

# Recycling Preparation Guide

## 95-Gallon Commingle Roll Cart

- **Newspaper** – Anything that comes in the newspaper can be recycled with the newspaper.
- **Magazines, Catalogs, Phonebooks**
- **Plastics** – Rinse clean. No need to flatten.  
**Acceptable Plastics:** Plastic bottles and tubs 6 ounces or larger (except those containing hazardous products or motor oil). Rigid plastic plant pots 4 inches or larger. Plastic buckets of 5 gallons or less, milk jugs.  
**Non-Acceptable Plastics:** Bags and film, foam/expanded plastics, large items (i.e. toys), bottle & tub lids, trays, clamshells and bakery containers, food-contaminated items, “Biodegradable” plastics, cups, plates, silverware, blister packaging, any plastic containers smaller than 6 ounces.
- **Tin/Aluminum** – Cans, jar lids, foil, TV dinner trays, beverage cans. Rinse clean. No need to flatten.
- **Paper bags**
- **Corrugated Cardboard** – Flatten. No waxed or slick coated cardboard.
- **Mixed Paper, Junk Mail & Paper** – Paper, envelopes, white & colored paper, computer paper, tin can labels, wrapping paper (no foil or ribbon), shredded paper (strips only, no confetti). No paper ream wrappers, tissue paper, waxed paper, candy wrappers, snack food bags.
- **Paperboard** – Cereal/cracker/shoe boxes (discard liners), soda and beer cartons, paper egg cartons, paper towel tubes. No frozen food boxes, paper cups/plates/towels/napkins, pet food bags.

## City Recycling Only - Redmond

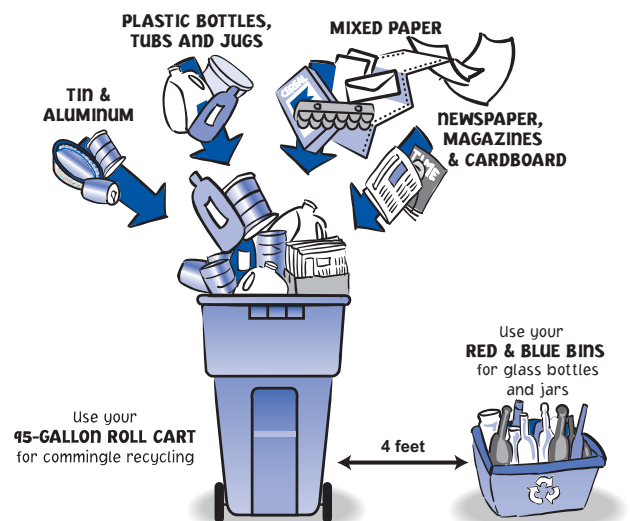
- **Glass (Red & Blue Bins)** – Clear and Colored Glass Bottles and Jars  
Rinse clean. Labels are okay. No need to separate by color. No dishes, glasses, ceramics or window glass.
- **Motor Oil (Residential only)** – Pour into an unbreakable, leak-proof container (one gallon maximum) with a tight fitting lid. Clearly label container “motor oil” and place next to your recyclables.

## Recycling Tips

- Glass is collected in both the red & blue bins – **every other week (same day as your commingle recycling).**
- Plastic grocery bags are not recyclable at the curb. Please recycle at participating grocery stores.
- Styrofoam peanuts and rigid packing pieces are not recyclable. Please bag Styrofoam peanuts before putting them in garbage roll cart.  
\* Most mailing services will accept bagged Styrofoam peanuts for reuse.

## Recycle Depot Locations

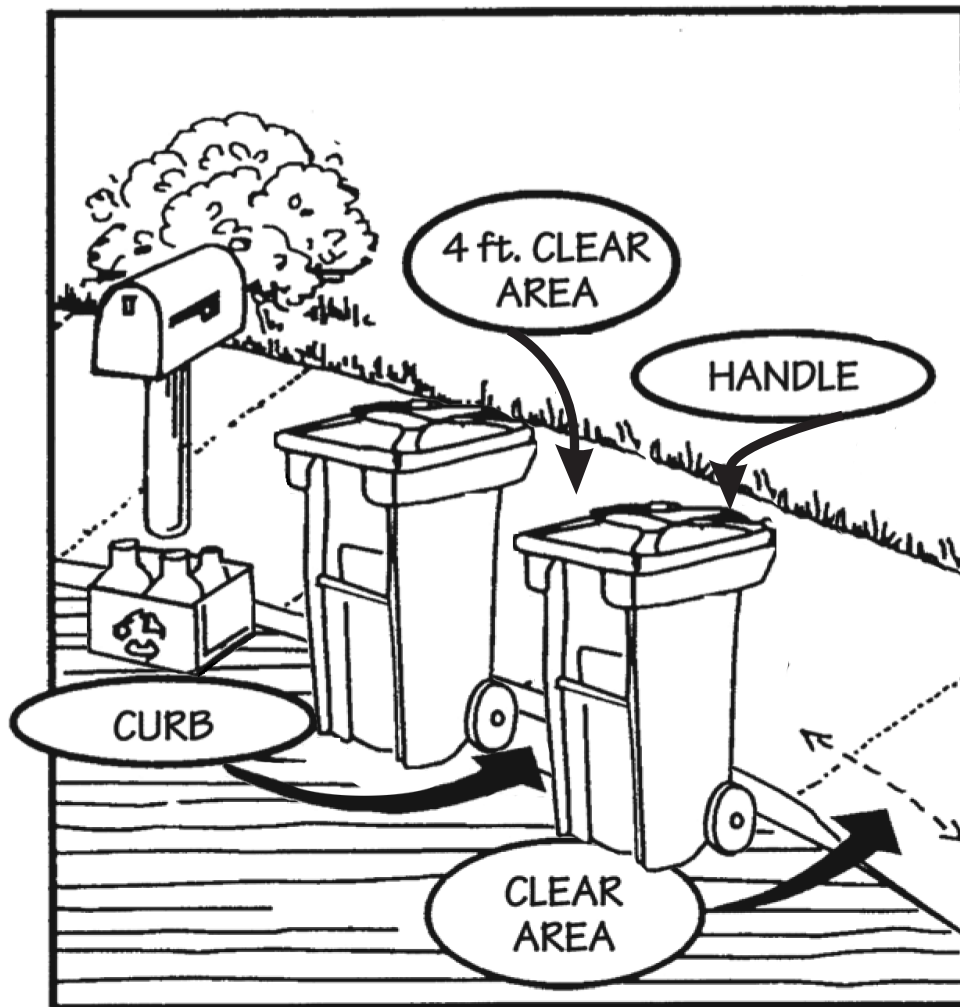
- Deschutes Recycling, located at Knott Landfill, Accepts all items listed above.
- City of Sisters and Deschutes County Transfer Stations accepts all items listed above.



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# Automated Service Guide



- Place your roll carts at the curb by 6 a.m. on collection day (or the night before).
- Position the roll cart handles toward the house with lids opening toward the street.
- Place roll carts away from mailboxes and other obstructions. Maintain four feet of space between roll carts.
- Place all garbage and recycling in designated roll cart so lid closes. Garbage lids popped up more than 3-4 inches are considered “overfull” and will be charged as such.
- Please do not place bungee cords, duct tape or rocks on roll cart lids.

*See other side for Commingle Recycling information*