

## **CITY OF WILLERNIE RECYCLING INFORMATION**

**This information is to inform the residents of Willernie about recycling in the city.**

### **DISPOSAL DIRECTORY –**

**There is a directory to check on items you need to recycle. Check the city and county website for information. WashCoRecycles.com/Disposal (651-275-7475)**

### **FIX-IT CLINIC**

**Instead of tossing items there is a fix-it clinic in Washington County. Check the website for further information – WashCoRecycles.com/Fixit (651-27507475) First come, first serve – LIMIT 3 ITEMS.**

### **TIPS TO RECYCLE RIGHT**

**Put items loose into your home recycling – do not use plastic bags.**

**Rinse all containers. OK to leave caps on.**

**Empty and flatten cardboard boxes.**

**Search the Disposal Directory if you are not sure about an item.**

### **ITEMS ACCEPTED IN YOUR CURBSIDE RECYCLING CART**

**Newspaper and inserts**

**Magazines and catalogs**

**Mail and office papers.**

**Cereal and cracker boxes**

**Cardboard boxes**

**CARTONS**

**Milk and juice cartons.**

**Soup, broth, and wine cartons.**

**Juice boxes**

**GLASS BOTTLES AND JARS**

**Glass food and beverage bottles and jars**

**PLASTIC BOTTLES AND CONTAINERS**

**Containers numbered 1, 2 or 5.**

**Soda, juice and water bottles**

**Milk and juice jugs.**

**Margarine, cottage cheese, cream cheese and other tubs  
and lids**

**Dishwashing and laundry detergent bottles and jugs**

**Clear bottles and produce containers.**

**Yogurt, pudding and fruit cups**

**ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED IN YOUR CURBSIDE RECYCLING CART**

**Batteries**

**Containers that contained paint, used oil, antifreeze and  
other hazardous products.**

**Diapers**

**Dishes, vases and mirrors**

**Electronics**

**Foil pouches, bags, and wrappers.**

**Needles and syringes**

**Paper cups, plastic straws and utensils**

**Personal protective equipment (PPE)**

**Pipes, clothes hangers, pots, pans, and other scrap metal.**

**Plastic bags, bubble wrap, and other plastic film**

**Propane and fuel tanks**

**Ropes, hoses, chains, string lights and other items that may tangle.**

**Shredded paper, wrapping paper, or tissue paper.**

**Do not bag recyclables.**

**There are events throughout the year in the area where you can recycle items, which will be on the city and county website.**

### **FOOD SCRAP PROGRAM IN WASHINGTON COUNTY**

**You may use a compost pile for food scraps on your property or obtain a compost bin from Washington County. Check the county website at [washcorecycles.com/barrels](http://washcorecycles.com/barrels) to purchase compost bins or rain barrels.**

**If you wish to recycle food scraps you can order your free supply of food scrap bags at [foodscrapspickup.com](http://foodscrapspickup.com) (651-661-9393), collect food scraps in the bags and when the bag is full, tie a knot at the top to close the bag and place it inside your trash container for collection. Your trash is collected as usual, and the bags are sorted from the trash and composted.**

### **MEDICINE RECYCLING**

**The medicine can be dropped off at the Mahtomedi Library or Stillwater Law Enforcement Center 15015 62<sup>nd</sup> St. N. Stillwater, MN in the main lobby.**

**The medication is anonymous, so you do not need to remove labels, keep medication in original container, if you don't have the original container – place medication in a small bag.**

**Questions: check**

**[www.co.washington.m.us/meds\(651-275-7475\)](http://www.co.washington.m.us/meds(651-275-7475))**

**ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER – 4039 COTTAGE GROVE DR. - WOODBURY**

**You can always check with the Environmental Center for drop off times and items that are accepted. The website for the Environmental Center is [WashCoRecycles.com/EnviroCenter](http://WashCoRecycles.com/EnviroCenter) (651-275-7475)**

**Hope this helps solve questions on recycling items. Help keep our environment safe.**