

**RECYCLE COLORADO STATE  
ACCEPTABLE AND UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS FOR RECYCLING**

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**MIXED OFFICE PAPER IS:**

- \*computer paper
- \*white paper: bond, letterhead, typing, copier, index cards
- \*colored paper: pastels only
- \*carbonless paper
- \*envelopes: with or without plastic windows
- \*coated paper: fax, brochures, advertisements
- \*file folders: manila or pastel, no labels
- \*direct mailings: opened and sorted, no adhesives

**MIXED OFFICE PAPER IS NOT:**

- \*non-water soluble adhesives: glues, tapes, pressure-sensitive labels
- \*unbleached paper: cardboard, tablet backings, tan or brown paper or envelopes
- \*newspaper
- \*magazines
- \*phonebooks
- \*wax or plastic-coated paper: paper ream wrappers
- \*brightly colored paper: goldenrod, neons, deep tones
- \*carbon paper
- \*food wrappings
- \*paper towels
- \*trash

(Note: Mixed Office Paper has replaced the collection of White Paper and Colored Paper separately)

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**CARDBOARD IS:**

- \*corrugated boxes with tape
- \*brown paper bags

**CARDBOARD IS NOT:**

- \*wax-coated boxes
  - \*gift boxes
  - \*non-corrugated boxes: cereal boxes, soda and beer boxes
  - \*boxes with plastic or foam attached
  - \*pizza boxes, due to contamination inside the box
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**NEWSPAPER IS:**

- \*standard newsprint: anything that is included in a newspaper (including colored advertisements, coupons, etc.)

**NEWSPAPER IS NOT:**

- \*magazines
- \*junk mail
- \*telephone books
- \*cardboard boxes
- \*brown paper bags
- \*plastic bags

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MIXED CONTAINERS ARE:

- \*aluminum cans, foil, and containers all empty of food and drink
- \*clean green, clear, and brown glass
- \*clean tin cans
- \*#1 and #2 plastics that are not injection molded  
(includes primarily soda bottles and milk bottles)

MIXED CONTAINERS ARE NOT:

- \*lids on jars and bottles
- \*plate glass
- \*drinking glasses
- \*ceramic
- \*porcelain
- \*light bulbs
- \*lead foil from wine bottles
- \*uncleaned glass
- \*#1 and #2 plastics that are injection molded  
(includes butter and yogurt containers)
- \*#3 - #7 plastics
- \*plastic bags

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MAGAZINES ARE:

- \*all glossy-paged magazines that are stapled
- \*all glossy-paged magazines that are glue-bound and no more than    inch thick.

MAGAZINES ARE NOT:

- \*phonebooks
- \*magazines with other paper in them besides glossy paper

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OTHER ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS:

- \*books any thickness
- \*styrofoam peanuts (also available for re-use)
- \*phonebooks
- \*laser printer cartridges
- \*pallets/wood
- \*Fluorescent tubes

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Batteries: Call Batteries Plus: 206-0206

Paint: call Environmental Health Services :491-6746

Call Surplus for the following. 491-8731

Refrigerators

Microwave ovens

Electrical Equipment: computers, monitors, T.V's, ect.

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We also do special pick-ups of material upon request.

THANK YOU FOR RECYCLING!  
FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL 491-0113.