Mercer County's 2 Bag Recycling System

Bag 1

Paper:

- Newspaper
- Catalogs
- Magazines
- Junk Mail
- Office Paper
- Paper Egg Cartons
- Food Boxes
- Cardboard-Big boxes must be broken down and tied together. Smaller boxes must be broken down and put in recycling bags.

**All paper products must be free from food containments.

Bag 2

Aluminum:

- Cans
- Clean Foil
- Pie Pans

Glass:

- Glass Bottles and Jars

Plastic:

- Milk, Juice, and Water Jugs
- Detergent Containers
- #1 and #2 Plastics

Other:

- Christmas Lights
- Small Appliances (toasters, can openers)
- **Please rinse out all containers and remove all caps.

Non-Recyclable Items

NO STYROFOAM of ANY KIND (including Styrofoam egg cartons)

Paper:

- NO Paper Plates or Paper Cups
- NO Tissues, Napkins, Paper Towels
- NO Messy Pizza Boxes or Wax Coated Boxes
- NO Spiral Notebooks or Hardback Books
- NO Multilayer Bags (dog food bags, etc.)

Glass:

- NO Ceramics or Clay
- NO Light Bulbs, Window Glass or Pyrex

Plastic:

- NO Grocery Bags or Salt Bags
- NO Cellophane or Plastic Wrapping
- NO Disposable Diapers
- NO Plastic Toys
- NO Plastic Containers with #3, 4, 5, 6, or 7
- NO Ribbons or Bows

For hazardous household waste; such as batteries, paint, etc.

Please call Carla at Mercer County Solid Waste: 419-586-3695