



# Recycle Right!

At the Skagit County Transfer & Recycling Sites

## What plastics can I recycle?

In Skagit County, plastic is recyclable if it is bottle or jug shaped (has a neck smaller than its base) or is a dairy tub. All other plastic containers go in the trash.

Most plastic containers have a number inside the recycle symbol at the bottom. This number tells you what type of plastic was used to make the item. All numbers are recyclable in Skagit County, as long as the container is a bottle, jug, or dairy tub.

Remember, plastics containers must be separate from plastic bags and film. If you are unsure if an item is recyclable, please ask the on-site attendant.



**Mixed Plastic Containers**

## Sorting items at the Skagit County Transfer & Recycling Sites

At the Skagit County Recycling and Transfer Sites, each type of recyclable item has its own bin. Be sure to properly separate your recyclables.

**Aluminium**



**Tin Cans**



**Corrugated Cardboard**



**Mixed Paper**



**Glass Bottles and Jars**



**Scrap Metal**





## Recycling Site Locations

- **Skagit County Transfer & Recycling Station**  
14104 Ovenell Road,  
Mount Vernon  
Open every day  
(closed holidays\*)  
8:30 am – 6 pm  
(360) 416-1570  
General waste \$89/ton  
+ refuse tax, (\$10 minimum)  
Recycling free
- **Clear Lake Compactor Site**  
23159 Howey Road, Clear Lake  
M, F, Sat, Sun (closed holidays\*)  
8 am – 6 pm  
(360) 856-5083  
General waste \$89/ton  
+ refuse tax (\$10 minimum)  
Recycling free
- **Sauk Transfer Site**  
50796 State Route 20, Concrete  
Th, F, Sat, Sun (closed holidays\*)  
9 am – 5 pm  
(360) 853-8810  
General waste \$89/ton  
+ refuse tax (\$10 minimum)  
Recycling free

**REUSE**  
**REDUCE**  
**RECYCLE**

## Tips to Prevent Contamination

Make sure your items are recyclable.

Read the signs carefully and ask the on-site attendant if you have any questions. Use this flyer when preparing your recyclables.

Remove all lids and caps from containers. Tin can lids must be attached to the can for recycling. Loose lids go in the trash. Rinse off any remaining food. It's okay to leave labels on.

Put your items in the bins loose - not in bags or boxes.

## The Skagit County Transfer & Recycling Sites DO NOT Accept These Items!

- No items in bags or boxes – all items must be loose in the bins
- No plastic take-out containers or frozen food trays. This includes clear trays, tubs, and clamshell containers that hold take-out food, deli items, and produce
- No lids or caps
- No pizza boxes or food soiled paper
- No plastic bags
- No foam peanuts, or blocks
- No containers that held hazardous waste
- No shredded paper

## Questions?

(360) 416 - 1575  
[www.skagitcounty.net/recycle](http://www.skagitcounty.net/recycle)

