



# 2018 RECYCLING UPDATE

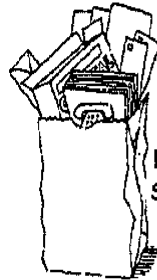


## The Town of West Point Recycles! DO YOU?

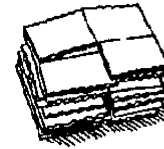
### ACCEPTABLE RECYCLABLE ITEMS

#### Aluminum Foil Products

Metal Food &  
Beverage Cans



**BAGGED, HOUSEHOLD PAPER:** Paper Grocery Bags, Telephone Books, Magazines, Single-Layer Cardboard (cereal and tissue boxes), Junk Mail, Cards, Stationery, School Paper, Computer Paper, flattened boxes; shredded paper in clear bags



#### Corrugated Cardboard

clean & dry, flattened, no larger than 3x4 ft pieces

#### NO. 1 & 2 PLASTIC BOTTLES

Milk Jugs, Soda Bottles, Household Cleaner Bottles, Shampoo Bottles, and Similar Bottles & Jugs - rinse & remove lids



**BAGGED, Newspaper** - clean & dry



#### Glass Bottles & Jars

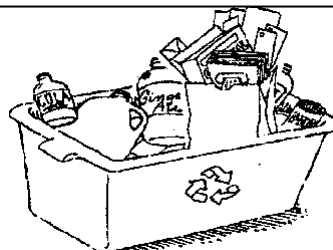
clear, brown & green - rinse & remove lids



### DID YOU KNOW?

- That you are actually increasing the cost of processing recycled goods when you place unacceptable items such as Styrofoam, Plastic Bags, Items Coated with Food and Household Trash among your recyclables to be collected.
- To insure that your recyclables are collected, please place your items out no later than 7AM on collection day (Wed).
- That nationally we produce 4.5 pounds of trash per person each day. In West Point we are at 3.0 pounds per person.
- That through our recycling efforts during 2017, the Town of West Point recycled about 112,840 pounds of paper and cardboard alone. The Department of Energy says that we saved about:
  - 392,000 gallons of water
  - 952 thirty foot pulp trees
  - 229,600 Kilowatt hours of electricity
  - Reduced about 3,360 pounds of air pollutants
  - 21,280 gallons of oil
  - 196 cubic yards of landfill space

The Town of West Point now offers 18 gallon recycling bins. Call 804-843-4363 for your bin. Limited offer while supplies last.



### YARD DEBRIS

The Public Works Department will collect residential yard waste, such as tree branches, tree limbs, bushes, shrubbery cuttings, leaves and lawn clippings.

- This service is intended **ONLY** for "homeowner" generated debris. Please have debris generated by a contractor disposed of properly by the contractor performing the task.
- Yard waste should **NOT** be placed in your "Roll-Waste" garbage container.
- Yard waste, which is suitable for cutting and stacking, shall be in lengths no greater than 4' in length and no larger than 4" in diameter.
- Leaves, clippings and other yard waste unsuitable for stacking shall be placed in bags for collection.
- Please be aware of the location of your pile. Do not block driveways, ditches or water meter boxes.
- It is our goal to respond to your work request within 2 weeks, depending on current workloads. Your patience is appreciated.
- If you have yard waste to be collected or have a question about our collection program, please contact Town Hall 804-843-4363.



# 2018 REFUSE SCHEDULE & UPDATE



For the Holiday Schedule, please check both The Town of West Point web site at [www.west-point.va.us](http://www.west-point.va.us) and Cox Cable Channel 47 for any updates or changes to the schedule or call The West Point Town Hall at 804-843-3330.

Need another 90-Gallon Trash Cart?  
We Can Hook You Up.  
Call 804-843-4363  
for details.



## VPPSA

Don't forget to utilize your local Convenience Center for Solid Waste Disposal. Convenience Centers are open at the following locations:

Location	Hours	Accepted Materials
King William Transfer Station 57 Recycle Road 769-0395	Wednesday - Monday 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. Closed Tuesdays	Residential Waste, Tires, Oil & Antifreeze, Home Appliances, Auto Batteries, Corrugated Cardboard.
VFW Road Convenience Center 1091 VFW Road 843-4237	Monday - Wednesday, Friday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Tuesday & Thursday	Residential Waste, Oil & Antifreeze, Home Appliances, Auto Batteries.
Landfill Convenience Center 24562 King William Road 769-3963	Monday - Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Thursday & Sunday	Residential Waste, Tires, Home Appliances, Large Loads of Brush.
Epworth Convenience Center 984 Epworth Road 769-4808	Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Closed Monday & Thursday	Residential Waste, Home Appliances.

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