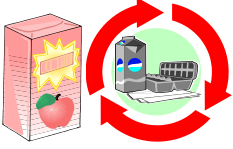
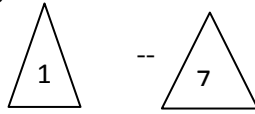


CITY OF WATERTOWN RECYCLING GUIDE

DO'S ...	QUESTIONS?	CALL: 262-4080	... and DON'TS
Material	Required Preparation	Recommendations	
Corrugated Cardboard, Chipboard & Glossy Chipboard, all cardboard from food products – examples: cake boxes, cracker boxes, Kleenex boxes, pizza boxes, orange juice containers, fast food containers, etc.  For more info, visit: www.RecycleCartons.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cut to fit in Recycling Cart - Keep Free of Debris 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you want to bundle use paper bags or plastic bags that have the recycling triangle emblem on them. 	Firewood can be taken to the woodchip pile at 1339 Boomer St. (just north of yardwaste site)
Any & All Plastic Containers  This includes oil containers and plastic bags. Also #2 Bulky Rigid Plastics (5 gal buckets, laundry baskets, plastic milk crates, children's toys) plastic 6-pack rings, film plastic: bread bags, produce bags, case wrap (water cases, etc), newspaper bags, retail bags, napkin, paper towel, bathroom tissue & diaper packaging wraps. For more info, visit: www.plasticfilmrecycling.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Place in Blue City of Watertown Recycling Cart. - Loose - Rinse 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Flatten (Optional, to save space) 	
Glass Bottles and Jars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rinse - Place Loose in Container 		No Glass Light Bulbs in Recycling Cart – Put In Garbage Cart.
Aluminum Cans, Aluminum & Tin Foil, Aluminum Baking Pans, etc. Metal cooking/baking pans (cookie sheets, fry pans, pots and pans, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rinse - Place Loose in Container - Flatten (Optional, to save space) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Flatten (Optional, to save space) 	- No Food Waste Should Remain in the Aluminum, Paper or Tin
Newspaper, Magazines, Mixed Paper, Wrapping Paper & Tissue Paper, Mail Items, Books, Fast Food Paper Products, Paper Plates (even if soiled)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not necessary to bundle, but can be bundled. - Keep Dry, if Possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you bundle put mixed paper in large paper grocery bags or plastic bags with recycling emblem on them. 	No Plastic Bags unless they have the recycling emblem on them.
Any and All Types of Tin Cans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rinse - Place Loose in Container 		No Scrap Metal, Bumpers

DRAIN OIL and OIL FILTERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Place oil in a sealed, disposable one gallon container (milk jugs work well) - The container the oil was in can be put in the Recycling Cart if it is completely empty. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - May bring oil and filters to the Recycling Center at 727 W. Cady Street and place in oil drop-off on north end of building. Filters must be placed into the barrel. 	No oil mixed with the following: paint, anti-freeze solvent, gasoline, paint thinner, other flammable liquids
STYROFOAM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rinse (if it's a food container) - Place in Recycling Cart 		
AEROSOL SPRAY CANS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Should be empty - Place in Recycling Cart 		

HOUSEHOLD WASTE

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
All wastes resulting from the normal operation of a household; including all garbage and refuse. <i>Does Not Include:</i> landscape waste, construction debris, appliances, waste oil, tires, lead acid batteries, or recyclables.	City Sanitation Crews. Call (920) 262-4080 for your pickup day. Garbage must fit in the cart – no piles of debris next to cart will be taken. Large one piece items such as furniture can still be placed next to cart for pick up.	Private Sanitary Landfill	Weekly, according to schedule.

LANDSCAPE WASTE I

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Grass clippings, twigs, vines, garden plants, flowers, wood chips, apple tree droppings, pumpkins, corn stalks, etc.	Residents take to Yardwaste Drop-Off Site. An attendant will be there to collect empty bags and inspect material. NOTE: Operates from April – November (weather permitting)	City employees compost and burn material on site according to DNR regulations.	Open: Monday 3:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (fall hours: 3:30 – 6:00 after Daylight Savings) Wednesday 3:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (fall hours: 3:30 – 6:00 after Daylight Savings) Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Organic Items – Component Examples: apples (core, peelings), watermelon, oranges, bananas, lettuce, onions, cantaloupe, carrots, potatoes, tomatoes, corn, peppers, squash, pears, etc.	If you choose to keep these items you may bring them to the Yardwaste Drop-Off Site during normal seasonal hours.	City employees compost materials on site according to DNR regulations.	

LANDSCAPE WASTE II

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Branches, hedges and tree limbs. Maximum Diameter: 9 inches Minimum Length: 4 feet Maximum Length: None Call the Street Dept. (920) 262-4080 for stacking requirements.	City Street Dept. Crews	Wood Chip Stock Pile – 1339 Boomer Street Full truck loads available to City residents at no charge	Once per month – according to schedule – call the Street Dept. at (920) 262-4080 for routing schedules.

LANDSCAPE WASTE III

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Autumn Leaves – Street Dept. will announce when pickup will start; usually the first week in October. Rake leaves to edge of curb, not in bags. DO NOT rake leaves into the street or park vehicles in front of/near the piles.	City Street Dept. Crews	City compost site – 1339 Boomer Street	Monthly – Guaranteed one pickup monthly, however if time and weather allow, there could be more than one pickup per month. Call Street Dept. with questions.

WHITE GOODS

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Stoves, Washers, Dryers, most metal items. Dehumidifiers, refrigerators, air conditioners and freezers.	Residents need to drop off in the electronics drop-off area at the Recycling Center; 727 W. Cady St.	Universal Recycling Technologies Janesville, Wisconsin	This is an outside drop-off area, so you may do this at your convenience.

SMALL APPLIANCES/ELECTRONICS

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Copy Machines, TVs, Computers, Monitors, Key Pads, Printers, Mouse, Fax Machines, VCR, DVD, Cell Phones, Microwaves, Mixers, Blenders, Sump Pumps, Fans, Vacuums, Toasters, Toaster Ovens, Holiday Decorative String Lights.	Citizens must bring items to Recycling Center; 727 W. Cady St.	Universal Recycling Technologies Janesville, Wisconsin	This is an outside drop-off area, so you may do this at your convenience.

FURNITURE

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Couches, recliners, love seats, pit groups, rockers. NOTE: Steel frames must be removed from roll-a-way/hide-a-bed couches.	City Sanitation Crews. Call (920) 262-4080 for your pickup day.	Private Sanitary Landfill	Weekly, according to schedule.
Mattress & Box Springs are now being recycled and are being kept out of the landfills.	Residents must bring all mattresses and box springs to Midwest Mattress Recovery; 426 S. Montgomery Street	Midwest Mattress Recovery	This is an outside drop-off area so you may do this at your convenience.

CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Steel, glass, brick, concrete, rock, wood (including non-hazardous painted, treated and coated wood and wood products), wall coverings, plaster, drywall, plumbing fixtures, non-asbestos insulation, roofing shingles and other roof coverings, plastics that are not sealed in a manner that conceals waste or contaminates, electrical wiring and piping or metals incidental to any of those materials. Carpeting must be taken to Y's Way Flooring at 809 Station Street, Watertown for Recycling. We are no longer accepting carpet curbside for landfill disposal.	Call the Street Dept. for information on this. 920-262-4080	These items are recycled by Waste Management.	

TIRES

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Car, truck, tractor, semi-truck tires, etc...		Tire-Rifik, Inc. (920) 261-8111	Drop Off. Fee varies depending on tire size/type and amount.

LEAD ACID BATTERIES

DESCRIPTION OF WASTE	WHO PICKS IT UP?	WHERE DOES IT GO?	HOW OFTEN IS IT PICKED UP?
Lead acid batteries – automobile batteries		Loeb Recycling 1111 S. Tenth Street	Drop Off.