

Did you know?

Production of recycled paper uses 80% less water, 65% less energy and produces 95% less air pollution than paper production using raw materials.

Recycling aluminum uses 95% less energy than producing cans from new metal ore.

Glass recycling saves 25 to 32% of the energy used to make new glass and reduces related air pollution by 20% and water pollution by 50%.

Recycling 1 ton of plastic saves 685 gallons of oil.

Curbside Yard/Tree Waste Collection

Yard/Tree Waste – call your hauler for collection service and fee information

Christmas Trees – call your hauler

Residential Recycling & Refuse Haulers

Ace Solid Waste, Inc	763-427-3110
Allied Waste Services.....	952-941-5174
Walter’s Recycling & Refuse, Inc	763-780-8464
Waste Management of MN, Inc	952-890-1100



The future is in our hands.

Recycling in Andover

Curbside recycling is available to all residents living in single family homes, townhouses and condos. Apartment complexes set up recycling services through their garbage hauler.

A recycling drop-off center located at 15200 Tower Dr (near the water tower) is also available to residents.



Thank you for your continued recycling efforts.

Andover households average 815 pounds of recycling every year!

Please review the list of materials that can be recycled and recycle more if you can.

Curbside Collection of Recyclables

Set recyclables at the curb by 7 a.m. on your collection day. Place recycling container at least 4 feet away from garbage can on the other side of driveway. Recycling pickup schedules vary by hauler; call your hauler for your schedule.

Do not put recyclables in plastic bags.

Aluminum Cans

Aluminum Foil – wipe off food debris; call your hauler, not all haulers accept

Glass – food/beverage, bottles & jars; rinse

Paper

mail, office & school papers

magazines & catalogs

newspapers, inserts & phone books

shredded paper in closed paper bags

cardboard boxes – flatten

cereal, cracker, pasta & cake mix boxes

shoe boxes, gift boxes & electronics boxes

boxes from toothpaste, medications & other toiletries

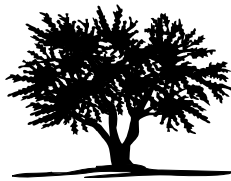
paper towel & toilet paper cores



Food Box Guidelines: Boxes from items meant to go in your cupboard (cereal, etc.) are generally recyclable. Packages for refrigerated and microwaveable products, such as frozen entrees, are usually coated in ways that make them unacceptable for recycling.

Plastic – #1 & #2 bottles & jugs with a neck & a screw-on lid, rise & throw away lid; NO fertilizer, pesticide, chemical or automotive fluid containers

Steel Food Cans – rinse



Recycling Questions

For specific questions on curbside recycling or a missed collection, call your hauler, hold items until your next recycling day, or take them to the recycling center.

For more information on Andover's recycling program, call your recycling coordinator, Cindy DeRuyter, at 763-767-5175.

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Watch for your city newsletter, *Andover Today*.

Andover Recycling Center

15200 Tower Dr

Daylight hours, every day

Place all materials in appropriate containers.

All materials collected curbside, same guidelines, plus:

Aluminum Cans, Aluminum Foil, Steel Food Cans & Plastic Bottles – place together in roll-off container

Acceptable plastic bottles: pop, liquor, milk, juice, detergent, dish soap & hair care products; ***NO other plastic material accepted***

Antifreeze – place in a sealed container in recycling bin by the oil tank

Batteries – automotive; place inside building

Plastic Bags – dry, no food residue; no black bags, rigid or rope handles

Plastic Flower Pots

Scrap Metal – remove all non-metal material

Used Oil – do not pour in when tank is full; take container home for reuse or throw away at home

Used Oil Filters – drained; remove from box before placing in bin

Call 763-323-5730 for disposal options of contaminated or mixed automotive products.

Eyeglasses Drop-off Location

Andover City Hall

1685 Crosstown Blvd NW

Spring and Fall Recycling Days

Andover Recycling Center, Public Works Complex

Call 763-767-5175 for recycling day dates.

All materials accepted at the recycling center, same guidelines, plus:

Appliances – fee

Batteries – automotive

Batteries – rechargeable

Bicycles

Cell Phones

Clothing – clean & in good condition

Computers/Electronics/TVs – fee

Eyeglasses

Fluorescent Bulbs – first 5 bulbs free per household, Andover ID required; fee for additional bulbs. Businesses must have a business ID.

Furniture – usable & in good condition

Household Goods – usable & in good condition

Paper and Documents – to be shredded

Tires – fee