



QUICK & EASY RECYCLING GUIDELINES

For McLean County, Bloomington & Normal

METAL



Steel & Aluminum Containers and Foil.
No spray paint cans or pesticide cans.

GLASS



Containers: Bottles & Jars Only

YES!

Clean & Empty

PAPER

Cardboard (flattened), Office Paper, Newspaper, & Magazines



PLASTIC



Containers: Bottles, Tub, Jugs, and Jars Only. Put caps back on.

HELP STOP RECYCLING CONTAMINATION. IF IT IS NOT SHOWN ABOVE AS ACCEPTABLE, THEN IT IS NOT! IF IN DOUBT, THROW IT OUT!



No Plastic Bags
No Plastic Wrap
(return bags clean to retailer)



No Big Items
(Electronics, Wood, Propane Tanks, Scrap Metal or Styrofoam—check with Ecology Action Center for other options)

NO!

No materials in bags*
put in loose



No Tangles (Hangers, Hoses, Wire, Cords, Ropes or Chains)



No Clothing, Textiles or Shoes



No Food, Liquid, Diapers, Batteries or Needles



No Shredded Paper unless bagged (*exception)

These guidelines represent the common items accepted in most recycling programs in Illinois. To learn more, including recycling and reuse programs beyond the bin, visit RecycleBN.org or contact the Ecology Action Center at 309-454-3169.

