

What Belongs in the COMPOST Bin/Cart?

ALL FOOD SCRAPS

- Bread, Pasta & Other Grains
- Dairy Products
- Fruits & Vegetables
- Meat, Bones & Shells
- Pits, Peels & Rinds
- Paper Tea Bags & Tea Leaves
- Coffee Grounds & Paper Filters

FOOD SOILED PAPER & OTHER

- Paper Plates & Cups
- Paper Napkins & Towels
- Pizza Boxes & Waxed Cardboard
- BPI-Certified Compostable Products

ALL YARD TRIMMINGS & UNTREATED WOOD*

*Reuse, donate, or sell wood pallets if in good condition.

- ✓ Use a BPI-Certified compostable bag or other paper materials to keep tidy if needed.
Do not bag items in plastic bags.

Union City Municipal Code Chapter 7.24 requires materials to be sorted into the proper containers.
Container lids must close completely. Do not overload containers.



NO Non-Compostable
Plastics



NO Personal
Hygiene Products



NO Treated
Wood



NO Recyclable
Containers



NO Hazardous Waste
StopWaste.org/HHW



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What Belongs in the RECYCLE Bin/Cart?

RECYCLABLE CONTAINERS

- Glass Bottles & Jars
- Aluminum & Metal Containers & Scraps
- Plastic Containers Labeled -

RECYCLABLE PAPER

- Cardboard & Paper Boxes (Flattened)
- Paper Bags
- Catalogs, Junk Mail, Magazines, Newspaper
- Shredded Paper (Sealed in Paper Bag)

- Keep recyclable materials clean, dry, and empty.
Do not bag items.



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NO Plastic Bags or Containers Labeled -



NO Hoses & Wires



NO Compostable Materials



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What Belongs in the LANDFILL Bin/Cart?

NON-RECYCLABLE PLASTICS

- Plastic Bags & Packaging (Film/Wrap)
- Plastic Utensils & Unlabeled Plastics
- Plastic Containers Labeled -
- Styrofoam® Products

NON-RECYCLABLE PAPER

- Lined Food/Beverage Cartons & Pouches
- Glittery/Metallic Paper
- Photographs

NON-RECYCLABLE GLASS

- Dishware & Ceramics
- Incandescent Light Bulb Only*
- Window Glass & Mirrors

OTHER

- Clothes Hangers**
- Clothing, Shoes & Toys**
- Personal Hygiene Products
- Painted/Stained Wood
- Small Rugs & Mats**



*Visit StopWaste.org/HHW for safe disposal options of other items. **Consider donating if in good condition.

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NO Recyclable Materials



NO Compostable Materials



NO Brick, Dirt, or Concrete



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