**April 2024 Social Media Captions – Recycle Right Plastic**

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| **Facebook** | |
| April2024-FBImage-1-HDPE | Many different types of plastics can be recycled 🔄. Milk jugs and shampoo bottles (often labeled 2 or HDPE) can get a second life as non-food containers or even synthetic lumber. Just make sure they are clean and dry before you toss them in the recycling bin, and always check with your municipality or waste hauler to find out what’s accepted in your community. #RecycleRight #RecycleRightTexas |
| April2024-FBImage-2-Glasses | 👓🔄 Whether they are out of style or you just don’t want them anymore, your used eyeglasses and sunglasses don’t belong in the recycling bin and they don’t have to go in the trash bin either. You can donate them, use them for crafts or costumes, or even sell them to a collector or someone else who could use them. Check out more ideas here: <https://www.visionworks.com/articles-what-to-do-with-old-glasses> 🌟 |
| April2024-FBImage-3-Contamination | Did you know that too many contaminated items can ruin the whole recycling bin? Maybe even the entire truckload of recyclable materials! 🚨 ✅ Remember to clean and dry your plastics before tossing them in the recycling bin to make sure they are properly processed, and always check with your municipality or waste hauler to find out what’s accepted in your community. #RecycleRight #RecycleRightTexas |
| April2024-FBImage-4-Cleaning | 🌷✨ Ready for some spring cleaning? Consider using non-toxic cleaning products. Soap, water, vinegar, and baking soda can make a great all-purpose cleaner and can help you tackle most of your household cleaning needs. Check out more tips here: <https://www.thespruce.com/baking-soda-homemade-cleaner-1387916> 🧼🌿 |
| April2024-FBImage-5-Upcycle | ♻️ Upcycling is a popular way to take something no longer in use and put it to use in a different way. You can express your creativity, save money by not having to buy something new, and you can help reduce waste by not throwing something away. Check out these upcycling ideas from Good Housekeeping or come up with your own! 🔗🛋️ <https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/home/craft-ideas/how-to/g139/genius-upcycling-ideas/?slide=4> |

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| **Instagram** | | |
| April2024-IGImage-1-Contamination | 🚨✨ Too much contamination can spoil the recycling bin! Help make sure the recycling journey stays smooth by cleaning and drying your plastics before tossing them in the bin. 🔄♻️ | |
| April2024-IGImage-2-HDPE | Give your plastics a do-over! 🔄♻️ Milk jugs and shampoo bottles (often labeled 2 or HDPE) can be transformed into non-food containers or synthetic lumber. Just remember to keep them clean and dry before tossing them in the recycling bin. 🌐✨ Always check with your municipality or waste hauler to find out what’s accepted in your community. #RecycleRight #RecycleRightTexas | |
| **X, formerly known as Twitter** | | |
| April2024-XImage-1-Upcycling | | Upcycling transforms something old into something new, saves money, expresses creativity, and reduces waste. Explore ideas from Good Housekeeping or create your own ideas! ♻️🛋️<https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/home/craft-ideas/how-to/g139/genius-upcycling-ideas/?slide=4> |
| April2024-XImage-2-Cleaning | | 🌷✨ Spring cleaning? Opt for non-toxic cleaners! Mix soap, water, vinegar, and baking soda for an eco-friendly all-purpose solution. More tips: <https://www.thespruce.com/baking-soda-homemade-cleaner-1387916> 🧼🌿 #GreenCleaning |