

Supporting Albany's Recycling Efforts

To slow the impacts of climate change, State law SB 1383 requires everyone (including businesses) to sort recycling and green waste correctly. WM and Albany will begin a container monitoring program to ensure all residents and businesses sort correctly and do not over fill their container. More details will be mailed separately.

Sorting right can be simple, just follow these basic rules:



Only Recycle



New blue recycle & dark gray trash carts to be introduced in Albany in the near future.



Plastic Bottles & Jugs



Paper, Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard



NO Food or Liquids



Glass Bottles & Containers



Food & Beverage Cans



NO Plastic Bags, Keep Recyclables Loose



Only Compost



Keep All Green Waste Out of the Trash



Food Scraps



Food-Soiled Paper



Yard Waste



NO Opaque or Loose Plastic Bags in Compost

Search StopWaste's RE:Source guide, Resource.StopWaste.org for more sorting help.



Looking to part with unwanted stuff? For easy options to reuse, repair, recycle or safely dispose of just about anything, search StopWaste's RE:Source guide. Visit resource.stopwaste.org.



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