RECYCLING GUIDELINES



METAL

Steel & Aluminum Containers and Foil



PAPER

Cardboard (flattened), Office Paper, Newspaper, Magazines



Clean & Empty
LEAVE CAPS & LIDS ON

FOOD & BEVERAGE CARTONS



GLASS Bottles & Jars Only



PLASTIC

Bottles, Tubs, & Jugs Only



No Plastic Bags or Product Wrap (return clean to retailer)



No Tanglers (Hangers, Hoses, Wire, Cords, Ropes or Chains)



No Big Items

(Electronics, Wood, Propane Tanks, Scrap Metal or Styrofoam – For other options, visit swalco.org for our online Where Do I Recycle This Guide)



No Food, Liquid, Diapers, Batteries or Needles



No Clothing Textiles or Shoes

(Visit swalco.org for a list of Clothing & Textile or Reuse-A-Shoe collection drop-off sites)



Do Not Bag Recyclables

To find out more about recycling in Lake County, Illinois, or what you can do with items not accepted in your recycling cart, (including other recycling and reuse programs), visit swalco.org, or contact SWALCO at 847-377-4950.

