

**Wisconsin's Electronics  
Recycling Law  
Bans the landfilling of:**

Computers, laptops, printers, televisions, computer peripherals, fax machines, DVD players, VCRs and other video players (i.e., DVRs), phones with video displays

Go to [www.co.portage.wi.us](http://www.co.portage.wi.us) (Departments - Solid Waste) or call 715-343-6297 for fees or information on where to dispose

- Electronics
- Appliances
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs
- Tires
- Furniture
- Household Hazardous Waste (by appointment only)
- Medications
- Sharps

*Recycling - required in Wisconsin -*

**RECYCLING 1 ton of:**

- Plastic saves 1-2,000 gallons of gas
- Newspaper saves 100 gallons of gas
- Aluminum saves 2,350 gallons of gas
- Paper saves 380 gallons of oil

For your Community's  
Recycling schedule/calendar  
go to:

[www.co.portage.wi.us](http://www.co.portage.wi.us)  
**Solid Waste Department**

**Solid Waste & Recycling  
Scale Office**

**715-343-6297**

You may bring recyclables  
to  
Portage County Solid Waste  
Material Recycling Site  
**650 Moore Road  
Plover, WI 54467  
One Block North of  
HWY B East  
Off of Apache Drive**

Please arrive 1/2 hour before close.  
Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 3:30p.m.  
Saturday: 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.  
(closed holidays)

**Scale office: (715) 343-6297**

# Recycling Guide

**Portage County  
715-343-6297**



# SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING. MIX ALL RECYCLABLES IN ONE CONTAINER

Rinse containers & cans (need not remove labels), combine with paper items, glass & flattened cardboard

**Now Accepted**

## ASEPTIC BOXES &

### PAPER CARTONS:

soup, milk, broth, orange juice, soy milk, etc. Remove caps. Don't remove spouts. Empty, rinse and flatten.



## #3 - #7 PLASTIC

### CONTAINERS:

food, beverage, deli, ice cream, yogurt, cottage cheese, bakery, pill, medicine & kitty litter containers. Empty and rinsed please.



## #3 - #7 PLASTICS:

Flower pots or trays, clear rigid clam shell packaging, 5 gal. pails, small toys.



Must fit into recycling bin.



**NO STYROFOAM!**

## DO NOT put LARGE

#3 - #7 plastics on the curb

DO bring them to the Transfer Facility to recycle for free:

plastic 55-gallon drums (triple rinsed), large plastic furniture (chairs, tables, etc.) & large plastic toys (playhouses, slides, etc.).



## **CONTINUE to Recycle The Following Items:**



**PAPERS:** Office paper, Junk mail, Envelopes (with or without windows), Catalogs, Magazines, Newspapers, Phonebooks, Paperback books, and Paper bags. Flatten all: Paper egg cartons, Containerboard, Cardboard, Rolls & Tubes

**CANS:** Emptied. Aluminum (do not crush), Steel (push partially attached lid into can) deliver all other scrap metal directly to Transfer Station

**PLASTIC:** Emptied and Rinsed. Bottles, Jugs & All Plastics # 1 - 7

**GLASS:** Emptied and Rinsed. Jars and Bottles, (No window glass)

**NO SHARPS**

**NO MOTOR OIL OR LIGHTER FLUID CONTAINERS**

**BRING** the following items to the Portage County Transfer Facility:  
Some have a fee, others are free. All are recycled!



Sharps, plastic film, shrink wrap or bags (any #); Brown #1 plastic; Plastic straws, plates, silverware; Drink pouches; Frozen food containers; Food; Styrofoam (egg cartons, hot beverage cups, plates, formed packing pieces, or packing peanuts); Foam/Polystyrene; Aluminum foil & baking pans; Metal or plastic liners; Motor oil containers; Light bulbs; Mirrors; Window glass; Ceramics; Clay pots; Tissue products; Paper towels; Soiled paper; Dirty cardboard; CD cases; Vinyl products (siding, etc.).