



## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT

# BUSINESS RECYCLING

## Why recycle?

- **State law now requires all businesses that generate 4 or more cubic yards of waste weekly to recycle.**
- Recycling may provide opportunities for your business to save money.
- Recycling helps conserve resources and extends the life of California's landfills. It also helps create a healthy environment for our community and future generations.

## How to get started

It's easy to recycle at your business.

- Make sure your business has arranged for recycling services (see below for more information).
- Use the list on the other side of this flyer to help employees learn what items can be recycled.
- Separate recyclable items from trash inside your business.
- Place your recyclable items in external recycling containers for collection.
- **Note:** Any business or individual may donate, sell and/or otherwise arrange for the pickup of recyclable materials.

## Where to go for more information

Visit

[http://www.inyocountysolidwaste.com/recycle\\_companies.html](http://www.inyocountysolidwaste.com/recycle_companies.html)  
for a list of local recycling and solid waste service providers.

Visit [http://www.inyocountysolidwaste.com/recycle\\_inyo.html](http://www.inyocountysolidwaste.com/recycle_inyo.html)  
for more information from the County of Inyo's  
Integrated Waste Management Program.

For additional general information about recycling and waste reduction, visit the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) at [www.calrecycle.ca.gov](http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov).



# Types of material to recycle



- Clean, dry paper
- Cardboard and chipboard
- Plastic and glass bottles and jars
- Metal and aluminum cans
- Metal containers and empty aerosol cans
- Plastic bags and dry cleaners bags, bundled



# Don't put in recycling bin



- Broken glass
- Contaminated or wet paper
- Plastic hangers
- Rubber tires
- Hazardous waste — paint, batteries, antifreeze, pesticides, cleaning products, appliances, cell phones, TVs, computer monitors
- Do not place rubber tires or hazardous waste in recycling bins. For information on proper disposal or recycling of these materials, visit <http://www.inyocountysolidwaste.com>



Starting a recycling program is easy, good for the environment, and will keep your business or multifamily complex compliant with the new state law. For additional information please contact Inyo County Integrated Waste Management Program at (760) 873-5577 or your local recycling / waste disposal company.