

RECYCLING FOR THE VILLAGE of LA FARGE

Recycling days for the Village of LaFarge are the FIRST and THIRD TUESDAYS of each month. ALL RECYCLABLES must be placed in the YELLOW PLASTIC REUSABLE BINS that are available from the Village Clerk's office for a cost of \$10.00 each. DO NOT place ANY RECYCLABLES except MIXED PAPER in any kind of BAG or BOX. Recyclables in the bins will be picked up at the curbside. The ONLY RECYCLABLES that MAY be placed in the BINS are as follows:

- 1). GLASS BOTTLES and JARS that have the lids removed & rinsed. This includes all types of bottles such as soda, beer, liquor, juice, & food. NO broken bottles. PLASTIC lids and caps MUST GO in the GARBAGE. METAL lids go in the BIN. Drinking glasses, window glass & lightbulbs are NOT recyclable.
- 2). TIN CANS must be rinsed, ends & labels removed and flattened. ROUND BOTTOM CANS should be flattened as best as you can.
- 3). ALUMINUM CANS must be placed in the bin loose. DO NOT put in bags or boxes.
- 4). ALUMINUM FOIL CONTAINERS must be rinsed. ALUMINUM FOIL is NOT acceptable.

GLASS BOTTLES, TIN CANS, ALUMINUM CANS & ALUMINUM FOIL CONTAINERS MAY BE PLACED IN THE BIN UNSORTED AS LONG AS THE ABOVE CONDITIONS ARE FOLLOWED.

- 1). NEWSPAPERS must be BUNDLED and SECURELY TIED. DO NOT put in a BAG or BOX.
- 2). MAGAZINES must be BUNDLED and SECURELY TIED. DO NOT put in a BAG or BOX.
- 3). CORRUGATED CARDBOARD must be flattened and securely tied. No shiny or colored cardboard accepted.
- 4). LOW GRADE MIXED PAPER

ACCEPTABLE MATERIAL

JUNK MAIL: All paper received in the mail including glossy ads and flyers.

OFFICE: White or colored bond paper, computer paper, envelopes, copy paper, adding machine paper, legal pads, telephone books, file folders, tablets and note books, message slips, uncoated fax paper, carbon paper.

BOX BOARD: Cereal boxes, cracker boxes, laundry detergent boxes, cake mix boxes, soda & beer cartons and other similar boxes.

GROCERY: Any brown paper bags

HOW TO PACKAGE MIXED PAPER:

Put the above materials in large brown paper grocery bags (NO PLASTIC BAGS). Please double bag for strength & fold down the top. BAGS MUST BE KEPT DRY. DO NOT put out for collection on RAINY DAYS. These BAGS WILL BE OPENED AT THE TIME OF COLLECTION TO CHECK FOR UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS.

UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS:

Spiral note books - NO wire or steel bindings
Wax coated paper - NO cereal or cake mix box liners
Food wraps - NO wax paper or plastic film wrap
Waxed cardboard - NO meat or fruit boxes
Plastic lined bags - NO dog food, cat food, feed or fertilizer bags
Protective packing - NO plastics, bubble wrap or styrofoam.

- 5). PLASTIC BOTTLES, JUGS and CONTAINERS must be separated into 2 types: PET #1 and HDPE #2, These two types can be identified by these recycling symbols:



PLASTIC JUGS, BOTTLES & CONTAINERS without these symbols CAN NOT be recycled and must go in the regular garbage.

All jugs, including oil, must be rinsed, the CAPS REMOVED and DISCARDED IN THE GARBAGE. The jugs must be separated by type #1 and type #2 and tied securely with string.

Because of the large amount of recyclables that we are now collecting, it is important that they prepared properly for pickup. In the past, as a courtesy, we have been correcting and disposing of unacceptable materials. Because of the increased time and cost WE WILL NO LONGER DO THIS.

ALL UNACCEPTABLE MATERIAL WILL BE LEFT. We will leave a note telling you what is wrong with the material so YOU CAN CORRECT IT IN THE FUTURE.

"REMEMBER"

ALL PLASTICS, CARDBORD, MAGAZINES & NEWSPAPERS MUST BE TIED.
ALL MIXED PAPER IN BROWN PAPER GROCERY BAGS.
LOOSE ITEMS PLACED IN THE BINS.

WE WILL NOT PICKUP ANY RECYLABLES (EXCEPT MIXED PAPER) IN BAGS OR BOXES.

VERNON COUNTY
LOW GRADE MIXED PAPER RECYCLING

ACCEPTABLE MATERIAL

- JUNK MAIL:** All paper received in the mail including glossy adds and flyers
- OFFICE:**
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| White or colored bond paper | Computer paper |
| Envelopes (any size or color) | Copy paper |
| Adding machine paper | Legal pads |
| Telephone books | File folders |
| Tablets & notebooks | Message slips |
| Uncoated fax paper | Carbon paper |
- BOXBOARD:**
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| Cereal boxes | Cracker boxes |
| Laundry detergent boxes | Cake mix boxes |
| Soda & beer carrier cartons | Others |
- GROCERY:** Any brown paper bags

PREPARATION

Put the above mixed paper in large brown paper grocery bags (NO PLASTIC BAGS).. Please double bag for strength (one bag inside another) and fold down top and tie with string. BAGS MUST BE KEPT DRY. Do not put out for collection on rainy days and please do not put bags on wet grass.

THESE BAGS WILL BE EMPTIED AT THE TIME OF COLLECTION TO CHECK FOR UNACCEPTABLE MATERIAL.

UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

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| Spiral notebooks | - No wire or steel bindings |
| Wax coated paper | - No cereal or cake mix box bags or liners |
| Food wraps | - No wax paper or plastic film wraps |
| Waxed cardboard | - No meat or fruit boxes |
| Plastic lined bags | - No dog food, cat food, feed or fertilizer bags |
| Protective packing | - No plastics, bubble wrap or styrofoam |
| Newspaper | - Keep separate - bundle and tie |
| Magazines | - Keep separate - bundle and tie |
| Corrugated cardboard | - Keep separate - flatten, bundle and tie |

NO FOOD WASTE
NO DISPOSABLE DIAPERS

NO HYGIENE/HEALTH ITEMS
NO TISSUE PAPER/PAPER TOWELS

PLEASE DO NOT PUT NEWSPAPERS OR MAGAZINES IN BROWN PAPER BAGS!!!!!!