YOUR GUIDE TO MANAGING PLASTICS

RECYCLE
Plastics can go in the blue cart if they meet the following requirements:

IS IT... MARKED AS A #1 OR #2

AND... SHAPED LIKE A BOTTLE, JUG, OR JAR
(for example: milk jugs, 2-liter soft drink bottles, detergent jugs, mayonnaise jars, peanut butter jars)

YES? RECYCLE IT!

NO... CRINKLY LIGHTWEIGHT WATER BOTTLES
These water bottles must go in the trash.

HEFTY® ENERGYBAG®
Plastics can go in the orange bag if they meet the following requirements:

IS IT... MARKED AS A #4 - #7

OR... ON THE LIST BELOW*

KITCHEN
Plastic bags
Plastic bottle caps
Plastic dinnerware
Plastic food packaging
Plastic lids
Plastic single-serve cups
Plastic squeeze pouches
Plastic straws
Foam products

*for a detailed list visit curbitboise.org

OFFICE / BATHROOM
Bubble/shrink wrap
Air packs/pillows
Plastic envelopes
Toothpaste/lotion tubes
Empty deodorant sticks
Amber-colored Rx bottles

YES? ORANGE BAG IT!

NO... #1 PLASTICS, PAPER, METAL OR CARDBOARD
Check to see if these items can be recycled, otherwise they must go in the trash.

TRASH
All other plastics must go in the trash cart.

INCLUDING...

WATER BOTTLE
(crinkly lightweight)

ANY UNLABELED PLASTIC
(not identified on the EnergyBag® list)

ANY #1 PLASTIC NOT ACCEPTED IN THE RECYCLE CART
(for example, hinged-lid (clamshell) containers)

2 MATERIALS BONDED TOGETHER
(for example, a pet food bag with a paper liner)

EMPTY HAZARDOUS WASTE OR PESTICIDE CONTAINERS

PVC OR #3 VINYL
(shower curtains, PVC pipes, garden hoses, inflatable items, kids toys)

YES? TRASH IT!

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