

Curbside Recycling Program

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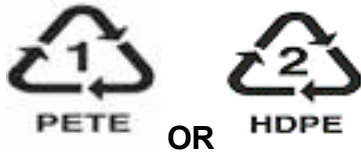
The City of Oxford offers curbside recycling pickup services, for those residents living within the city limits. Please familiarize yourself with these recycling instructions to ensure proper, efficient pickup service.

Recyclables should be placed on the curb by 6a.m. on the day of your pickup.

Use a single container for **Plastics, and Aluminum & Steel Cans** including:

- Soda, water bottles, milk jugs
- Laundry detergent and bleach containers>
- Most plastic cleaning containers
- Food, soup, vegetable cans
- Soda cans, coffee cans, all beverage cans

Look for one of these two symbols on the bottom of plastic containers:



Discard Tops. Labels do not need to be removed. For health & safety of our workers, please rinse containers & save space by flattening them if you can.

Use another container for **Mixed Paper & Newspaper** including:

- Junk Mail, Post Cards, Envelopes (plastic windows o.k.)
- Catalogues, Magazines, Telephone Books
- Drink Boxes, Cereal Boxes
- Toilet Paper/Paper Towel Rolls
- Newspaper (Glossy inserts and coupons o.k.)

Under one of the containers, place **Corrugated Cardboard**

- must be corrugated cardboard
- must be cut into 4' x 4' pieces or smaller
- staples and labels do not have to be removed
- **NO STYROFOAM**

The following items may be taken to these participating businesses for recycling:

<p>Old Cars & Scrap Metals Aldridge Scrap Metal 234-6741 Morris Scrap Metal 800-654-6254 Jay Motor 236-4588 Cannon Used Cars 662-628-6232</p>	<p>Batteries:</p> <p>Rechargeable Batteries Office Depot 238-3606</p> <p>Used Auto Batteries AutoZone 234-8288 Beard Auto Parts 234-3441 CARQUEST 234-7813 Spark's Auto Parts 234-1611</p>
<p>Used Motor Oils AutoZone 234-8288 Belk Ford/Mercury 234-4661 Express Quick Lube 236-7811 Grisanti Rebel Motors 234-2311 Shell Rapid Lube 236-3696</p>	<p>Plastic Shopping Bags Wal-Mart 234-9131</p>
<p>Used Paint 1/2-Full gallons of GOOD paint may be donated to Habitat for Humanity at Oxford Paint Supply on North Lamar.</p>	<p>Toner Cartridges The Humane Society, on Hwy 7 South, and the Ole Miss School of Engineering (box located in front of the mail boxes in Carrier Hall).</p>
<p>Cell Phones Cellular South, Cingular, T-Mobile, Unicel</p> <p>Cell phone batteries are accepted at Office Depot on West Jackson Avenue.</p>	<p>Ink & Toner Cartridges Office Depot on West Jackson Avenue will give a \$3 coupon per ink & toner cartridge.</p> <p>Contact Kathleen Jones 662-238-2606 for more information on this program.</p>

Reducing Junk Mail (paper mail)

Reduce the amount of junk mail you get by contacting the Mail Preference Service, c/o Direct Marketing Association, 6 East 43rd St., New York, NY 10017, and asking them to remove your name from mailing lists that are sold to companies.

1-888-5-OPT-OUT (1-888-567-8688)

When you call this number, you may request to have your name and address removed from national credit bureau lists that are sold to the credit industry. The three national credit reporting agencies-- Experian (formerly TRW), Trans Union, and Equifax-- will remove your name for a two-year period from any list provided to others relating to any potential consumer credit transaction that you did not initiate. You will have to provide some personal information and follow the directions you receive from a prerecorded message. If you follow these directions, your name should be removed from these lists within five business days.

You may even ask to have your name permanently removed by requesting that the credit bureau send to you an "election form." This form, when filled out and returned by you, will remove your name and address from credit bureau mailing lists until you notify them that you want to be placed on these lists again. Federal and state laws include many other provisions to protect consumers. Watch for future Consumer Alerts for more information concerning your rights as a consumer when seeking or being offered information.

If you have any questions please call 232-2745. Large quantities are accepted at the Recycling center. If you are unsure or think it might be gross, please do not recycle it! Volunteers are always needed.

Also see the Keep Oxford and Lafayette County Beautiful Website