

THE RECYCLING LOOP

FROM YOUR RECYCLING BIN BACK TO YOU



COLLECTION

Items are taken to recycling facilities



from your curb



at a drop-off center

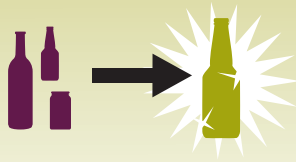


from public
collection events



REPROCESSING

Making NEW stuff
from OLD stuff



BUYING RECYCLED

Purchasing products made
from recycled materials
brings the loop full circle!





WHAT PRODUCTS CAN BE MADE FROM YOUR RECYCLABLES?



PLASTIC BOTTLES & CONTAINERS

Most food and beverage containers and packaging material coded **1-7** can be recycled in Greater Kansas City

- Plastic containers
- Fleece clothing
- Carpet
- Park benches
- Auto parts



ALUMINUM & STEEL CANS

Recycling saves **95%** of the energy it takes to produce a can from virgin materials

- Cans
- Cookware
- Computers
- Wiring
- Bicycles
- Auto and aircraft parts



OFFICE PAPER

- Copy paper
- Greeting cards
- Paper towels, toilet paper, tissues



CARDBOARD & PAPERBOARD

- Cardboard & paperboard
- Fiber boards
- Manufactured wood products
- Cereal boxes
- Paper towels, tissues, printing or writing paper



GLASS BOTTLES & CONTAINERS

Glass food and beverage containers can be recycled at drop-off recycling sites or Ripple Glass bins. However, windows, ceramics or tempered glass **CANNOT** be accepted.

- Glass bottles & containers
- Fiberglass insulation
- Tile



To find out more about what, where and how to recycle or divert waste in your community, visit

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