



Aerosol Cans ●●●

Whether it was an air freshener, cleaner, or spray paint, aerosol cans cannot be recycled. A can, with leftover product, can be taken the Citizen Collection Stations, for reuse by other residents.



Antifreeze ●●

Empty antifreeze containers are non-recyclable. They should be placed in the trash bin. The Citizen Collection Stations accept containers with antifreeze for reuse by other residents. Please do not empty antifreeze in the sink or outside as it may contaminate our water.



Appliances ●●

Our Citizen Collection Stations accept appliances and charcoal lighters for disposal. ESD also offers special pickups for a fee for those that can't make it to the citizen collection stations. Contact 311 for more information.



Batteries ●●

Alkaline batteries (AAA, AA, C, D, and Volt) no longer contain mercury. You can dispose of these types of batteries in your gray trash bin or your nearest citizen



Books and Magazines ●

Magazines and both paperback and hardcover books are recyclable. Hardback books must have the covers removed before placing them in your blue recycle bin. Local charities and used bookstores accept donations of books and magazines. Shredded paper is not accepted as recyclable material, it can be placed in the trash.



Car Batteries, Used Car Oil, and Filters ●

Car batteries, used car oil, and filters are disposable at the citizen collection stations. Many auto retailers accept used car batteries for recycling.



Cartons ●

Cartons that contain juice, milk, or other liquids cannot be recycled due to the wax or gloss that coats the carton. You can place these in your gray trash bin.



Cleaning Products ●

Leftover cleaning products, fluids, and polishes are accepted at the Citizen Collection Stations for reuse by other residents. Always check the label for proper disposal instructions.



Carpet and Construction Material

Carpet, carpet pads, and construction material are ONLY accepted at the landfill. Construction material is not allowed in the trash or recycle bin and is not accepted at the Citizen Collection Stations.



Clothing and Shoes ●●

Used clothing and shoes are not recyclable. You can donate items to a local charity of your choice. Unusable clothes are allowed in the trash bin or can be taken to the citizen collection stations or landfill.



Diapers ●

Used diapers can be thrown in your gray bin, taken to the citizen collection stations or landfill. The box diapers come in is recyclable, not the diapers.



Drain Cleaners ●●

Empty drain cleaners can be thrown in the gray trash bin. Leftover drain cleaner is accepted at the Citizen Collection Stations for reuse by other residents. Always check the label for proper disposal instructions.



Electronics ●

Electronics are accepted at the citizen collections stations and the landfill. If you have bulky electronics you can request a special pick-up. Contact 311 for more information.



Food and Cooking Oil ●

Used cooking oil can be taken to the Citizen Collection Stations for disposal. Food is not recyclable. Old food or food contaminated products can be disposed of in the gray bin, citizen collection stations, and landfill. You can donate useable canned food and other food items to the charity of your choice. NO PIZZA BOXES.



Florescent Light Bulbs ●

Florescent light bulbs are accepted at the Citizen Collection Stations.



Furniture ●

Indoor or outdoor furniture still in usable condition can be taken to the citizen collection station located at 3510 Confederate or to your charity of choice. If the furniture is in unusable condition, it is accepted at the citizen collection stations or the landfill. ESD also offers special pickups for a fee for those that can't make it to the citizen collection stations.



Glass

Glass is not accepted as a recyclable item in the blue bin. As an alternative, many retailers accept glass for recycling.



Paint ●●

Leftover paint is accepted at the Citizen Collection Stations for reuse by other residents. Dried paint cans are accepted in the trash bin, Citizen Collection Stations, or landfill.



Pet Food Bags ●

Many pet food bags are made up of a variety of materials such as polypropylene, paperboard, and mixed plastics that are cannot be recycled. You can place these in your gray trash bin.



Pesticides, Pool, & Other Household ●●

Leftover pesticides, rust removers, pool and other household chemicals are accepted at the citizen collection stations for reuse by other residents. Empty containers are accepted in the trash, citizen collection stations, or landfill.



Plastic Bags ●

You cannot recycle plastic bags. Instead you can take them down to a participating retailer that accepts them for recycling or you can throw them away in the gray bin.



Plastic Wrap-Film ●

Examples of plastic wrap is the outer wrapping from napkins, paper towels, bathroom tissue, bottled water, and bread bags. These wraps should be placed in your gray recycle bin.



Pool Tarps and Covers ●●

If the pool tarp or cover is able to fit into the gray trash bin you can dispose of it. Alternatively, you can take it down to the Citizen Collection Stations or landfill for disposal. If it is too big you can contact ESD for a special pick-up.



PVC Pipes ●

Due the difficulty of recycling PVC pipes, they are not allowed in your blue recycle bin. You can place these in your gray trash bin.



Shipping Packages ●●

Online order packages can be made out of several layers of material. You can place the outer cardboard box in your blue bin. Other packing material such as plastic air pillows, packing peanuts, and tissue paper should be placed in your gray trash bin.



Shredded Paper

Shredded paper is not accepted in the blue recycle bin. Instead you can place your shredded confidential information in a plastic bag and dispose of it in the gray trash bin. If your paperwork does not include confidential information, please place whole sheets of paper in the blue recycle bin.



Styrofoam ●

ANY type of Styrofoam is not accepted in the blue recycle bin due to its difficulty to be recycled. You can place Styrofoam in the gray trash bin.



Yard Waste ●●

Yard waste is not recyclable. Please bag your yard waste in a large plastic bag and dispose of it in your gray trash bin. Yard waste is also accepted at the Citizen Collection Stations and the tree branches and clippings can be turned into mulch. You can also request a special bulk pick up for a fee. Please call 311.

Legend

● Gray Trash Bin

● Blue Recycle Bin

● Citizen Collection Station