Your local recycling center will be open soon.

We know you’ve been cleaning and organizing during the pandemic and have LOTS of recyclables. But BEFORE you head to your local recycling center, please READ this.

7 Do's and Don'ts of Resuming Recycling

1. **DO** protect yourself and our volunteers by following COVID-19 guidelines:
   - Please wear a mask.
   - Practice social distancing by staying 6 ft. away from other people.
   - Don’t touch your face and use hand sanitizer or wash your hands as soon as you can after unloading.

2. **DO** go to the center you normally patronize. Please stay within your municipality!

3. **DON’T** overwhelm your recycling center! If you have an enormous amount of recycling, please break it up into 2 or more trips. Our facilities and volunteers can only handle so much at one time.

4. **DO** double-check all recycling guidelines for your recycling facility BEFORE hauling all your recyclables to the site. Some guidelines may have changed due to COVID-19. Check social media, websites or call us! We can help.

5. **DON’T** bring items you cannot unload yourself. Due to new health and safety regulations, staff CANNOT help you unload at this time. So keep your bags and boxes of items light enough for you to carry.

6. **DO** pre-sort your recyclables as much as possible. This will make everyone’s trip safer and more efficient. Flatten/condense bulky materials like cardboard and milk jugs.

7. **DO** be PATIENT:
   - There WILL be lines.
   - Everyone will have big loads of materials and this will take time.
   - This is a difficult time for everybody, including your local recycling center.

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