


Single-Stream Recycling

“Single-stream” recycling means Martin County residents can place all acceptable material together in the same recycling bin. There is no need to separate plastics, glass, aluminum and paper. All materials can be mixed in the yellow and blue bins.

Recyclable Items

Below is a list of acceptable materials for single-stream recycling in Martin County.

Acceptable Materials:

- Aluminum food and beverage containers, soda cans
 - Aseptic packaging (milk & juice cartons)
 - Food wrap, vegetable oil bottles, blister packages, shrink wrap, refrigerated containers, clean food wrap, throwaway utensils and protective packing (Types 3,4,5,6 and 7)
 - Glass food and beverage containers (clear, brown, or green)
 - Milk, water, detergent, shampoo and bleach bottles (Type 2 - HDPE)
 - Plastic bottle caps
 - Soda & water containers with narrow necks (Type 1 - PET)
 - Steel or metal cans
 - Cereal boxes/tissue boxes, soap boxes
 - Corrugated cardboard boxes and containers, paper towel and tissue rolls
 - Junk mail
 - Newspapers and inserts, magazines, catalogs, telephone books
 - Printer and copier paper/shredded paper
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Plastic bags and styrofoam items are not accepted through Martin County's recycling program. Most grocery stores will accept plastic bags and small styrofoam items for recycling.

