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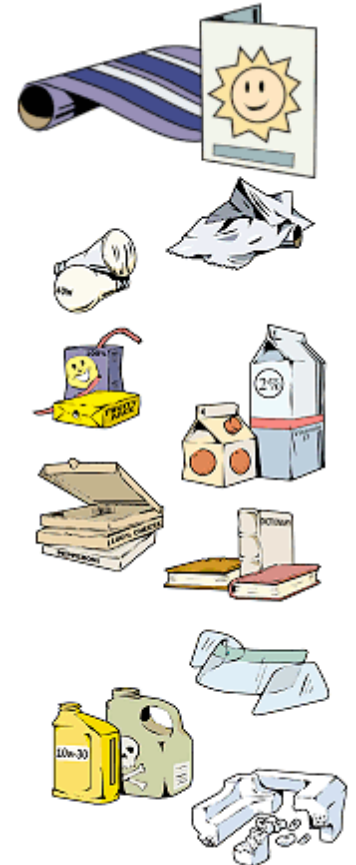
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Do NOT put these in the recycling cart

- Household trash
- Aluminum foil
- Aluminum bakeware - disposable
- Auto glass
- Clothing or bedding
- Compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs)*
- Drink boxes and straws
- Electronics**
- Food scraps or items that contain food
- Fluorescent light bulbs*
- Garden hoses
- Gift wrap and greeting cards
- Hangers (plastic or metal)
- Hard cover books
- Light bulbs
- Medical waste (including syringes, lancets, IV bags, IV tubing and medications)
- Paper milk and juice cartons
- Paper that is designed to hold moist food, including pizza boxes, some frozen food containers, waxed drinking cups, etc.
- **Plastic containers that held hazardous materials** such as gasoline, motor oil, paint, pesticide or weed killer. Throw *empty* containers in the trash. Dispose of leftover household chemicals for free at the Environmental Collection Center, 6400 Bridge St. Call 817-871-5257 for hours of operation, directions and a complete list of materials accepted or visit www.fortworthgov.org/dem/eccpg.htm
- Plastic bags including grocery sacks, dry cleaning bags, newspaper sleeves, etc.***
- Toys
- Shredded paper in plastic bags (place in garbage cart)
- Styrofoam® (foamed polystyrene) cups, food containers, formed packing, "peanuts", etc.
- Waxed paper and waxed food containers
- Yard trimmings



*Fluorescent light bulbs can be recycled at the [Environmental Collection Center](#).

**Electronics including computers and televisions are accepted at the city's [Drop-Off Stations](#).

*** Check with your local retailer about their plastic bag recycling policies.

For other items, visit Earth911.org



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