

Bonnet Shores Fire District

Recycling Information as of Jan. 13, 2023

What should be recycled? Let's look at some of the things that should and should not be recycled:

- **Paper, cardboard, and cartons.** That's it—no other fiber products. No shredded paper, and no napkins, tissues or paper towels.
- **Metal cans, lids, and foil** no other metal. For example, a metal frying pan is not a can, lid, or foil, so it doesn't belong in your bin or cart.
- **Glass bottles and jars** no other glass. For example, a drinking glass is not a bottle or jar, so it doesn't belong in your bin or cart. Containers must be empty at a minimum and rinsed whenever possible. Remove metal tops from glass bottles and jars first and recycle separately.
- **Plastic containers.** For example, a plastic coat hanger is not a container, so it doesn't belong in your bin or cart. Containers must be empty at a minimum and rinsed whenever possible. Place plastic tops back on to containers prior to recycling.

No plastic bags, bags of bags, or recycling inside of bags!

- Recyclables must arrive at the Materials Recycling Facility loose.

If the haulers see a full plastic bag in the recycling container, they aren't going to open it up to see if it is trash or recycling, they will just throw it in trash or not pick it up at all.