

Dear Knox Resident:

The City Council of Knox and Waste Management are happy to announce the launch of EVERY-OTHER-WEEK recycling services. We look forward to helping your community remain clean – and green – in 2016 and beyond.

New Recycling Carts

Each residence of the City of Knox is receiving a new 64-gallon green cart with a yellow lid for recycling. Simply combine all of your acceptable recyclable materials in the cart and place it at the curb on Wednesday every other week. Please see the Recycling Collection Calendar on the back of this brochure to determine the Green recycling collection weeks.

Collection Times

Place your recycling cart at the curb no later than 6 a.m. on your collection day. Make sure that the cart is at least three feet from your mailbox, vehicles or other items, and that the handle faces away from the road. After collection, please remove your cart by the end of the day.

Observed Holidays

Waste Management observes the following holidays. When your collection falls on or after one of these holidays, your collection will be delayed one day.

New Year's Day **Memorial Day** **Independence Day**
Labor Day **Thanksgiving Day** **Christmas Day**

Accepted Recyclables

It's important for the City of Knox that we all recycle the right items and divert those materials from the landfill.

Please see the next page to learn what items are acceptable to recycle. To learn more about our Recycle Often. Recycle Right.SM program, or to become a Recycling Ambassador, please visit RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com

Trash Services

Please note that your trash service will continue to be collected weekly on your regularly scheduled collection day. Be sure to have your waste at the curb by 6:00 a.m.

For further information, please contact Waste Management at (800) 796-9696.



THINK GREEN!



When Knox residents use **Recycle Often. Recycle Right.SM**, great things happen. By recycling everyday items like those shown below, tons of raw materials, time, energy and money are saved. Plus the recycled materials become new products - if you recycle an aluminum can today, it could be back on the shelf as a new one in 60 days - and the cycle continues.

- Use your new cart with the yellow lid for your recyclables - no sorting needed.
- Containers that held food should be rinsed free of food debris and liquid.
- Do not put recyclables in plastic bags.
- Recycling will be collected every other week.

Acceptable materials for curbside recycling include:

Always recycle:



Plastic Bottles & Containers



Food & Beverage Cans



Paper



Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard



Food & Beverage Cartons



Glass Bottles & Containers

Do NOT include in your mixed recycling cart:



NO Food Waste
(Compost instead!)



NO Plastic Bags & Film
(Find a recycling site at plasticfilmrecycling.org)



NO Foam Cups & Containers
(Check Earth911.org for options.)



NO Needles
(Keep medical waste out of recycling. Place in safe disposal containers like Waste Management's MedWaste Tracker® box.)

To Learn More Visit:
RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com

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City of Knox 2017 Recycling Collection

Recycling Service weeks are in highlighted in green in the calendar below.

Observed Holidays are in blue. When your service day falls on or follows one of these observed holidays, your service will be delayed by one day for that week only.

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During the holiday weeks of Memorial Day (5/29/17), Labor Day (9/4/17), and Christmas Day (12/25/17) both trash and recycling service will be delayed by one day. For Independence Day (7/4/17) and Thanksgiving (11/23/17), Thursday trash service only will be delayed by one day to Friday. There will be no trash service delay for New Year's Day (1/1/17) since it falls on a Sunday.