**Newton County Recycling**

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Recycling is a way to help reduce ecological footprints and to reuse materials and convert into something new or to use again in the original form or with minimal alteration.

The following are tips for best recycle practice at our Newton County sites:

* Recyclable items placed in containers should **LOOSE – do not place items inside of any plastic bags.**

* Recyclable items should be – **EMPTY \* CLEAN \* DRY**
* Cardboard boxes should be **FLATTENED**
* **NO** construction materials or food
* Refer to list below for **ACCEPTED** and **NON-RECYCABLE** items:

The following items are **ACCEPTED**: **LOOSE not in any kind of plastic bag**.

Paper (staples okay) Corrugated/Smooth-Cardboard/**FLATTENED**

Magazines Ream Wrappers

Newspapers File Folders

Junk Mail Poster Board

Phone Books Frozen Food Boxes

Brochures Cardboard Boxes/**FLATTENED**

Envelopes Milk Cartons

Clear, Green, and Brown Glass Plastics: # 1 – 5 and #7 **(NO #6)**

Jars Water Bottles

Take-Out Containers (clean)

Aluminum Beverage Cans Soda Bottles

Steel Food Cans Milk Jugs

The following items are **NON-RECYCLABLE:**

Aerosol Cans Stickers & Address Labels

Shredded Paper Styrofoam

Aluminum Foil Tissue, Paper Towels, or Napkins

Batteries Mirrors and/or Ceramics

Food Waste Construction Materials

Garbage Bags Plastic Bags (take to a local grocery that collects plastic bags)

For additional information on recycling in Newton County, please contact recycling@newtoncounty.in.gov