

WHAT GOES IN THE LANDFILL BIN?

Few things, once they are used, are actually trash. Among such things are non-recyclable plastics and other complex materials that were not designed to be recycled or composted in many commercial facilities.

Accepted Landfill Items

Rubber (*natural & synthetic*)



- ✓ Gloves (*all kinds*)
- ✓ Rubber bands

Plastics (*non-recyclable*)

- ✓ Plastic bags, wrappers, film (*including "compostable" plastics*)
- ✓ Plastic labeled "Compostable" (*utensils, cups, bags, lined paper*)
- ✓ Plastic items mixed w/metal, fabric or rubber
- ✓ Six-pack ring holder (*please cut up*)
- ✓ Styrofoam
- ✓ Stickers & Sticker Backing (*produce stickers, price tag stickers, etc.*)
- ✓ Sponges
- ✓ Dental floss



- ✓ Mylar Bags & Wrappers – shiny metallic plastic (*potato chips, candy bars, balloons, etc.*)
- ✓ Cigarette Butts (*extinguished – run under or soak in water prior to disposal*)

Feces & Sanitary Products

- ✓ Cat litter & animal feces (*bagged*)
- ✓ Diapers & Feminine Hygiene Products

Organics (*that can't go in compost bin*)

- ✓ "Biodegradable" packing peanuts & foam material
- ✓ String (*made of any material*)
- ✓ Wood (*small pieces of plywood, press board, & painted or stained wood*)
- ✓ Textiles (*clothing, linens & rags*)

Miscellaneous Items



- ✓ Ceramic dishware or glassware
- ✓ Waxed Cardboard
- ✓ Twist Ties
- ✓ Pens & pencils
- ✓ Lined paper products (*w/foil and/or plastic*)
- ✓ Plastic items mixed w/metal, fabric or rubber
- ✓ Glass mirrors & windows
- ✓ Incandescent light bulbs (*no fluorescents or HIDs*)

Unaccepted Landfill Items



- 👉 Hazardous Waste (*batteries, fluorescent lamps, HID light bulbs, e-waste & appliances, paint, chemicals, motor oil, cooking oil & grease, etc.*)
- 👉 Recyclables
- 👉 Organics
- 👉 Coat hangers
- 👉 Construction debris
- 👉 Cooking oil and grease
- 👉 Dirt, rocks or stone
- 👉 Large items (*furniture, metal, plastic, wood*)
- 👉 Liquids or ice
- 👉 Needles or syringes (*aka "sharps"*)
- 👉 Toys w/electronics or batteries