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WHY DO WE RECYCLE LIKE THAT  
IN NORTH FLORIDA ...

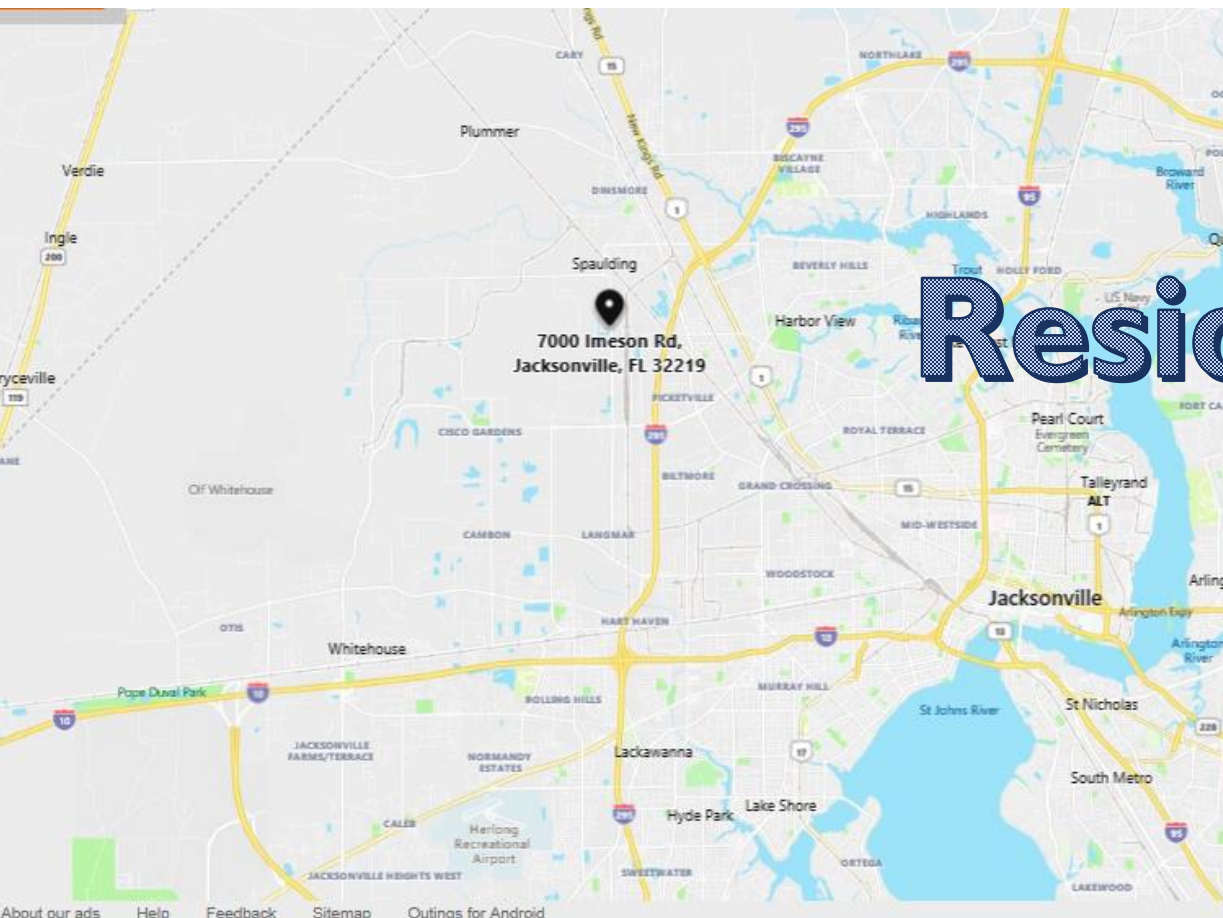
# WHERE DOES YOUR WASTE GO

## TRAIL RIDGE LANDFILL

- North Florida Landfills
  - 1. Trail Ridge Landfill
  - 2. Old Kings Road Landfill
  - 3. Otis Road Landfill



# WHERE DOES RECYCLED MATERIAL GO



**M.R.F** = Material Recycling Facility.

Owned by Republic Services



NOW. WHAT IF YOU ARE A **BUSINESS**



# BUSINESS V. RESIDENTIAL (CURBSIDE)

- Residential curbside pick-up is provided by the city  
(*part of ad valorem taxes*)
- **Business recycling follows a different process**



As a business in NORTH FLORIDA you have 3 options to set up recycling

## 1. [Contact COJ](#)

Must meet “criteria”

small businesses ONLY within certain city limits

Must use waste hauler and only totes are available

Solid waste “fee”

## 2. [Convenience Recycling](#)

Hire a hauler or toter

Solid waste “fee”

## 3. [Do it yourself](#)

# CONVENIENCE RECYCLING

**Call a local hauler or toter = they will come look at your material = and give you a quote**



Bin



Can



Toter



Dumpster



Compactor

**Hauler** means any individual or any employee, private, county, or municipal corporation, firm, board of a metropolitan district, that haul waste under contract, agreement, or as otherwise provided by law, to solid waste disposal sites and facilities.

# CONVENIENCE RECYCLING = WHO COMES TO YOU?

- **Hire a Hauler who does business pick-ups**

- Jacksonville Downtown/Solid Waste Department (*criteria must be met*)
- Republic Services
- Waste Management
- Advanced Disposal
- Waste Pro



**REPUBLIC**  
SERVICES



- **Hire a Toter (small hauler)**

- Conex (condos, apartments & small biz)
- Kelco Recycling
- North Florida Recycling





# WHAT THEY PICK-UP RULES FOR BUSINESSES ONLY

## Front Load Dumpsters

### Single Sort =

OCC, Metal Cans, Plastic Bottles, Mixed  
Paper

Waste Management  
Republic Services  
Advanced Disposal  
Waste Pro





# WHAT THEY PICK-UP RULES FOR BUSINESSES ONLY

## Roll-off Dumpsters

### MUST Separate =

\*Per contract

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Advanced Disposal

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**Kelco Recycling**

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**Conex**



Recycling Basics

# Never bag recyclables



- 1** Know what to throw  
Cardboard, paper, metal cans, plastic bottles and jugs
- 2** Empty, Clean, Dry.  
Keep all recyclables free of food and liquid
- 3** Keep it loose  
Never put recyclables in containers or bags

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## Recycle this

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## Not that

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Recycling Basics

# ONLY place these items in the recycling container



Flattened Cardboard      Paper

Metal Cans      Plastic Bottles & Jugs



## Glass is NOT ACCEPTABLE

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# VIDEO



RECYCLE OFTEN.  
RECYCLE RIGHT.

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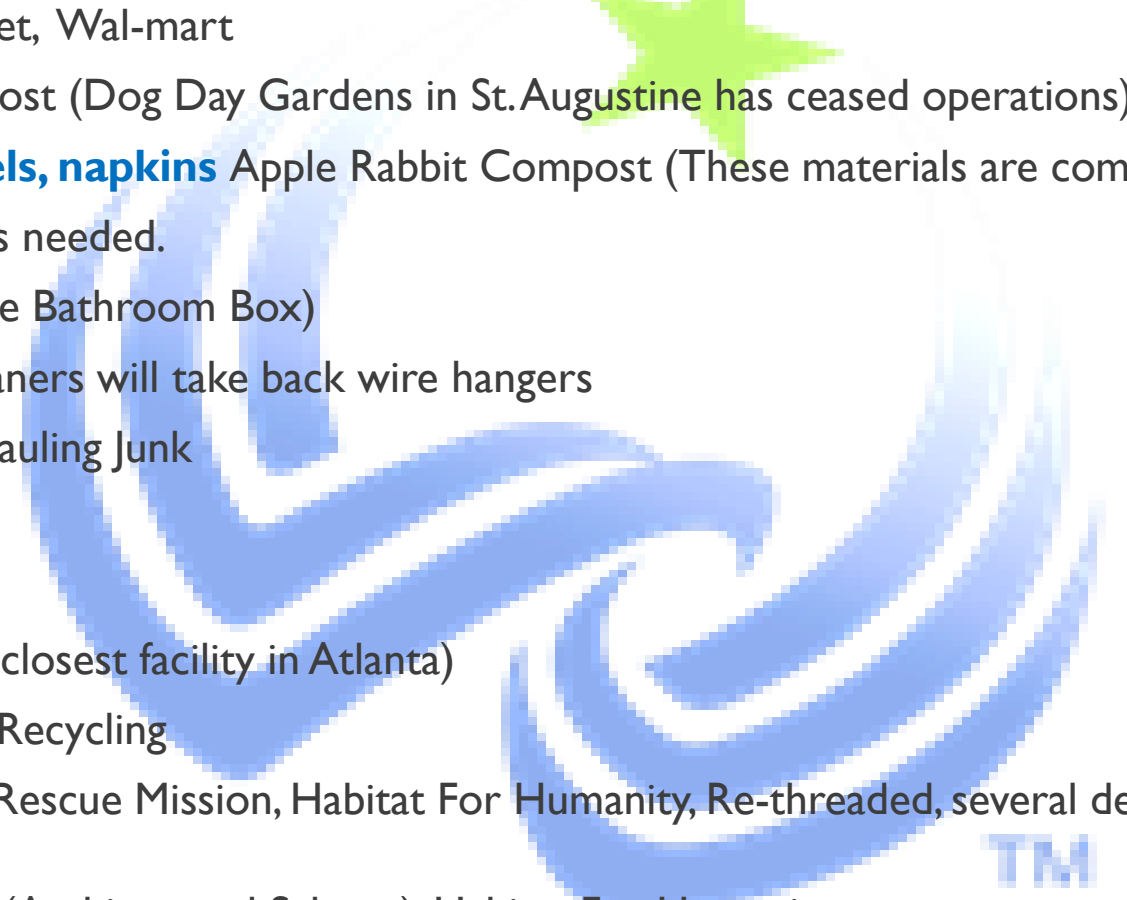
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# NORTH FLORIDA GREEN CHAMBER DATA BASE

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- **Plastic bags or film** Publix, Target, Wal-mart
  - **Food waste** Apple Rabbit Compost (Dog Day Gardens in St. Augustine has ceased operations)
  - **Paper Plates, cups, paper towels, napkins** Apple Rabbit Compost (These materials are compostable, but not recyclable)
  - **Plastic utensils** More Research is needed.
  - **Bathroom waste** Terracycle (The Bathroom Box)
  - **Hangers wires** A lot of Dry Cleaners will take back wire hangers
  - **Appliances** College H.U.N.K.S Hauling Junk
  - **Medical waste** Stericycle
  - **Yard waste** First Coast Mulch
  - **Foam** Publix (who takes it to the closest facility in Atlanta)
  - **Electronics** Urban Mining, Kelco Recycling
  - **Carpet or textile clothes** City Rescue Mission, Habitat For Humanity, Re-threaded, several department stores take unwearable clothes
  - **Construction debris** Eco Relics (Architectural Salvage), Habitat For Humanity

## DO IT YOURSELF

1. Buy a Recycling Bin (*one for each type of material*)
2. Separate material at the office
3. When a bin is full, drive it to a recycling center





# WHERE BUSINESSES TAKE THEIR RECYCLED MATERIAL

- Recycling Centers
  - **WestRock:** (904) 356-7789
  - **Republic Services “Paper-house”** on Market Street: (904) 354-8107
  - **Kelco Recycling:** (904) 254-1968
  - **Gel Recycling Center:** (904) 353-8300
- Other types of material not covered today = Duval Asphalt; Electronics, Multiple Metal Centers, etc.



# DROP OFF “CLEAN & DRY” MATERIAL ONLY

## WestRock



☐ Mostly separated commercial material

☐ Cardboard

☐ Sorted paper

☐ NO PLASTIC

## Republic Services “Paper House” Location ONLY



☐ Cardboard

☐ White paper

☐ Aluminum

☐ Plastic bottles

## Gel



☐ Cardboard

☐ Mixed paper products

☐ Plastic bottles

☐ Aluminum

## Kelco



☐ Cardboard

☐ Sorted office paper

☐ Mixed paper products

☐ Plastic bottles

☐ Aluminum

☐ Electronics



**\*Ask for a NFGCC brochure on where to recycle unique items not listed above**

TERRA CYCLE = [WWW.TERRACYCLE.COM](http://WWW.TERRACYCLE.COM)

## Recycle your cigarette waste!

Every year, billions of cigarette butts end up in dumpsters and landfills, or get tossed as litter on shorelines, parks, and sidewalks across the US. The waste collected through this program is recycled into a variety of industrial products, such as plastic pallets, and any remaining tobacco is recycled as compost.

JOIN PROGRAM FOR FREE

## FREE FREE FREE Program





## Q & A



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