**August Social Media Captions – Paper, Food, Recycle Right**

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| **Facebook** |
| August2023-FB-Image1 | Paper is a valuable resource and easy to recycle in most curbside and drop-off programs. Just make sure it’s clean and dry before tossing it in the bin. Be sure to check with your municipality or waste hauler to find out what materials are accepted in your area for recycling. #recycleright #recyclerighttexas #texasrecycles #recycling #sustainableliving  |
| August2023-FB-Image2 | Is it ok to put food in your recycle bin? Nope! Food can ruin recyclable items in the bin, making them unrecyclable. You may be able to compost your leftover food or you may just need to throw it in the garbage bin. Or better yet, try to reduce food waste and buy just what you need and use what you have. #recycleright #recyclerighttexas #texasrecycles #recycling #sustainableliving  |
| August2023-FB-Image3 | Wouldn’t it be great if we could recycle everything in our curbside or drop off programs? Unfortunately, we can’t, and putting items in the recycling bin that aren’t recyclable can ruin other materials in there that are recyclable. For example, toner cartridges and ink can’t be recycled in any municipal programs. But you can recycle both through some retailers like Office Depot or by mail through many manufacturers. #recycleright #recyclerighttexas #texasrecycles #recycling #sustainableliving https://www.officedepot.com/l/services/ink-and-toner-cartridge-recycling |
| August2023-FB-Image4 | Did you know that recycling paper, including junk mail, cardboard boxes, and office paper, saves money and resources? Every ton of paper recycled can save the energy equivalent of 322 gallons of gasoline. Just make sure it’s clean and dry before tossing it in the bin. Be sure to check with your municipality or waste hauler to find out what materials are accepted in your area for recycling. #recycleright #recyclerighttexas #texasrecycles #recycling #sustainableliving |
| August2023-FB-Image5 | Putting items, like food or wet paper, in your recycle bin that can’t be recycled can waste time and money at the recycling center. Only put items you know are recyclable in the bin. Be sure to check with your municipality or waste hauler to find out what materials are accepted in your area for recycling. #recycleright #recyclerighttexas #texasrecycles #recycling #sustainableliving  |

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| Instagram |
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| August2023-IG-Image2 | Can you put food in your recycle bin? Nope! Food can contaminate all of the items in your bin. Dispose of food waste, compost it if you can, or just reduce food waste altogether by buying only what you need and using what you have. #recycleright #recyclerighttexas #texasrecycles #recycling #sustainableliving  |

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| Twitter |
| August2023-TW-Image1 | Paper that is clean and dry can be recycled in most curbside and drop-off programs. Check with your municipality or waste hauler for details on what materials are accepted in your community. #recycling #sustainability #texasrecycles #recyclerighttexas |

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| August2023-TW-Image2 | Food waste should not be placed in the recycle bin for any curbside or drop-off programs. It can contaminate the recyclables in the bin, which wastes time and money. #recycling #sustainability #texasrecycles #recyclerighttexas |