

Single Sort Recycling

Penobscot Residents: Please put your mixed Recyclables into any of the following and set in shed. Thanks! ~~Board of Selectmen~~

- 1) CLEAR plastic garbage bag (not too heavy, please)
- 2) Paper Bag
- 3) Cardboard Box

~Acceptable Recyclables~

Paper - all types of paper, cardboard (flattened) and cartons that are relatively clean and dry. Do **NOT** tie up newspaper or any other paper.

Plastic - all types of ridged plastic containers that are empty, except Styrofoam

Metal - all types of empty cans, foil, pots and pans

~Unacceptable Items~

Glass - Please still put glass in its same place at the Transfer Station.

Plastic wrap, film or bags including all trash, food and grocery bags

Bubble wrap, Styrofoam, tyvek, string or twine.

Paper napkins or towels

All food

All liquids

All batteries, light bulbs or electronics

Clothing, diapers, toys

Hazardous waste including all chemicals, fuels, mercury, paints, thinners, fertilizers, pesticides, needles, sharp objects

Home waste including vinyl siding, window glass, gas or propane containers

(See other side for more details)

~Acceptable Recyclables~

PAPER

cardboard/*all* boxes
newspaper & inserts/junk mail (Do **NOT** tie up)
hard cover books
magazines/catalogs/phone books
paper bags
office paper/window envelopes/ office file folders
paper plates (clean)/pizza boxes
paper shopping bags
empty drink & aseptic containers/ empty milk & juice cartons
gift boxes , cereal boxes
corrugated cardboard
wrapping paper

PLASTIC

all empty containers marked with a #1-7, *except Styrofoam*
water bottles (empty)
detergent bottles (empty)
milk jugs (empty)

METAL

empty tin cans ,empty aerosol cans , empty aluminum cans
foil
pots & pans

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light bulbs
vinyl siding
windows
hypodermic needles or sharp objects
paper napkins or towels
bubble wrap/Styrofoam/Tyvek , string or twine
food/frozen food bags/liquids
toys, diapers, clothing
plastic wrap or film
potato chip, sandwich, or bread bags
gas or propane containers
alkaline or button-cell batteries
plastic trash bags

No Hazardous Waste: fuel, anti-freeze, oil-based paints, paint thinners, stain, fertilizers, pesticides, and other chemicals.

No Universal Waste: mercury in thermostats, fluorescent bulbs, compact fluorescent lights, televisions, computers, and button-cell batteries.