

# Wayne County Recycling

Please rinse out all containers – it helps to keep recyclables cleaner and helps to prevent insects and animals from visiting the bins

## Materials accepted:

**Steel** cans & lids – canned food containers (fruit, veggies, etc), metal lids

**Aluminum** cans – beverage containers (soda pop, flavored beverages, etc.)

**Glass** bottles & jars only (spaghetti sauce, jelly/jam, pickles, etc.)

Please remove the lid from the jar and recycle items separately

**Paper** items – please bag if there are lots of loose pieces of paper

- Newspapers and paper advertisements
- Paper - office paper, notebook paper, scratch paper, envelopes, etc.
- Cardboard – please break down to allow for more space in bins
- Paperboard - cereal boxes, tissue boxes, pasta boxes, etc.
- Magazines & Catalogs
- Phonebooks

**Plastics** (#1 - #2) – look on the container for a triangle shape made with bent arrows. Inside the triangle is a number. The number describes the type of plastic polymer.



PETE



HDPE

## **Wayne County – recycling drop off location**

**Hagerstown** — Transfer Station—Off State Road 1, South of St. Rd. 38  
20 Paul R. Foulke Parkway 765-489-4000



For more information check out [www.waste-not.org](http://www.waste-not.org)

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## Plastic Shopping Bags

Shopping bags are marked with recycling information,  
**PLEASE TAKE THEM BACK TO THE STORE FOR RECYCLING!**

The companies that recycle the bags need this plastic to be collected separate and kept clean from other recycled materials. You can also include clear, plastic packaging from non-food items (toilet paper, packs of water bottles, etc.) for recycling at stores as well.

Additional information can be found at [www.plasticfilmrecycling.org](http://www.plasticfilmrecycling.org)

## Special Collection Days

Watch for advertisements (newspaper, radio, billboards, banners, etc.)  
Special collection days are one-day events for the collection of items that cannot be placed in recycling bins.

E-waste: computers, TVs, electronics

Additional information can be found at [www.waste-not.org](http://www.waste-not.org) on the Recycle/Disposal link and the News/Events link.

## Electronics Recycling

Are the items still working? Check out the Recycle Reuse Disposal Guide at <https://waste-not.org/proper-item-disposal/> for locations of businesses that may be able to help you!

## Prescription/Medicine Disposal

**DO NOT FLUSH ANY MEDICINES DOWN TOILET OR DRAINS**

Expired/Unused Medicines: prescription, over the counter, pet medicines  
Medicines may end up in the water supply!

Richmond Police Department has a drop box inside the lobby on the lower level of the City Building at 50 North 5<sup>th</sup> Street – Richmond. The public can safely dispose of unused medicines in this secure location Monday thru Friday from 6:30AM to 10:30PM. No needles collected at this location at this time.

Contact your local pharmacy for take back programs regarding out of date medicines for proper disposal.

Old prescription disposal - Must be in original bottles

Phillips Drugs: 765-966-5544 Contact store for more details

Check for DEA Drug take Back special collection days in your community:  
[http://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug-disposal /takeback/index.html](http://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug-disposal/takeback/index.html)