What Belongs in the **Organics?**

FOOD SCRAPS

Fresh, frozen, cooked, & moldy.

• bread, rice, pasta, cereals, & grains

• coffee grounds & tea leaves

- dairy products
- eaa shells
- fruits & vegetables
- · meat & bones
- nuts & shells
- pits, peels, skins, & rinds



- coffee filters
- newspaper (used to line kitchen pail)
- paper bags
- paper plates & cups (not plastic lined)
- paper take out boxes (not plastic lined)
- paper tea bags
- paper towels & napkins
- pizza boxes
- waxed paper & wax-coated boxes
- wooden chopsticks & utensils

YARD TRIMMINGS

- flowers, grass clippings, & leaves
- small branches less than 6" in diameter

REDUCE FOOD WASTE!

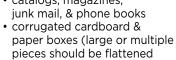
Visit: **Stopfoodwaste.org** for more info.

NO GLASS, METAL, STYROFOAM,® **OR PLASTIC NO ASEPTIC BOXES** (JUICE, SOUP, & SOY MILK) NO DIRT, ROCK, CONCRETE, BRICK, **OR TREATED WOOD** NO LIQUID FAT, OIL, OR GREASE NO PET LITTER OR FECES **NO PALM FRONDS**

THE HANDY KITCHEN PAIL! Line it with newspaper, paper bags, or paper towels to keep it clean. Empty it as needed into your green Organics cart. Simply rinse when done or wash with soapy warm water.







- and/or cut) hard cover books (up to 40 lbs.)
- newspaper (including inserts)
- shredded paper (contained) in a paper bag or box)

GLASS BOTTLES & JARS

• please remove lids & recycle

ALUMINUM & METAL

- aerosol cans (empty)
- food & beverage cans
- paint cans (empty & dry only)
- pots & pans
- scrap metal pieces (up to 30 pounds per item)

PLASTIC CONTAINERS LABELED (1)-(1)

• bottles, jars, tubs, & trays

PROPER SORTING MAKES A DIFFERENCE! **AVOID CONTAMINATION BY KEEPING** ITEMS CLEAN & DRY. PLEASE SCRAPE, WIPE, OR RINSE CONTAINERS. THANK YOU!

NO ORGANICS OR GARBAGE NO PLASTIC BAGS OR FILM PLASTIC NO STYROFOAM® **NO PRESSURIZED TANKS**

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What Belongs in the

Garbage?

NON-RECYCLABLE GLASS

- ceramics & Pvrex®
- incandescent lightbulbs NO FLUORESCENT. CFL or LED
- kitchenware (dishes, bowls, cups)
- mirror, tempered, & window glass

NON-RECYCLABLE PAPER

- dryer sheets
- carbon paper
- laminated items
- metallic/embellished wrapping paper
- paper used for cleaning (not food-soiled)
- photographs
- vacuum bags

PLASTICS NOT MARKED WITH 63-63

- 6-pack rings (please cut)
- plastic cups, plates, & utensils
- plastic film, wrap, & bags
- plastic straws & stir sticks
- records, tapes, & CDs
- shower curtain liners
- snack packaging
- Styrofoam® cups, plates, packaging peanuts, & blocks
- tape (duct, clear, masking)

OTHER

- balloons (latex & mylar)
- clothes hangers (plastic & metal)
- diapers & wipes
- hose
- personal hygiene products
- pet feces & litter (bagged)
- rubber bands
- shoes, clothing, textiles, toys, rugs, & mats (that cannot be donated)
- sponges
- toothpaste tubes
- wood (stained or painted)

NO PAINT, BATTERIES, FLUORESCENT **BULBS. OR OTHER HAZARDOUS WASTE** NO ORGANIC MATERIALS **NO RECYCLABLE MATERIALS** NO DIRT, ROCK, CONCRETE, OR BRICK























DO NOT MERGE

SEPARATE YOUR TRASH





Businesses, institutions, and multi-family homes within Alameda County must sort their Recyclables and Organics from their Garbage.

> Learn more by visiting RecyclingRulesAC.org or calling 510-891-6575.

QUESTIONS REGARDING SERVICE **ISSUES OR INQUIRIES?** Please contact your property manager or owner.

NEED GENERAL PROGRAM INFORMATION? Contact ACI at:

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HAZARDOUS WASTE HAS ITS PLACE.

It is illegal to dispose of hazardous waste in your Organics, Recyclables, and Garbage carts/bins. Please take toxic materials to Alameda County's nearby collection facility. There is no charge.

Visit StopWaste.org/hhw or call 800-606-6606 for location, hours, and more detailed information.

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