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*Comhairle Cathrach Chorcaí*



Cork City Council

## **Collection of Your Household Dry Recyclables**

### **What can I put in my Recycling Bag?**

#### **Yes:**

- ✓ Clean Mixed Paper, Newspapers & Telephone Directories
- ✓ Magazines and Brochures
- ✓ Clean Cardboard
- ✓ Washed Drink Cans (Aluminium)
- ✓ Washed Food Cans (Steel)
- ✓ Washed Tetrapaks (Milk & Juice Cartons)
- ✓ Washed Plastic Bottles / Containers



#### **No:**

- ✗ Glass
- ✗ Food / Green Waste
- ✗ Wet / Dirty Waste
- ✗ Sanitary Waste
- ✗ Polystyrene
- ✗ Foil
- ✗ Contaminated Food Packaging
- ✗ Aerosols
- ✗ Books



- Only materials mentioned on the YES list may be placed in your recycling bag

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## Tips for using your Recycling Bag

- Only materials mentioned on the yes list should be placed in your Recycling Bag.
- Recycling Bags should be presented for collection by 7.00 a.m. on the morning of collection.
- All materials should be clean, dry and compressed where possible.
- There is no need to separate the different materials using additional bags.
- Please do not overload the bags – 12 kg (26 lbs) max.
- In the interest of Health and Safety Cork City Council is not collecting glass. Please take your glass to your nearest bottlebank.
- Books can be brought to the Book Bank at the Civic Amenity Site at Kinsale Road (subject to admission criteria).
- Bags contaminated by material **NOT** on the **YES** list or material that is wet or dirty will **NOT** be collected.
- A Rejection Sticker will be placed on these bags.
- Rejected bags must be removed by the owner.  
Any such material that is not removed will be treated as litter under the Litter Pollution Act – Offenders will be prosecuted.

### Remember!!!

Your Recycling Bag will be collected every **SECOND** week on the same day as your normal household refuse collection (but by a different vehicle).  
Just place your Recycling Bag beside the Wheel Bin.