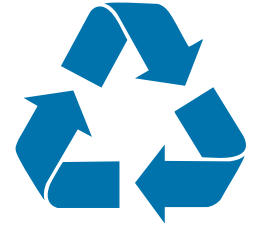


Recycling After a Neighborhood Clean-up



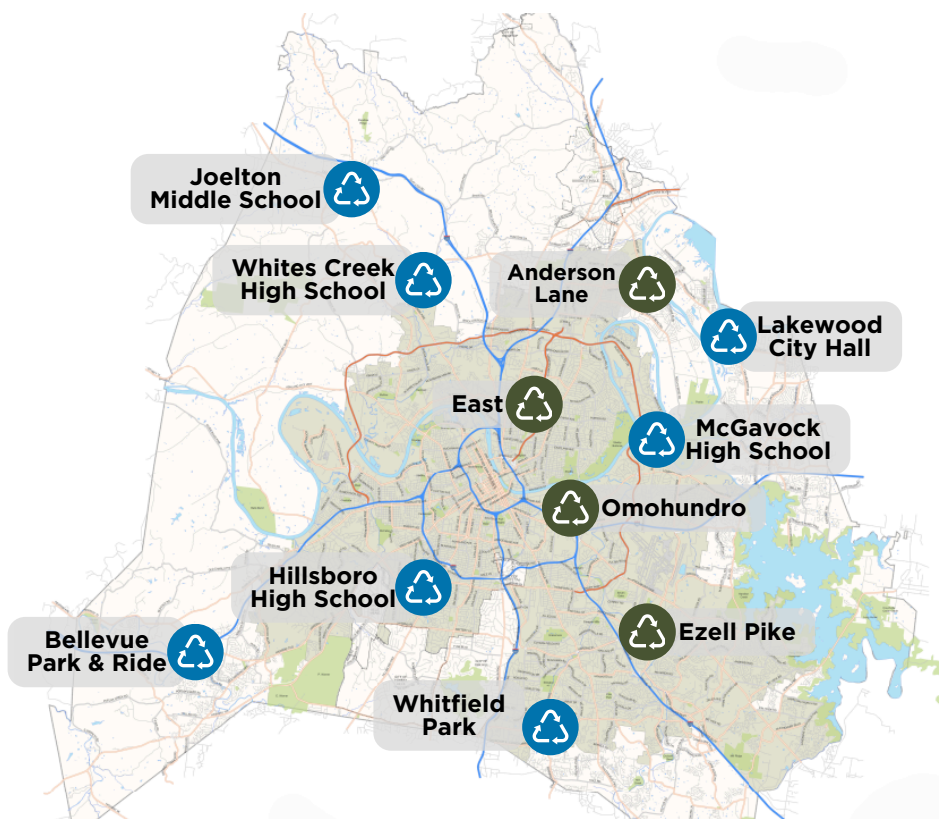
Why Recycle

Recycling keeps valuable materials out of landfills and turns them into new items. By using what we already have, we save energy and cut down on using more of our limited natural resources.

Where to Bring your Collected Recyclables

Option 1: Recycling at a Drop-offs

[Recycling drop-offs and convenience centers](#) are available for all Davidson County residents. You can bring your recyclables to any location at no cost. If you plan to use a convenience center, please note they are open Tuesday-Saturday from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm and remember to bring your Davidson County ID or proof of residency.



Unstaffed

Open 24 hours, 7 days a week

- ★ William Whitfield Park: Open 9 am - 12 pm, Saturday
- ★ Hillsboro High School: Open 8 am - 6 pm, 7 days a week (closes at 5 pm in the winter)



Staffed

Open 8:30 am - 4:30 pm, Tuesday-Saturday

Closed on Metro Nashville holidays | Offers additional services

Recycle Right: Drop-offs

Recycling rules vary slightly between our programs. At drop-off locations, place ONLY these items in the bins. All recycling MUST be sorted into the following four categories and placed in the appropriate bin.



Food &
Drink Cans



Plastic Bottles,
Jars, & Jugs



Paper & Cartons



Cardboard

Glass Bottles & Jars

drop-offs ONLY

Pro tip: As you collect recyclables, sort them into these categories using separate bags. This will save time and prevent extra sorting at the drop-off site.

Option 2: Recycling Curbside

If you're part of our curbside recycling program, you can place mixed recyclables in your green recycling cart. Please note that glass is NOT currently accepted in curbside recycling.



Paper & Cartons



Cardboard



Food & Drink Cans



Plastic Bottles,
Jars & Jugs



Recycle Wrongs

Common Contaminants



no food or liquid



only plastics that are bottles, jars, or jugs



no plastic bags or bagged recyclables

Recycling must be mostly clean

Good to Recycle



Too Dirty



Pro tip: Rinse dirty recyclables before you recycle them. A little residue is okay, but items shouldn't be fully coated in dirt or food.

Additional Resources

- Not sure if something is recyclable? Look it up on the [Nashville Waste Wizard](#).
- Learn more about recycling in Nashville by watching our virtual [Recycle Right Webinar](#).
- If you have any questions, reach out to RecycleRight@Nashville.gov.