# Requirements for Trash & Recycling Receptacles

# ANSI Type B plastic receptacles with suitable handles, wheels, metal bar and tight-fitting covers

ALL trash and recycling MUST be placed INSIDE the specified receptacles. Items that are loose or in non-approved containers will be left at the curb by the contractor. The new receptacles can be purchased at any local hardware store or home center.

**FAQs:** 

#### Where can I buy the ANSI Type B containers?

You can find the receptacles in various sizes at local hardware stores and home centers. Or you can purchase the 96 gallon size from Pineland by calling 609-263-1997.

#### What size receptacle should I get?

It all depends on how much trash and recycling you typically produce. The guide at right illustrates the sizes and how much they hold. Remember, only trash in an approved can will be collected. Anything that doesn't fit will have to be held until bulk trash day or disposed of privately.

#### Will this effect my recycling?

Existing blue Cape May Point recycling containers are already compliant. The contractor will be strictly following recycling regulations and will not empty cans containing prohibited items. Information on acceptable recycling is on the reverse side. If you haven't picked up a blue recycling bin from the Borough, please call 609-884-8468 ext. 10.

#### What should I do with my old cans?

If you can't find a way to reuse them, you can put them out on bulk trash day, either upside down or with a note.

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**Questions?** Contact Borough Hall at 609-884-8468 ext. 10.

Below are the standard sizes available and the number of typical tall kitchen trash bags that fit inside. Dimensions are estimates and vary by brand.









# Cape May County Recycling Requirements

#### PLASTIC BAGS OF ANY KIND ARE NOT RECYCLABLE!

IF PLASTIC BAGS ARE PRESENT, RECYCLING WILL BE LEFT CURBSIDE

# **GLASS**

Bottles, Jars and Jugs Clear, Green, Brown (rinsed and cleaned)



# **PAPER**

Newspaper with Inserts,
Office Paper, Junk Mail
Brown Paper Bags, Magazines,
Paperback Books, Cardboard
CLEAN Pizza Boxes
Dry Food Boxes (with liner bags removed)
Beer and Soda Carriers
Non-Foil Wrapping Paper



### **METAL**

Aluminum, Steel (Tin) Food, Beverage Cans (2 1/2 gallons in size or less, rinsed and clean)



# **PLASTICS**

Plastic Bottles, Jars, Jugs and Containers
Food and Beverage Containers,
Health, Beauty and
Cleaning Product Containers
(2 1/2 gallons in size or less, rinsed and clean)



#### DO NOT RECYCLE

Food, Contaminated Boxes, Sytrofoam Packaging, Polyestene, Egg Cartons, Wax-Coated Cardboard Boxes, Shredded Paper, Window Glass, Beverage Cups, Paint Cans, PVC Pipes, Light Bulbs, Plastic Bags Any items that contain chemical or hazardous products.

Not Sure If It's Trash or Recycling? "Know It Before You Throw It!"
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TURN OVER FOR CAPE MAY POINT TRASH RECEPTACLE