



City ordinances provide for **curbside recycling** to all citizens who live in a single to four-plex residence.

This service is provided by your waste hauler who is required to provide recycling as part of basic service and **must accept** the following materials, *at no additional charge*:

- Newspapers



- Glass jars or bottles



- Tin cans



- Aluminum Cans



- HDPE plastic containers (#2)



The Facts About Curbside Recycling

(for citizens who live in a single to four-plex residence)



Please note that some haulers will accept additional items beyond the ones on the accepted list. Feel free to call different haulers in order to find the one that best fits your recycling needs.



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CGTV-Cable Channel 5

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT RECYCLING:
www.ci.champaign.il.us/recycling

or contact the City's
Environmental Sustainability Specialist at:
217.403.4780 or
recycling@ci.champaign.il.us

The City strongly supports **recycling** and encourages all citizens to take part in waste reduction. Citizens may take part by participating in the City's **curbside recycling program**.



FACTS about curbside recycling:

- Residents in single to four-plex housing are **required** to utilize the services of a commercial hauler for their trash.
- There are **9 licensed** commercial haulers that pick up residential trash in Champaign; their names and phone numbers can be found in the yellow pages or on the City's website.
- Residents are required to get their trash picked up **at least once per week by the commercial hauler of their choice**.
- Commercial haulers **must provide curbside collection of recyclables at least once a week** and cannot count materials toward the "per container cost" of service.

*Please note: the curbside recycling program differs from the City's multifamily recycling program, **Feed the Thing**. The multifamily program includes buildings with five or more units. For more information on the multifamily program, please visit: www.feedthething.org.

MORE FACTS about curbside recycling:

- Citizens interested in participating in the curbside recycling program should call their waste hauler for **details**.
- Some waste haulers provide **carts or totes**. Renting or buying a cart or tote from your hauler is optional. Your hauler must provide recycling services whether or not you use their cart or tote.
- If your waste hauler **does not provide carts or totes**, but you wish to participate in the program, we suggest purchasing one at a local retailer for a moderate price.
- Requirements regarding the **separation of materials** vary between haulers, so check with your hauler for details.
- You may wish to check with several haulers to find one that can **best meet your needs for recycling**.

