



YES!

**Cardboard and Paper
Paperboard, Newspapers
Junk Mail, Magazines
Paperback books
Phonebooks**

Flatten all boxes

NO!

**Paper Towels
Paper Napkins
Greasy Pizza Boxes
Drink Cartons
Juice Boxes
Paper cups
Paper plates
Pet Food Bags**



Recycling Services 606-1823

Education & Tours 606-1827

www.LeonCountyFL.gov/recycling



YES!

**Aluminum and Steel Cans
Plastic Bottles and Jugs
Glass Bottles and Jars**



Rinse. Remove lids. Labels can stay.

NO!

**Yogurt Cups
Butter/Dairy Tubs
Plastic Bags
Plastic Plates or Cups
Styrofoam
Plastic Flower pots
Buckets
Deli or take-out trays
Fruit/produce baskets
Plastic Lids
Beverage boxes
Juice boxes or pouches
Wire hangers
Mirrors
Window Glass
Ceramics
Light Bulbs**



Leon County Solid Waste Management Facility Staff Highlights



Cyndy Brantley is Leon County's Recycling Coordinator. She feels at home with the county working to help our community become the "greenest" place on earth!

Cyndy oversees the recycling education program, electronics and Styrofoam recycling and the collection of the big green recycling bins in the county. Leon County Recycling provides recycling bins to eight unincorporated schools. The schools have collected over 200 tons of paper and cardboard since 2008. Leon County Recycling provides containers to county offices, libraries and rural waste centers. Since 2008, residents and county employees have recycled 1,115 tons of paper and cardboard! They also sent over 546 tons of aluminum and steel cans, plastic bottles and jugs and glass bottles to the recycling center. Way to go, Leon County! Contact Cyndy at 606-1823 or send an e-mail to brantleyc@LeonCountyFL.gov.

Leon County Recycling is happy to have Carole P. Gentry as the Community Education Coordinator. Carole has been with the county since December 2007. She "talks trash" with school groups, homeowner's associations, businesses and scout troops. Informing residents of where our garbage goes and how and what to recycle is important and her lively presentations make learning about garbage fun.



Carole has conducted more than 300 presentations, reaching over 16,000 residents. Seventy-five groups have taken tours of the Solid Waste Management Facility on Apalachee Parkway. If you would like to learn more, call 606-1827. You can send an e-mail to education@LeonCountyFL.gov or gentryc@LeonCountyFL.gov.

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On Sale Now!



Earth Machine Compost Bin \$45.00

System Rain Barrel \$55.00

(tax included)

Come to the Solid Waste Management Facility
at

7550 Apalachee Parkway

Go to the scalehouse to purchase your bin or
barrel. No limit. We accept cash, checks and
credit cards.

606-1823



Thank You, Waste Management!

On April 26, 2010, Keith Harrison, Waste Management Inc.'s District Manager, presented Canopy Oaks Elementary with 40 curbside recycling bins, one for every classroom in the school. He went on to announce 300 more bin donations for every classroom in unincorporated Leon County. With a uniform recycling system in our schools, paper and cardboard recycling efforts will increase.

Teachers were excited to receive the green bins. In May, a teacher commented, "My students won't let me throw any paper away". Another teacher noted that her classroom trash cans were hardly full in May. Good job, Canopy Oaks students!

Leon County Solid Waste is happy to partner with Waste Management, Inc. in a joint effort to "Grow Green". Thank you, WMI for support of our recycling programs.



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