


RECYCLING GUIDELINES FOR UNINCORPORATED SARASOTA COUNTY

RED CONTAINER

- Cardboard (**NEW: including flattened pizza boxes**)
- Writing and office paper
- Junk mail
- Envelopes (including envelopes with windows)
- Newspapers (including inserts)
- Magazines, catalogs, phonebooks
- Paperboard (cereal boxes without liners, soda boxes, tissue boxes, etc.)
- Paperback books (no hardback books)
- Brown paper bags
- Shredded paper (place in paper bag, NO plastic bags)

Place food-contaminated paper/cardboard products in the garbage. Remove liner and food from pizza boxes. Flatten cardboard boxes and cut down all cardboard to 2 feet by 3 feet.

BLUE CONTAINER

- Aluminum cans/foil trays
- Steel and tin cans and lids
- Aerosol cans (empty)
- Glass bottles and jars (all colors)
- Metal jar lids
- Drink boxes
- Milk/juice cartons
- **NEW: All plastics with the  symbol numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 and that fit in the recycling bin (NO Styrofoam®/Polystyrene number 6 materials)**
- **No plastic bags, Styrofoam® products, coat hangers, pots, pans, dishes, pane glass or glassware**
- **Lightly rinse all containers**

Need a recycling bin? Call 493-4100!

Please go to www.scgov.net or call 861-5000 for more information or if you have questions!