Recycle your organics!

Thanks to a Hennepin County grant, the City of Minnetonka is offering a free year of curbside organics recycling to the first 150 new customers in 2019. You must be a first-time organics customer and use Randy's Environmental Services (763-972-3335) or Ark Disposal (763-898-5226) for garbage hauling. Call Public Works (952-988-8414) or contact your garbage hauler directly.

All organics customers can stop by Public Works (11522 Minnetonka Blvd.) to pick up free compostable bags and kitchen counter containers. Supplies are limited.

To learn more about organics recycling, visit eiminnetonka.com/organicsrecycling.

Other Disposal Options
Some items that can’t be recycled, reused or thrown away require special handling. Visit hennepin.us/greendisposalguide to learn more about properly disposing unwanted items.

Recycling Reminders

Storing your carts
• City ordinance requires all carts to be stored out of public view – inside a garage or behind a screened enclosure.

Leave some space
• If there are multiple carts out for pickup, leave at least two feet of space between them.
• Carts cannot be in the street, especially during winter due to snow plowing.

Get it all in the cart
• Items outside your cart will not be collected. Call Republic Services at 952-941-5174 for larger or additional carts.

Recycling drop-off center
• Bring excess items to the city’s recycling drop-off center at Minnetonka Public Works, open 24/7 at 11522 Minnetonka Blvd.
• Place recyclables into the containers and re-use or throw out plastic bags.
• The recycling center does NOT accept large items or non-recyclable materials. Anyone who leaves improper items will be contacted.
RECYCLING GUIDE

Paper
• Includes mail, magazines, newspapers, catalogs, inserts and phone books

Boxes
• Includes cardboard boxes for food, gifts, electronics, toiletries

Cartons
• Includes milk, juice, soup, broth and wine cartons

Glass
• Includes food and beverage bottles and jars

Plastic  Please Clean!
• Food, beverage, soap and detergent bottles
• Yogurt, margarine, produce and other containers
• Packaging, including toys and electronics
• Rigid plastics labeled with recycling number 1-7

Metal and Aluminum Cans  Please Clean!

Visit recyclingsimplified.com to become a better recycler.

DO NOT RECYCLE
Shredded paper, plastic grocery bags, Styrofoam, plastic wrap, inflatable plastic packaging, microwaveable food trays, paper soiled with food, paper plates, paper towels, drinking glasses, dishes, diapers, mirrors, containers that held hazardous products

KEEP IT CLEAN
To keep recycling affordable, it is important to:
• Empty and rinse out all bottles, jugs and containers.
• Put all dirty and non-recyclable items in the trash.

Non-recyclable and contaminated items cost much more to process than if they were initially put in the trash.

RECYCLING SCHEDULE

If your cart was missed or to make changes to your service, contact Republic Services at 952-941-5174.