



2018

Monroe County Recycler

Recycling and Disposal Options for Monroe County Wisconsin Home Owners

CONTACT YOUR CITY/Township/Village Clerk for Disposal Site and Recycling Info

CITY OF

Tomah.....608-374-7430
Sparta.....608-269-6511

VILLAGE

Cashton.....608-343-1815
Kendall.....608-463-7124
Melvina.....608-633-5508
Norwalk.....608-823-7760
Oakdale.....608-372-2927
Warrens.....608-378-4177
Wilton.....608-435-6666
Wyeville.....608-372-5384

TOWNSHIP

Adrian.....608-633-1868
Angelo.....608-343-1126
Byron.....608-372-6393
Clifton.....608-463-7379
Glendale.....608-463-7696
Grant.....608-378-4196
Greenfield...608-374-3596
Jefferson.....608-606-2357
LaFayette....608-797-6050
LaGrange.....608-372-3875
Leon.....608-366-1698
Lincoln.....608-343-4168
Little Falls...608-272-3797
New Lyme...608-272-3435
Oakdale.....608-372-9624
Portland..... 608-487-3713
Ridgeville... 608-823-7725
Scott.....608-378-4813
Sheldon.....608-823-7400
Sparta.....608-269-4830
Tomah.....608-343-5499
Wellington..608-435-6126
Wells.....608-654-5489
Wilton.....608-372-3599

For your municipality online, go to website:

<http://www.co.monroe.wi.us/communities/>

WHY RECYCLE?

Monroe County is committed to recycling! Recycling benefits our community, our County, and our Country by conserving natural resources, protecting the environment, and reducing the amount of waste that is landfilled. The new way of thinking about our waste footprint is to first of all refuse things such as Styrofoam, plastic straws, plastic water bottles, and plastic grocery sacks, and opting for refillable, reusable food containers and totes. Another suggestion is to rethink the purchase of items such as plastic disposable ready-made cleaning solutions, opting instead to make your own non-toxic cleaning solutions at home, thus disposing and recycling less.

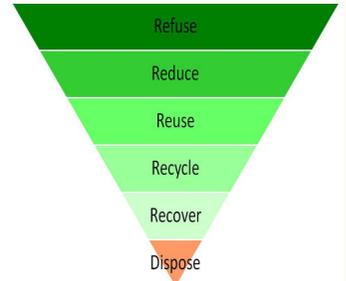
WHERE DOES MY RECYCLING GO?

In Monroe County, recyclables go to a materials recovery facility (MRF) where the glass, plastic, metals, and paper is sorted and prepared for resale. These materials are remanufactured into new products. To provide a convenient service to our Monroe County residents, the differing plastics with symbols, metal, and glass items can be comingled into your recycling container.

MONROE COUNTY RECYCLING EXCELLENCE AWARD

In 2017 Monroe County was given the prestigious RECYCLING EXCELLENCE AWARD. Mr. Jerry Martell, of Modern Disposal Systems (facilities in Tomah and Sparta) was nominated and selected for his decades of innovated and top-notch recycling in conjunction with the Monroe County Solid Waste Department. This could not have been accomplished without YOUR involvement.

Waste Pyramid



RECYCLING DONT'S:

KEEP IT CLEAN!

- ZERO GARBAGE OR FOOD WASTE
- NO PLASTIC SACKS
- NO DISHES
- NO LIGHT BULBS
- NO BATTERIES
- NO STYROFOAM
- NO DIRTY PIZZA BOXES
- REMOVE JAR LIDS & BOTTLE CAPS PLEASE
- RINSE JARS/CANS
- BAG PAPER ITEMS

OUR MATERIAL RECYCLING FACILITY ACCEPTS:



GLASS: Glass jars and bottles, rinse out well and remove lids. NO mirrors, ceramic or glass dishes, window glass, or lightbulbs.



METAL CANS: Tin, and aluminum, rinse out food cans, and aluminum food trays (no aerosols)

Dump all these items together in bin.



MIXED PAPER/CARDBOARD: All mixed, dry, clean paper such as cardboard, newspaper, junk mail, magazines. No shredded bagged paper please. Slide all paper into a paper bag to separate from the bottles jars and cans.



PLASTICS: Numbers 1-5 and 7

No #6 Styrofoam



PLASTIC RESIN CODES

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PETE	HDPE	V	LDPE	PP	PS	OTHER
Polyethylene Terephthalate soda bottles water bottles shampoo bottles mouthwash bottles peanut butter jars	High Density Polyethylene milk, water and juice jugs detergent bottles yogurt and margarine tubs grocery bags	Vinyl clear food packaging shampoo bottles	Low Density Polyethylene bread bags frozen food bags squeezeable bottles (mustard, honey)	Polypropylene ketchup bottles yogurt and margarine tubs	Polystyrene meat trays egg cartons cups and plates	Other ketchup 3 & 5 gallon water bottles some juice bottles

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Go to our website to see how to dispose of film plastics, light-bulbs and more!