YES... Put these in your BLUE RECYCLE CART

See other side

All containers must be empty. Rinsing not necessary.



Plastic Containers
Numbered \$\mathcal{Q}\$1-7



Glass Bottles & Jars



Metal Cans, Aluminum Foil, Small Scrap Metal



RethinkWaste Rolls Out New Programs!

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NO... These items CANNOT go in your **BLUE RECYCLE CART**

- Garbage
- Food
- Plastic Bags & **Plastic Film**
- Styrofoam Packaging, Food Containers & **Packing Peanuts**
- Toys
- Ceramics, Glassware, Mirrors, Window Glass & Light Bulbs
- Nursery Plant Containers
 Black Plastic

- Plastic Buckets & Baskets
- **Automotive Parts**
- Small Household **Appliances**
- Wires, Banding, Chains & Cables
- Hand Tools
- Batteries & Cell Phones
- Household Hazardous **Waste & Chemicals**
- Bubble Wrap

CartSMART

YES... Put these in your BLACK GARBAGE CART



Styrofoam Packaging, **Food Containers**, **Packing Peanuts**





Bagged Animal Waste, **Diapers**



Snack Bags, Wrappers, Juice & Soup Boxes, Juice **Pouches**



NO... See other side >

Plastic Bags & Plastic Film, Buckets, Baskets, **Nursery Plant** Containers, **Black Plastic**

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NO... These items **CANNOT** go in your **BLACK GARBAGE CART**

- Recyclable Glass, Cardboard, Metal, Paper & Plastic
- Food Scraps & Food Soiled Paper*
- Yard Trimmings*
- TVs, Computers, Music Players & Other Electronics
- Medicines
- Sharps, Needles, Syringes & Lancets

- **Batteries & Cell Phones**
- Fluorescent Lights,
 Tubes & CFLs
- Liquids
- Motor Oil & Filters
- Sod, Dirt & Rocks
- Concrete, Stones & Bricks
- Household Hazardous Waste & Chemicals

*Place these in your Compost Cart starting, January 3rd.

CartSMART

Carts Have

Arrived!

How to Use Your New Carts NOW until December 31, 2010:

You can begin using your new CartSMART carts immediately on your current collection schedule. Recycling and yard trimmings (except for San Carlos) will continue to be collected every other week until January 3, 2011.

RECYCLE CART: No more sorting! With single-stream recycling, you can mix your newspaper, junk mail, cardboard and other paper products with your plastic, metal and glass containers.

COMPOST CART: Use your new green Compost Cart the same way as you have been using your current green Yard Trimmings* Cart by placing only materials that come from your yard. (No change for San Carlos residents. Continue to put food scraps in with your yard trimmings for weekly collection.)

GARBAGE CART: Basically anything that doesn't go in the Recycle or Compost Cart will go in this cart now instead of your old garbage can.

*Hillsborough residents will continue to use their existing green Yard Trimmings Carts, and only receive new Recycle and Garbage Carts.

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Beyond the Cart

In addition to what's accepted in your new carts, we are continuing other recycling programs and services. These include curbside used motor oil collection and cell phone and household battery recycling. Bags with batteries and cell phones must now be placed on the lid of your new blue Recycle Cart.

The twice-a-year **Bulky Collection Program** will also continue.

Visit RethinkWaste.org for more information.



Proper Cart Placement for Collection

ALL THREE OF YOUR NEW CARTS must be placed curbside (in the street) with the wheels against the curb and the arrows on the lid pointing toward the street (with the handle facing away from the street), with about 24 inches between each cart. If you live on a street

without a curb, place them roadside. New automated collection trucks will be used to pick up all three carts with a mechanical arm requiring proper placement for collection.



CURB OR ROADSIDE

What to Do

with Your Old Cans, Tubs and Carts

Now that your new carts have arrived, here is what to do with your old Yard Trimmings Cart, recycling tubs and garbage cans. Allied Waste crews will pick up your old Yard Trimmings Carts* (except for those who purchased them directly from Allied Waste and wish to keep them) on your collection day immediately following the delivery of your new carts. Please make sure to set the old green cart out. You can choose to keep your recycling tubs if you like, but if you want them taken away simply place them upside down next to your new carts during a recycling collection week. You can also keep your old garbage cans that you purchased, but if you want them taken away, simply affix one of the "Take Me" stickers that are included on this information ring. You can set out your recycling tubs and garbage cans for Allied Waste to pick up on your collection day through December 31, 2010.

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