & clean. Labels can stay on.

Mixed Plastic Containers

Remove lids, rinse & clean
Plastics #1 - #7
Milk or water jugs
Laundry detergent bottles
Beverage containers
Butter dishes
Yogurt cups



Glass bottles and jars (clear and colored)

UNACCEPTABLE Recycling Items

Aerosol cans
Anything with glue
Appliances
Ashes
Building materials or scraps
Ceramic plates and cups
Clothing
Containers containing combustible liquids
Electronics
Furniture
Garbage
Liquids
Paint cans
Plastic bags and grocery bags
Plastic motor oil containers
Styrofoam
Tires
Toys
Waxed or plastic coated paper
Windows and mirrors
Yard waste
Ziploc and plastic sandwich bags



**On your recycling collection day,
place your recycling cart (blue lid)
at your normal collection pickup
point.**

**Recycling carts must be set out
by 7 a.m. on your collection day
to ensure pickup.**

**If your recycling was not collected
on your scheduled collection day,
please contact Republic Services,
the City's contractor for recycling
services, at 563-823-1323.**

Contact Rock Island County Waste Management Agency (RICWMA) at 1-877-934-5378 or ricwma.org to dispose of refrigerators, stoves, water heaters, freezers, air conditioners, dishwashers, furnaces, etc.

Rock Island County residents may use the Waste Commission of Scott County's Household Hazardous Material (HHM) facility to dispose of household hazardous materials such as cleaners, paints, pesticides and automotive products. Please call 563-386-9575 or visit their website at wastecom.com.

Rock Island County residents may also use the Waste Commission's Electronic Demanufacturing Facility (EDF) for environmentally sound disposal of electronic waste (e-waste) such as computers and televisions. Please call 563-823-0119 or visit their website at wastecom.com

For additional information, please contact the Public Works Department at 732-2200 or visit the city's website at www.rigov.org/recycling.