



# Rockville Centre Recycling Guide

January 2019

## ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

### PAPER DAY - GREEN BIN

(PICK UP ON WEDNESDAY)

#### **PAPER:** (unsoiled)

- Clean scrap paper
- Junk mail without plastic window
- Newspapers, magazines, penny savers
- Shredded paper (in clear plastic bag)
- White paper

**Please tie into bundles no more than 12 inches high.**

#### **CARDBOARD:** (unwaxed)

- Corrugated shipping and packing boxes
- Egg cartons
- Gift boxes
- Shipping boxes (Amazon, UPS)
- Shoe boxes

**Please flatten and tie into bundles no longer than 4 feet.**

### RECYCLING - BLUE BIN

(PICK UP ON YOUR DESIGNATED DAY)

#### **BOTTLES/CANS/PLASTICS:**

- Aluminum foil (unsoiled)
- Aluminum pans (unsoiled, disposable)
- Beverage cans (beer, soda)
- Beverage glass bottles (beer, juice, liquor, wine)
- Food cans (tuna, vegetable)
- Food containers (plastics #1 & 2)
- Food glass jars (baby, pickles)
- Plastic beverage containers (plastics #1 & 2 - Gatorade, water bottles with no caps)
- Shampoo and detergent bottles

**Rinse plastic, glass and metal recyclables clean. Please put into your blue recycling bin, and place at the curb on the days indicated by your designated recycling day.**

## UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Aerosols  
Antifreeze containers  
Batteries  
Blow up pools  
Books  
Caps (bottle)  
Cat litter  
Ceramic items  
Chemicals (dry or liquid)  
Christmas lights  
Clothing or rags  
Concrete  
Dishes  
Drinking glasses  
Dry cleaner bags  
Durable cookware/Tupperware  
Electric cords  
Electronics  
Empty paint cans

Flower pots/plant containers  
Food boxes (pizza boxes)  
Garbage or trash  
Garden hoses  
Gasoline containers  
Glass (mirror & window)  
Grass  
Hangers (clothes)  
Household cleaners  
Lawn equipment  
Lights bulbs  
Medical waste/syringes  
Milk/juice/egg cartons (styrofoam)  
Oil cans  
Paint/paint cans  
Paper towels  
Pesticides  
Plastic bags (grocery store bags)

Plastic film  
Plastic toys  
Plastic utensils  
Plastic wrap (cling wrap)  
Plates-plastic, ceramic or glass  
Pool liners/tarps/covers  
Pringles/bread crumb containers  
Propane tanks  
Soiled paper  
Spray cans  
Styrofoam-packing material  
Styrofoam-carry out food containers  
Telephone books  
Tissues  
Wax coated/soiled cardboard  
Waxed paper  
Wood items  
Yard waste

**THANK YOU FOR RECYCLING RESPONSIBLY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS ~ 10 SUNRISE HIGHWAY, ROCKVILLE CENTRE**  
**516-678-9288 ~ [www.rvcny.us](http://www.rvcny.us)**

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# STOP PROGRAM

The Town of Hempstead's Stop Throwing Out Pollutants program holds hazardous waste collections from 8A.M. to 3P.M. once a month in various locations in the Town. Village of Rockville Centre residents may utilize this service by bringing hazardous or toxic household chemicals and products to the collection point for proper disposal at no charge.



For more detailed information, call the Town of Hempstead Department of Sanitation at 378-2200 or visit the S.T.O.P. web page <http://toh.li/sanitation-department/stop-throwing-out-pollutants>.

**ACCEPTED ITEMS:** aerosol cans, ammonia, antifreeze, asbestos, batteries, bleach, chemistry sets, degreasers, disinfectants, drain cleaners, fertilizers, fire extinguishers, flammable liquids, fluorescent light bulbs, kerosene, lacquers, latex/oil-based paints, oven cleaners, paint strippers, paint thinners, paint brush cleaners, pesticides, photo chemicals, pool chemicals, propane tanks, solvents, spot removers, telephone books, thermostats, tires, varnish, waste oil, weed killers, wood polish.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** ammunition, commercial or medical waste, explosives, propane tanks *over* 20 pounds, radioactive or unlabeled materials.

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# ECYCLING PROGRAM

Please bring your electronics to 10 Sunrise Highway from 10 am to 2 pm on the first Saturday of every month.

Assistance will be given for EXTRA LARGE items. Please call (516) 678-9216 to schedule a pickup



## ACCEPTABLE ITEMS:

Computers ~ Computer monitors  
Anything that plugs into a computer  
VCR ~ DVD ~ DVR  
iPAD ~ Electronic readers  
Video Game Systems  
Televisions  
Cable Boxes  
Small Servers  
Any questions?  
Email [ewaste@dec.ny.gov](mailto:ewaste@dec.ny.gov)

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# TRANSFER STATION

The transfer station is open the first and third Saturday of the month from April through November between 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.



The transfer station at 10 Sunrise Highway adjacent to the Public Works building, is open to the public to receive large items of trash, including furniture and appliances. Proof of residency is required.