

# Trussville Recycle List

## Acceptable and Non-Acceptable Items

### Acceptable Items

- Aluminum, aluminum cans, trays
- Brown or gray fiber packages (soda cartons, dry food packages, shoe boxes, etc.)
- Cardboard - Certain packaging made of light cardboard material and food packaging (which has not come in direct contact with food)
- Catalogs
- Cereal Boxes
- Copy Paper
- Corrugated Cardboard
- File Folders
- Milk or juice cardboard cartons
- Magazines
- Metal Cans - Food cans only. No paint cans or other cans made of metal
- Newspaper and inserts
- Office Paper
- Plastic food, beverage, detergent bottles and jugs labeled with #1- #7 (embossed on the bottom of containers)
- Shredded Paper (No loose shredded paper. Place inside a paper bag & close with tape)
- Telephone books
- Packing boxes
- Junk Mail

Recycle bins should be placed near the curb by 7:00 a.m.

The recyclables collected by Santek are processed at:  
Birmingham Recycling and Recovery  
9 41st St. South  
Birmingham, AL 35222

### Items Not Accepted

- Aerosol cans
- Glass
- No medical waste (This includes syringes and needles. Call 205-923-1650 for instructions on how to dispose of these properly)
- Plastic flower vases
- Styrofoam
- Wire hangers
- Plastic bags

Please rinse containers but there is no need to wash them with soap prior to recycling. Also, please do not put shredded paper inside the bins unless it has been placed inside a paper bag and closed with tape. If not, the shredded paper will blow all over the recycle center when unloaded. Remember, plastic bags are not accepted. They can get tangled in the machinery causing damage.