



RECYCLING IS EASY AT THE PALA TRANSFER STATION

HELP CONSERVE NATURAL RESOURCES

You'd be surprised what you can recycle with our comingled recycling program! You can put all your recyclables in one container.

RECYCLING is one of the best ways to help protect our environment. There are three key factors when thinking about how to recycle:
REDUCE - REUSE - RECYCLE

7 SINGLE-USE SWAPS AND THE TRASH YOU CAN SAVE IN ONE YEAR

4.4 lbs of trash per day x 324 mil people in the US = 700,000 tons of trash made every day in the US

- 1 bamboo tooth brush = 4 plastic tooth brushes
- 1 glass floss container = 7 plastic floss containers
- 1 reusable water bottle = 167 plastic water bottles
- 1 reusable bag = 170 plastic bags
- 1 reusable cup = 500 coffee cups
- 1 metal straw = 540 plastic straws
- 1 cloth towel = 7,300 paper towels

"THE PEOPLE WHO MAKE THE BIGGEST DIFFERENCE ARE THE ONES WHO DO THE LITTLE THINGS CONSISTENTLY."



DO RECYCLE:

- **Mixed Paper & Cardboard**

- Writing paper
- Computer paper
- Newspaper
- Flattened cardboard
- Flattened boxes
- File folders
- Junk Mail
- Magazines
- Shredded paper
- Paper packaging
- Paper bags
- Styrofoam packaging (NO packing peanuts)

- **Recyclable Containers:**

- Aluminum cans
- Glass bottles & jars
- Steel (tin) cans
- All plastic jugs & containers marked 1 through 7 or labeled "CA Redemption Value"
- Cartons



RECYCLING ALTERNATIVES:

**PLASTIC BAGS CAN BE RETURNED TO GROCERY STORES FOR RECYCLING OR BE REUSED
REUSABLE ITEMS LIKE CLOTHES, SHOES, AND FURNITURE CAN BE DONATED
BATTERIES AND LIGHTBULBS CAN BE RECYCLED THROUGH OUR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS
WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAM (VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR DETAILS)**

DO NOT RECYCLE:

- Disposable plates or cups
- Paper towels
- Tissue
- Carbon paper
- Plastic bags (NO plastic grocery bags, newspaper delivery bags, or chip/snack bags)

- Drinking glasses
- Mirrors
- Styrofoam packing peanuts
- Batteries (Place in your HHW bin)
- Light bulbs (Place in your HHW bin)
- Clothing
- Shoes
- Ceramics