

# RECYCLE Right!

## TIPS FOR CBJ DROP-OFF RECYCLING

(NOT CURBSIDE - CONTACT ALASKA WASTE FOR INFORMATION ON CURBSIDE RECYCLING)

**ALL PAPER & PAPERBOARD** ✓  
(INCLUDING SHREDDED)



✗ **NO OIL OR FOOD STAINED PAPER**

**GREASE-FREE CARDBOARD** ✓



✗ **NO GREASY PIZZA BOXES**

**ALL #1 AND #2 PLASTICS** ✓



✗ **NO #3 TO #7 PLASTICS**

**GLASS JARS & BOTTLES** ✓  
(LIDS REMOVED)



✗ **NO LIGHTBULBS OR MIRRORS**

**ALUMINUM & STEEL CANS** ✓



✗ **NO FOIL, PIE TINS, OR SHEET METAL**



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**TUESDAY-FRIDAY: 7AM-5PM**

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### Juneau's Waste & Recycling in 2023:

Shown below: Total residential & commercial materials thrown in the landfill or diverted through CBJ's drop-off recycling program. Percentages represent the change compared to 2022 totals. Alaska Waste's curbside recycling totals are not included.

Waste landfilled:	44,691,840 lbs	↓	11%
Glass:	374,940 lbs	↓	3%
Steel Cans:	33,320 lbs	↑	19%
Aluminum:	31,400 lbs	—	NO CHANGE
Paper:	577,140 lbs	↑	5%
Cardboard:	902,800 lbs	↓	29%
Plastics:	65,800 lbs	↓	55%



#### Q: Does my recycling actually get recycled?

A: Yes! Everything except for glass is sent to a processing center in Washington. From there, it's sent to paper mills and processors all over the United States.

#### Q: What happens with glass?

A: Glass is crushed and used on-site at the landfill for fill instead of gravel. If it was not used in this way, the landfill would need to import materials.

#### Q: I want to recycle more, what should I do?

A: Focus on cardboard, steel cans, and aluminum cans! These materials are the easiest to recycle. Based on national estimates, we know that there are plenty more of these materials going into the landfill that can be diverted.