

# Rock Rapids Recycling Guide

Recyclable		Not Recyclable	
<b>Mixed Paper</b> Office paper Colored paper Shiny paper Paper cups Envelopes (transparent windows okay) Junk mail Catalogs Newspaper Brown paper bags Magazines Phone books Paperback books Hardcover books (remove covers) Shredded office paper (bag it separately) Paper egg cartons Fiber board (cereal boxes, soda boxes)	<b>Food &amp; Paper Waste</b> Frozen food & juice boxes Dirty paper plates, cups & napkins Food waste (uneaten food) Tissues & toilet paper Paper Towels Wax paper	<b>Plastic</b> Styrofoam & packing peanuts Plastic utensils and plates Disposable baby & adult diapers Garden hose Landscape plastic & tile material PVC pipes Medical supplies and sharps CDs DVDs	<b>Glass</b> No glass will be accepted due to possible contamination of other materials. Dinnerware & glassware or ceramic material CFL & Fluorescent light bulbs (But are accepted at the Northwest IA Area Solid Waste Household Hazardous Material Regional Collection Center by appointment)
<b>Aluminum And metals</b> Aluminum & tin cans Aluminum foil & pans Aerosol spray cans (must be empty)	<b>Textiles</b> Clothing Shoes Pillows & Blankets		
<b>Corrugated Cardboard</b> Corrugated cardboard Pizza boxes (no leftover pizza) Break down and flatten, so more fits in recycling container			

Recycle Collection is the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of each month beginning at 6:00 AM. Keep recycling materials dry.