

# Tips For Recycling

## Please Do:

- Rinse your containers to remove food debris and liquid
- Only put acceptable items into your recycling bins
- Put your bins out for collection the night before
- Place your bins in designated areas for collection
- Leave caps and labels on if it is easier...they are acceptable
- Place shredded paper in paper bags or clear plastic bags only

## Do Not:

- Place plastic bags in your recycle bins
- Put containers or unshredded paper in plastic bags
- Put metal or plastic hangers in recycle bins
- Place soiled recyclables in your bins

## The 3 R's

**R**educe your garbage as much as possible. Buy products with less packaging or packaging that can be recycled. Buy only what you need.

**R**euse items as many times as you can. By reusing items we save the natural resources needed to make them and we save space in our landfills. Donate unwanted items instead of throwing them away.

**R**ecycle all of the items listed on the front of this brochure. Making new things from old products saves our community money, conserves natural resources and reduces pollution of our air, water and soil.