

## RECYCLING



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[www.kenosha.org](http://www.kenosha.org)

262-653-4050

### General Guidelines

- **Recycling is mandatory statewide.** The City of Kenosha is divided geographically into two recycling routes. Check the garbage/recycling/yardwaste calendar on the city's website for the daily collections of Route A or Route B.
- Use **TRANSPARENT BLUE PLASTIC RECYCLING BAGS** for cans, glass and plastic recyclables (coded 1-7). Labels can remain on the containers. Discard lids. Each recycling bag should weigh 40 pounds or less.
- Use **BROWN PAPER BAGS OR A SEPARATE TRANSPARENT BLUE PLASTIC RECYCLING BAG** for newspapers, magazines, catalogs, mixed paper, junk mail and paperboard or tie paper recycling into bundles with string.
- Place recycling at the **curb, away from trees, telephone poles or other obstacles** by 6:30am on the scheduled collection day. Recycling can be put at the curb 12 hours before collection. Tagged bags of recycling must be removed from the curb within 12 hours after the scheduled collection.

### **CARDBOARD BOXES, BARRELS OR PAPER BAGS FILLED WITH TRASH WILL NOT BE COLLECTED.**

- Corrugated cardboard boxes must be emptied, flattened and cut or folded no larger than 3 feet by 3 feet and tied in a bundle with rope, string or twine. Follow the 40 pound weight limit per bundle.
- Trash will not be collected if recyclables are found within the garbage bags or containers. Recyclables will not be collected if any trash items are found in the recycling bag. Violations will be "tagged" with a short explanation of the problem.

Two self-serve recycling drop off sites are available for residential use only. No fees are charged.

#### **VEOLIA RECYCLERS**

5421 46 Street  
6:45 am-3:15 pm  
Monday thru Friday

#### **CITY OF KENOSHA DROP OFF SITE**

1001 50 Street  
Tues. thru Fri. 9:30 am to 5 pm  
Sat. 8 am to 3:30 pm, closed Sun. & Mon. and Holidays

# City of Kenosha Public Works

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### What Items Does the City Collect As Recycling?

| YES   | NO  |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brown or white paper bags  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aerosol cans                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Butter and whipped topping plastic tubs  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aluminum foil or pie pans               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cans – aluminum, steel, tin and bi-metal   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Broken glass                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Catalogs   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carbon paper                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Envelopes  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cooking oil bottles                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> File folders   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drinking glasses                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Glass bottles and jars – brown, green and clear  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Facial or toilet tissue                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Index paper  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Flower pots                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Junk mail  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gift wrapping or tissue paper           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry soap bottles   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hangers                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Magazines  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hardcover books                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Milk and beverage plastic bottles  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laminated paper                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newspapers   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Light bulbs                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Office paper – typing, printer or copy paper   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mirrors                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Bills  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Motor oil bottles                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paperback books  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paint cans                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paperboard – cereal, shoe, gift, beer and soda boxes   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper napkins and plates                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phone books  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Photographs                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shredded paper   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pizza boxes                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soda and water plastic bottles   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic Store bags                      |
| <p><b><i>Not sure if an item is recyclable?</i></b><br/><b><i>Call Department of Public Works at 653-4050</i></b></p> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plastic wrap                            |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pots and pans                           |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scrap aluminum                          |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam                               |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Synthetic paper or heat sensitive paper |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Waxed or coated papers or boxes         |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Windows                                 |