



TOWN OF DARIEN SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING GUIDE

All recyclable items should be **empty, rinsed & clean.**

Keep recyclables loose – do **not** box, bag or bundle.

For detailed list, visit www.darienct.gov

	ACCEPTED	NOT ACCEPTED	Effective March 2021
PAPER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cardboard & boxboard Food & beverage cartons Gift wrap (non-metallic) Magazines & newspapers Office paper, envelopes & junk mail Pizza boxes (no liner, no food residue) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gift bags Paper cups (hot & cold) Paper towels, napkins, tissues Shredded paper Take-out food containers Tissue paper 	<p>These guidelines have been developed to reduce problems in processing & to avoid contamination.</p> <p>Materials No Longer Accepted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PLASTIC BAGS, WRAPS & FILM → Recycle clean, dry plastic bags & film packaging at participating stores SHREDDED PAPER → Trash STYROFOAM → Trash TINY, LOOSE ITEMS SMALLER THAN 2" X 2" → Trash
	GLASS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beverage bottles & jars Food bottles & jars 	
METAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aerosol cans (empty; food grade only) Aluminum foil Cans (including lids) Pots & pans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foil tops from food containers (e.g., yogurt) Paint cans Small pieces of scrap metal Spiral wound containers 	<p>For a DETAILED LIST of items Accepted/Not Accepted in single stream, and those which must be taken to the Darien Recycling Center, visit the Public Works page at www.darienct.gov or email recycle@darienct.gov</p> <p>The Darien Recycling Center is open to residents with a valid permit (sticker) Monday-Saturday 7 am - 2:45 pm (Swap Shop MWF 9 am - 1 pm) <i>Swap Shop hours subject to change</i></p> <p>126 Ledge Road</p> <p>Thank you for recycling right!</p> <p> Darien Advisory Committee On Sustainability</p>
PLASTIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plastic bottles (with or without caps attached) Plastic containers, tubs & lids Plastic plates, bowls & utensils Plastic one-use cups (no lids, no straws) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food & snack wrappers Loose bottle caps Plastic bags & packaging Single-use coffee pods Straws Styrofoam (all types) Water filters 	