



ASPEN WASTE SYSTEMS INC.

June 10, 2019

Dear Customer,

We have been notified by recycling processing facilities that contamination policies will now be strictly enforced, including the contamination caused by plastic bags. Significant contamination charges are being applied, as noted in the letter below. Effective July 1st, 2019, contamination charges will be applied to your account if your recycling contains any non-recyclable material, including bagged recyclables.

Sincerely,

Aspen Waste Systems of Minnesota, Inc.



Our mission is to reduce waste today through innovative resource management and to reach a waste-free tomorrow by demonstrating that waste is preventable, not inevitable.

June 7, 2019

Aspen Waste Systems
2951 Weeks Ave SE
Minneapolis MN 55414

Dear Aspen Waste Systems,

Non-recyclables in the recycling, also called "contamination", are a serious issue in our facility. They reduce the quality of the recycling, damage our processing equipment, and cause significant safety risks for our employees. Effective July 1, contaminated loads will be subject to significant contamination fees.

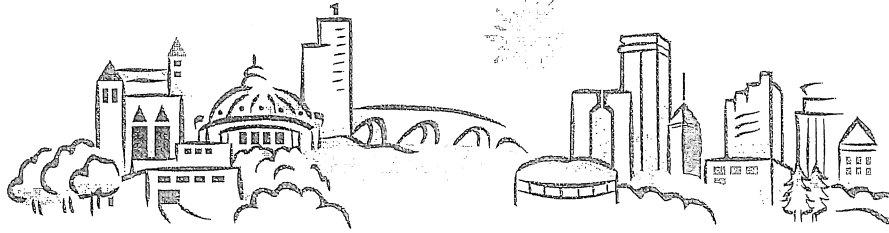
One of the most significant forms of contamination is plastic bags. Plastic bags have never been acceptable; however, we are heightening our enforcement of this policy and are now tracking all loads contaminated with plastic bags. Recyclables in plastic bags are not able to be recycled and therefore are contamination. If we continue to see no reduction in plastic bags or other contamination after multiple warnings, we may reject your material in the future.

We value your business and appreciate your help in reducing the amount of contamination and plastic bags in recycling loads.

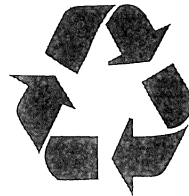
Sincerely,

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VP Operations and Business Intelligence
Eureka Recycling
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Zero-Waste Hotline: 612.NO-WASTE (669.2783)
Waste is preventable, not inevitable.

Aspen. The clean, green way.



Single Sort Recycling Instructions



Plastic

Bottles, containers, tubs and lids (#1-#7)

Containers

Aluminum, steel, tin cans

Beer, wine, liquor bottles

Food jars

Glass jars

Pie tins

Paper

Newspapers and inserts

Mail, office & school paper

Magazines, catalogs

Brown grocery bags

Phone books

Shredded paper

(In closed paper bags)

Cereal, cracker, pasta boxes

Dairy and juice cartons

Pop and beer boxes

Cardboard, flattened

Shoe boxes, gift boxes

Electronics boxes

DO NOT INCLUDE

Auto, mirror or tinted glass

Blueprints, transparencies

Carbon paper

Carpeting

Clothing

Hazardous waste or containers

Crystal glassware

Disposable diapers

Egg carton boxes

Foil containers

Light bulbs

Metal or steel objects such as

nails, wire, hangers or case

strapping

Paper towels, napkins, tissue

Pet-soiled paper

Photos, photographic paper

Plastic bags

Pyrex, heat-resistant ovenware

Rubber-type materials, latex

Self-adhesive labels

Styrofoam

Toys

Wax coated boxes

IMPORTANT...

Rinse food from containers

Break down large items

Cardboard

Flatten cardboard & boxes

Cardboard boxes should be flattened and placed in the container. Please, no trash.
