COMMON RECYCLING CONTAMINANTS

Don't put these in your recycling bin! Contaminants jeopardize the quality and marketability of recyclables. Extra labor and expense are required to remove contaminants from the recycling stream. When in doubt, check WhatGoesWhere.info if you are unsure what bin an item belongs in.



Food Residue & Liquids: empty & scrape out first.



Bagged Recyclables: Put items in the bin loose (except shredded paper).



Plastic Wrap on Cardboard: Remove & drop-off at a retail take-back bin.



Plastic Bags (bread bags, produce bags, ziplocs) Find a retail store take-back bin.



Coffee Cups & Lids



Tissue & Paper Towels

Chip Bags



Textiles



Garden Hoses



Small Electronics

Recycling is changing. Found out how with the What Goes Where app. Visit **www.WhatGoesWhere.info**

