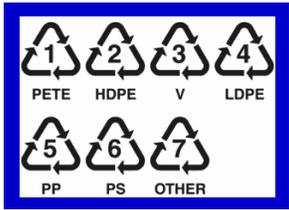




# Zero Waste AVL Recycling Program Overview

### No Sorting Required.

Easier and more convenient recycling. No sorting is required. Please put all your recyclable household glass, metal, plastic, paper and cardboard in the blue roll cart.

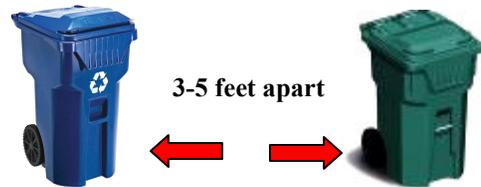


### Additional Materials Collected.

Residents can now recycle additional household materials previously not accepted, including: Plastics #1 through #7, including all dairy cups, plastic lids and caps, and “clamshell” containers; milk and orange juice cartons (“gable top,” refrigerated beverage cartons, with or without plastic spouts); juice and broth boxes (“aseptic,” non-refrigerated beverage cartons, with or without plastic spouts); aluminum food trays and tins, and empty aerosol cans.

### Please Keep Big Blue And Green Roll Carts 3-5 Feet Apart Curbside.

Crews need distance between the roll carts and other objects such as mailboxes, vehicles, utility poles, etc. to be able to load the trucks. Please keep lid closed on blue cart outdoors, and face the opening towards the street.



### Prepare Recyclables:

Please remove caps and lids, lightly rinse food residue from containers, and place both containers and removed lids and caps into blue recycle cart. No need to remove the labels. No need to sanitize containers in the dishwasher.

**Bag the Trash, Not the Recyclables.** Please don't put recyclable containers in plastic bags inside the blue recycle roll cart. The only exception is shredded paper, which can be recycled if placed in a paper or plastic bag. Grocery and retail plastic bags can not be recycled in this curbside program. Plastic bags can be taken back to retailers. Remember to dispose of non-recyclable household trash in bags in your regular green trash roll carts.

**Rollin Rollin Rollin...**No heavy bin to lift, just roll out the new blue cart to the curb by 7:00am on your biweekly recycling collection date. Please remove them by 11:00pm on the same date. Your collection date does not change.



**More Recycling.** A much larger cart provides for the safe and clean collection of a greater volume of recyclables. New 96 Gallon Blue Recycling Cart holds the equivalent of 7 stackable recycling bins.



For a current list of recyclables, please visit:  
[www.ashevillenc.gov/recycling](http://www.ashevillenc.gov/recycling)

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