

The City of Hanover started a curbside recycling program in 1990. The program is partially funded with federal funds, which are distributed by the counties to the cities and townships that offer a recycling program. Curbside recycling is done every other week, on Thursdays. All recyclable materials are to be at the curb by 7:00 a.m.

Two sort collection of recycling has been the backbone of successful recycling programs for the past ten years and is proven to be the cleanest and most economical program available. This allows for the convenience of a commingled recycling system as well as an efficient means to handle these materials. This system will sort Fibers and Containers as follows:

Recyclable Containers
<p>Glass food/beverage bottles and jars Metal food/beverage cans Plastic bottles and jugs Water, soda and juice bottles Milk and juice jugs Ketchup and salad dressing bottles</p> <p>Dishwashing bottles and detergent jugs Shampoo, soap and lotion bottles</p> <p><u>Recycling Preparation Tips:</u> Remove all caps, lids and pumps Give it a quick rinse It's OK to leave the labels on Do not place recyclables in plastic bags</p>

Recyclable Fibers
<p>Mail, office and school papers Magazines and catalogs Newspapers and inserts Phone books Shredded Paper in closed paper bags Cardboard boxes Cereal boxes, cracker boxes, pasta boxes, cake mix boxes Shoe boxes, gift boxes & electronics boxes Boxes from toothpaste, medications and other toiletries</p> <p><u>Recycling Preparation Tips:</u> Place fiber in a brown paper bag or a separate bin; do not place in plastic bags</p>

Non-Recyclable Containers and other Items
<p><i>Drinking glasses, mugs, dishes, cookware, pottery and vases</i> <i>Window & mirror glass</i></p> <p><i>Margarine, cottage cheese, cream cheese, other tubs</i> <i>Yogurt, pudding and fruit cups</i> <i>Microwaveable food trays</i> <i>Produce, deli and take out containers</i> <i>Plastic Wrap</i> <i>Aerosol and paint cans</i> <i>Containers that hold hazardous products, such as paint thinner, automotive fluids, nail polish, hobby paints and yard products such as pesticides</i></p>

Non-Recyclable Fibers
<p><i>Pizza Boxes & Egg Cartons</i> <i>Paper or boxes soiled with food</i> <i>Frozen food, refrigerated food, & Microwave food boxes</i> <i>Milk cartons, juice boxes, take-out boxes, or wax/poly coated boxes</i> <i>Powdered detergent boxes</i> <i>Gift wrap</i> <i>Facial tissue & Bathroom tissue</i> <i>Paper towels, napkins, cups and plates</i></p>

If you have any questions regarding the City's recycling program, please don't hesitate to contact City Hall at 763-497-3777 or Randy's Sanitation at 763-972-3335.