

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.

Residential Recycling & Refuse Haulers

- Ace Solid Waste, Inc 763-427-3110
- Allied Waste Services 952-941-5174
- LePage & Sons 763-757-7100
- Randy's Sanitation, Inc 763-972-3335



The future is in our hands.

Recycling in Nowthen

Curbside recycling is available to residents through their waste hauler. A recycling drop-off center for residents is located at 19800 Nowthen Blvd NW.



Thank you for your continued recycling efforts.

Nowthen households average 570 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 on the same day as garbage pickup. Place recycling cart at least 4 feet away from garbage can.

Call your hauler to obtain a cart. Some haulers commingle recyclable materials. Call your hauler for specific information.

Do not place recyclables in plastic bags.

Aluminum Cans

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; NO fertilizer, pesticide, chemical or automotive fluid containers; rinse & throw away lid

Steel Food Cans – rinse

Recycling Questions

For specific curbside recycling questions 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 Nowthen's recycling program, call 763-441-1347.

Watch for your city newsletter.

Nowthen Recycling Center

19800 Nowthen Blvd NW

Mon – Sat, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., except holidays

Place all materials in appropriate containers.

All materials collected curbside, same guidelines, plus:

Aluminum Foil – wipe off food debris

Antifreeze – NO gasoline, solvents or oil mixed with antifreeze

Appliances – fee

Batteries – bring to city hall; automotive

Computers/Electronics/TVs – fee

Fluorescent Bulbs – bring to city hall; fee

Scrap Metal – remove all non-metal material

Tires – fee

Used Oil – NO gasoline, solvents or water; pour carefully into tank and take container home for reuse

Spring and Fall Recycling Days

Nowthen Recycling Center

Call city hall to confirm recycling day dates.

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

Auto Parts/Small Engines

Drop-off Location

Nowthen City Hall Office

8188 199th Ave NW

Cell Phones

Eyeglasses