# **Greenwood County Convenience Centers**



## **Other Recycling & Disposal Options**

- CURBSIDE RECYCLING: Please call (864) 942-8754 or (864) 942-8567 for a recycling bin or more information.
- HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE: All Greenwood County Convenience Centers are staffed and accept household garbage.
- DISPOSAL FOR NEEDLES, SHARPS & SYRINGES:
  DO NOT place these items in the recycling bin. Put them in a properly sealed, labeled container (e.g., bleach or detergent bottle) and place it in your household garbage. Visit scdhec.gov/getthepoint for detailed instructions.
- SHRED FOR FREE! Shredding of unwanted papers and documents is provided Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Siloam Church Road Recycling Center.

SILOAM CHURCH ROAD 1119 Siloam Church Rd. at the Landfill

**Convenience Center 1** is open Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

#### BUCKLEVEL 321 Bucklevel Rd., N. Greenwood

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ISLAND FORD 712 Island Ford Rd., Ninety-Six

HIGHWAY 10 3221 McCormick Hwy., Promised Land

**TEDARDS STORE ROAD** 109 Tedards Store Rd. S., Greenwood

**SHIRLEY ROAD** 503 Shirley Rd., Ware Shoals/Hodges

DEADFALL ROAD 1307 Deadfall Rd. W., Greenwood

**Convenience Centers 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7** are open Monday, Thursday and Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Closed Tuesday and Wednesday





**Convenience Centers 8 & 9** are open Monday and Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Closed Tuesday and Thursday

# **Curbside Recycling Q&A**

#### Q. What is single-stream recycling?

- A. All accepted recyclables are collected in a single container. Sorting is done after they are collected.
- **Q.** What is automated collection?
- A. The county uses a truck with a robotic arm that lifts and empties carts.
- Q. What recycling bin can I use?
- A. Only roll carts provided by the county can be used. Contact the county for a cart.
- Q. When are recyclables collected?
- A. They are collected every other week on the same day. View the collection schedule at greenwoodcounty-sc.gov/i-want-to/ view/recycle-calendars.
- Q. How should I prepare my recyclables?
- A. See the other side of this brochure on how to correctly prepare items that go in your curbside roll cart (i.e., aluminum and steel cans, cardboard, chipboard, mixed paper, pasteboard, plastic bottles, jars and jugs).

# **Important Instructions**

- Place the cart on a level surface a few inches away from the curb with the wheels and handle facing your home. Point the arrows on the cart toward the street and close the lid.
- When should I put the cart out? Put it at the curb by 7 a.m. on collection day.
- Do not place carts under low-hanging branches or near parked cars, mail boxes or other objects. Leave at least 3 feet of room around the cart so the robotic arm can lift and empty it.





# What and Where to



# in Greenwood County



# (864) 942-8662 greenwoodcounty-sc.gov

### ITEMS ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING IN GREENWOOD COUNTY • <u>DO NOT</u> BAG RECYCLABLES!

	ITEM(S)	WHAT TYPES OF ITEMS?	HOW TO PREPARE?	WHERE TO RECYCLE?
	ALUMINUM & STEEL CANS	Aluminum beverage and steel "tin" food cans	Rinse. Labels do not need to be removed.	Curbside and All Convenience Centers
	ANTIFREEZE	Engine coolant from automobiles	<b>DO NOT</b> put antifreeze in the used motor oil collection tanks.	Siloam Church Rd. (#1) Convenience Center
	APPLIANCES (WHITE GOODS) & SCRAP METAL	All appliances with metal parts (e.g., stoves, washers and dryers, refrigerators, grills, bicycles)	Enclosed cylinders with valves are accepted. Refrigerators and air conditioners <b>MUST</b> be taken to the landfill.	All Convenience Centers or Landfill
	BATTERIES, LEAD-ACID	Used automotive, marine and lawn mower batteries		All Convenience Centers
	CARDBOARD, CHIPBOARD & PASTEBOARD	Corrugated cardboard (no wax finish) used for packing and shipping, cereal boxes, soda cartons, shoe boxes	Flatten.	Curbside and All Convenience Centers
	COOKING OIL		Accepted from <b>HOUSEHOLDS ONLY</b> . Limit 5 gallons per visit.	Siloam Church Rd. (#1), Bucklevel (#2) and Deadfall Rd. (#7) Convenience Centers
	FARMER OIL	Oil from farm equipment	Limit 55 gallons per visit.	Siloam Church Rd. (#1) Convenience Center
	GASOLINE/OIL MIXTURES			Siloam Church Rd. (#1) Convenience Center
	HOUSEHOLD ELECTRONICS	Computers, monitors, printers, etc. For a complete list, see "Electronics Recycling" on the right.		All Convenience Centers
EXTRAI EXTRAI	NEWSPAPER, MAGAZINES & OTHER PAPER	Dry newspapers, inserts, telephone books, unwanted mail, catalogs, paperback books, gift paper, magazines	Carbon paper or partially burned paper IS NOT ACCEPTED. Covers from hardback books should be removed.	Curbside and All Convenience Centers
	PLASTIC BOTTLES & JARS	Soft drink and plastic bottles marked by a recycling symbol with a number 1-7 (usually found on the bottom), milk jugs, detergent, soap bottles	Rinse and leave plastic caps on. Plastic grocery bags, flower pots and Styrofoam (although they may have a recycling symbol) <b>ARE NOT ACCEPTED</b> .	Curbside and All Convenience Centers
	TIRES		Remove rims.	Siloam Church Rd. (#1) Convenience Center
	USED MOTOR OIL, OIL BOTTLES & OIL FILTERS	Used motor oil, filters and bottles (oil must be free of gasoline or diesel fuel) and other petroleum products	The following petroleum products <b>ARE</b> <b>ACCEPTED</b> and may be put into the used oil collection tank: motor oil, hydraulic fluid, gear oil, diesel fuel, fuel oil, kerosene, automatic transmission fluid and power steering fluid. Limit 5 gallons per visit.	All Convenience Centers



**"Wishful recycling"** occurs when items are put in the recycling bin that you hope will be recycled or you think should be recycled. This leads to contamination in the recycling stream.

**Recycling contamination** occurs when the wrong items are placed in the recycling bin (e.g., garden hose) OR items accepted for recycling are prepared incorrectly (e.g., food/liquid left in containers).

It's important to know what is accepted in Greenwood County. Visit **greenwoodcounty-sc.gov** or **scdhec.gov/recycleheresc** to know where and what to recycle.

## **Electronics Recycling**

It's the law to recycle electronics in South Carolina. S.C. residents may not knowingly place or discard a computer, computer monitor, printer or television in any waste stream that is to be disposed of in a solid waste landfill. Many manufacturers and retailers offer consumer take-back programs.

E-scrap is accepted from HOUSEHOLDS ONLY. For e-scrap recycling options for schools and businesses, call (864) 942-8662.

For information about recycling electronics, visit **scdhec.gov/e-cycle**.

