



## ESCAMBIA COUNTY RECYCLING GUIDELINES

### Escambia County's Drop Off Recycling Program

Many of the materials used everyday in your home can be recycled and reused. Recycling saves landfill space and reduces carbon buildup in the atmosphere.

Escambia County has 17 drop-off sites, with large green containers, where reusable materials may be taken. At these locations, recyclables must be placed in the appropriate section, with one bin for paper products and the other for metal and plastics.

#### What can you recycle?

- ☼ Aluminum cans (soda, beer, juice) and steel (tin) cans (soup, tuna). *NO hangers or appliances.*
- ☼ Glass containers without lids. NO mirrors, porcelain, cookware, ceramics, light bulbs.
- ☼ Plastic containers with numbers #1 – #7 (e.g. milk, juice, laundry detergent, shampoo) *NO unnumbered plastic containers (microwave trays, hangers, plastic bags)*
- ☼ Cardboard (flattened and dry)
- ☼ Mixed paper (newspapers, magazines, junk mail, phone books, cereal boxes, toilet paper rolls, soda cartons) *NO waxed or food contaminated containers* (milk or juice cartons)

Rinsing is recommended for sanitary reasons and crushing to save space.

**FYI: most grocery stores are now collecting and recycling plastic shopping bags.**

## Escambia County Drop off Recycling Sites

#### Baars Softball Field

12950 Gulf Beach Highway

#### Cowley Park, Pensacola Beach

911 Via De Luna Drive

#### Escambia County Equestrian Center

7750 Mobile Highway

#### Escambia County Extension Service

3740 Stefani Road

#### Ever'Man Natural Foods Grocery

315 W. Garden Street (rear parking lot)

#### Ferry Pass Fire Station

2331 E. Johnson Avenue

#### John R. Jones Athletic Park

555 E. Nine Mile Road

#### Malcolm Younge Center

925 E. Jackson Street

#### Myrtle Grove Community Club Ballfields

99 N. 61st Avenue

#### Ninth Avenue Fire Station

6550 N. 9th Avenue

#### Oak Grove Citizen's Convenience Center

745 N. Highway 99

#### Pensacola Beach

Ft. Pickens Park Gate (North Parking Lot)

#### Perdido Landfill

13009 Beulah Road, Cantonment

#### Pleasant Grove Fire Department

9350 Gulf Beach Highway

#### Summit Blvd. Fire Station

2750 Summit Boulevard

#### University of West Florida

John Martin Hall and Parking Lot #10, (under water tower)

#### Warrington Fire Department

20 North Navy Boulevard

## Escambia County Regional Roundup Schedule

Quarterly Regional Roundups offer free and safe disposal of end of life electronics and household hazardous waste. Events are always held on Saturdays from 8:00 AM – 12:00 NOON at the following locations throughout the county:

- Escambia High School
- Bailey Middle School
- Pensacola High School
- Washington High School
- Tate High School

See contact information below for dates.

For large amounts of material or for a business, please call **(850) 937-2160** to make an appointment.

### For more information

Contact Escambia County's Recycling Coordinator at (850) 937-2159. Fax: 850-937-2152 Email to [ddgreen@co.escambia.fl.us](mailto:ddgreen@co.escambia.fl.us) 13009 Beulah Road, Cantonment, FL 32533.

## Emerald Coast Utilities Authority (ECUA)

**Escambia County ECUA customers may recycle yard trash.**

### Yard Trash Pick-up Information

- Yard trash is defined as leaves, pine straw, grass clippings and small pruning.
- Please do not use your ECUA garbage container for yard trash, as this material must be collected separately from household

refuse in compliance with state environmental laws.

- For effective pick-up, yard trash must be containerized in plastic bags or standard garbage containers that do not exceed 32 gallons in size or weigh more than 40 lbs. when full.
- Cut limbs, not exceeding 4 feet in length or 40 lbs. in weight, must be bundled in a pile no larger than 4 feet x 4 feet x 4 feet in size and must be placed within 2 feet of the curb for collection.
- Each week, the ECUA will collect one pile of cuttings and up to 6 (six) bags or containers of yard trash, which must be placed at the curb prior to 5:30 a.m. on your scheduled yard trash collection day.

**Escambia County** is considering some form of curbside recycling, but until a final decision is made please continue to use the drop off recycling bins.

### Commercial Sanitation Services:

Please call our Customer Service Center at 476-0480 for complete details on services and rates.

### Special Services:

Special Services are available for the disposal of bulk items, moving cartons, or for customers who need special assistance. For more information, please contact our Customer Service Center at 476-0480.

### Schedule Changes:

**For Schedule changes due to weather or emergencies, call 476-0480.**



## SANTA ROSA COUNTY RECYCLING GUIDELINES

### Santa Rosa County's Drop Off Recycling Program

#### What can you recycle?

- \* Glass (clear, green or brown bottles or jars)  
*NO plate glass, auto glass or stained glass*
- \* Metal (steel, tin, aluminum) *NO aluminum foil, sheet metal*
- \* Plastic Containers with numbers #1 & #2 only, with neck (soda, water, jugs, etc.) *NO 5 gallon buckets/pails, motor oil containers, plastic bags, styrofoam, commercial water bottles (Culligan, Abita Springs, etc.).*
- \* Mixed Paper (newspapers, magazines, catalogues, junk mail, phone books, cereal boxes, computer paper, soda cartons) *NO waxed or food-contaminated containers (milk or juice cartons or pizza boxes)*
- \* Cardboard (flattened and dry)

### Santa Rosa County Drop off Recycling Sites

#### Tiger Point:

- **Gulf Power Engineering Office**  
(Hwy. 98 at Oriole Beach)
- **Tiger Point Recreation Facility**  
(East of new Wal-Mart)

#### Midway Area:

- **Santa Rosa County South Service Center** (Hwy. 98 East Side of Zoo)
- **New Hope Ministries** (New Hope Rd)
- **The Zoo**

#### Navarre Area:

- **West Navarre Intermediate School**  
(located in bus drop-off area. This container is only accessible during normal school hours)
- **Navarre Beach Water/Sewer Administration Office** (1411 Utility Dr)

#### Milton Area:

- **Six Flags Shopping Center**  
(1 City of Milton containers)
- **Clean Community System** (Park Ave)
- **East Milton Recreation Park**  
(Bobby Brown Rd)
- **Central Landfill** (Central Landfill Dr/Da Lisa Rd at front gate)
- **Whiting Pines** (U.S. Navy Housing, Berryhill Rd) Military Only
- **Santa Rosa Press Gazette**  
(Elva St) - Newspaper Only
- **KOA Campground**  
(Hwy 87 and Interstate 10)

#### Pace Area:

- **Chumuckla Ballpark** (Roy Cook Rd)
- **Five Points Intersection** (Quintette Rd)
- **Simmons Rd** (Across from Gaines Automotive)
- **Gulf Power Sub Station**  
(East Spencerfield Rd at Hwy 90)
- **Sterling Fibers** (parking lot end of Bell Ln)
- **Woodbine Rd**  
(across the street from Pace Water office)

#### Jay & Fidelis:

- **Jay High School** (north parking lot)
- **Scotts Furniture** (north side of Hwy 4)  
Cardboard Only
- **Fidelis Community Center**  
(south side of Fidelis School)

- **Jay Transfer Station**
- **Munson**  
(between Fire Station and Forestry Office)

#### Allentown:

- **Central High School** (south side of school)

**NAS Whiting Field:** the U.S. Navy owns all containers

- **South Field**
- **Supply**
- **Navy Exchange West End** (Cardboard Only)

### For more information

#### Santa Rosa Recycling Department

3880 Central Landfill Drive, Milton, FL 32583

**Hours:** 6:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

**Call:** 939-1512 or 981-7135 Fax Number: 981-7133

**Email:** recycling@santarosa.fl.gov

**League of Women Voters  
of the Pensacola Bay Area  
P.O. Box 2023, Pensacola, FL 32513**

#### ABOUT THE LEAGUE:

The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan political organization that encourages informed and active participation of citizens in government and influences public policy through education and advocacy.

We support issues and legislation, after member study and agreement, but we do not support or oppose political candidates or parties.

Membership is open to all women and men of voting age. Student memberships are also available.

For more information about the League, visit [www.lwvpba.org](http://www.lwvpba.org) or call 458-5806.

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