



# Derby Recycling and Waste Disposal Guide

3427 US route 5. Saturdays, 8:00am—1:00pm & Wednesdays, 3:00pm — 7:00pm

 <b>SORT ITEMS</b> 	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>MIXED PAPER</u></b></p> <p>Newspapers, catalogs, telephone books, glossy inserts, paperback books, colored &amp; white paper, wrapping paper and junk mail. Any color or type of paper except:</p> <p><b><i>NO brown Kraft bags, boxboard, coffee cups, ice cream cartons, or metallic wrapping paper.</i></b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>CORRUGATED CARDBOARD, BOXBOARD, &amp; BROWN KRAFT BAGS</u></b></p> <p>All Cardboard and Boxboard food packaging. Remove excess tape. Staples are OK.</p> <p><b><i>NO wax-coated cardboard, cardboard soiled with food waste, coffee cups, ice cream cartons, or Styrofoam.</i></b> *BOXES MUST BE FLATTENED*</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>TIN CANS</u></b></p> <p>Labels are OK. Flattening not required. Separate from aluminum cans. Tin is magnetic.</p> <p><b>*MUST BE RINSED*</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>ALUMINUM CANS, FOIL AND FOOD TRAYS</u></b></p> <p>Labels OK. Flattening not required.</p> <p><b><i>Snack bags and candy wrappers are trash.</i></b> <b>*MUST BE RINSED*</b></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>GLASS BOTTLES &amp; JARS</u></b></p> <p>*Rinse, Remove Lids (recycle with tin)* <b><i>NO porcelain, Pyrex, windows, crystal, light bulbs, lids, metal or wood.</i></b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>PLASTIC BAGS</u></b></p> <p>Any plastic bag or packaging labelled #2, #4, or #5. Any color accepted. Includes bubble wrap.</p>
<p><b><u>PLASTIC CONTAINERS #1 – #4 &amp; #5 Food Containers</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Max size 2 Gallons / NO BLACK PLASTIC / *MUST BE RINSED*</u></b></p> <p>Includes food containers, cleaner containers. #5 accepted <i>if it's a food container.</i></p> <p><b><i>DISPOSE OF THESE PLASTIC ITEMS IN THE TRASH: Any black plastic, Screw-top caps, automotive fluid bottles, pesticide bottles, vinyl siding, toys, CD cases, VHS tapes, Styrofoam, syringes, or medical devices.</i></b></p>	
<p><b>NO...</b></p> <p><b><u>DIRTY OR UNRINSED ITEMS</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Black Plastic containers</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Plastic Containers larger than 2 Gallons</u></b></p>	



## **ADDITIONAL ACCEPTED MATERIALS**

**FOOD SCRAPS:** All food scraps, including meat, bones, dairy. Please remove PLU stickers. No plastics, metals, paper.

**SPECIAL WASTES:** Oil, Oil Filters, Automotive Batteries, Rechargeable batteries, Alkaline batteries, Hard and Soft cover books, 1# Propane Tanks, Aerosols, Cellular Phones, Fluorescent Bulbs and Electronics.

**Household Hazardous Waste:**— By appointment in Lyndonville. Monday – Friday, May through the end of September, and special events throughout the District June – September. Call for details.

**HOUSEHOLD TRASH:** Derby Recycling Center does not accept household trash. Derby Residents can contract with private haulers for curbside collection services. Check out our list of Licensed Haulers on our website.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS – CONTACT THE NORTHEAST KINGDOM WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT AT (802) 626-3532 or (800) 734-4602. [www.nekwmd.org](http://www.nekwmd.org), e-mail outreach@nekwmd.org



**List of Items NOT ACCEPTED for Recycling**  
Please put the following items in your trash unless otherwise stated

**Unacceptable Plastics Include:**

- Any **black** plastic containers
- Screw-top Caps
- Motor oil, gas containers
- Pesticide containers
- Styrofoam of any kind
- Planting pots and trays
- Plastic furniture
- Plastic Toys
- Coffee Makers
- Coat hangers
- Vinyl Siding
- Maple Tubing
- CDs, DVDs, VHS, and cases
- Water line pipes and plastic tubing of any size
- Hard, rigid plastic** (if it shatters, it's not accepted)

**Unacceptable Plastic Bags and Films**

Any films with food residue

**Unacceptable Aluminum**

- Chip Bags, Snack Wrappers, Pop tart Wrappers
- Aluminum Flashing (recycle with scrap metal)
- Coffee Bags

**Unacceptable Tin**

Recycle these with Scrap Metal

- Frying Pans
- Large Pieces of Metal
- Nails, Screws, Fasteners
- Any tin that is a non-food container

**Unacceptable Cardboard**

- Pringles containers
- Milk and Juice Cartons of any kind
- Ice cream and waxy or plastic frozen food boxes
- Cardboard with metallic interior
- Single-use coffee cups
- Soiled Cardboard
- Waxy Cardboard

**Unacceptable Paper**

- Kraft brown paper bags (recycle with cardboard)
- White or Brown Boxboard (recycle with cardboard)
- Shiny, glossy, or metallic papers
- Paper plates, cups, bowls
- Single-use cups

**Unacceptable Glass**

- Crystal
- Incandescent light bulbs
- Automotive lights
- Pyrex
- Porcelain

**Unacceptable Food Scraps**

- PLU Stickers (sticks on fruits, vegetables)
- “Biodegradable” cutlery, bowls, plates, utensils
- Food utensils
- Plates, bowls, cups
- Plastic bags
- Styrofoam
- Keurig cups

