



Don't trash it...

# BLUE BAG IT!

**YES,**  
*Blue Bag*



## Paper and Cardboard

- ✓ Newsprint
- ✓ Magazines
- ✓ Cereal and tissue boxes
- ✓ Office Paper
- ✓ Junk mail + envelopes (plastic windows ok)
- ✓ Gift wrap

## Metals

- ✓ Aluminum cans
- ✓ Tin cans
- ✓ Clean foil
- ✓ Bimetal cans

## Glass

- ✓ Bottles
- ✓ Jars

## Plastic

- ✓ Water, soda, juice bottles
- ✓ Milk jugs
- ✓ Shampoo bottles
- ✓ Food storage containers
- ✓ Cleaning product bottles

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## Household Items

- ✗ Mirrors
- ✗ Windows & Glasware
- ✗ Photos and film
- ✗ Plastic utensils
- ✗ Styrofoam

## Miscellaneous

- ✗ Food waste
- ✗ Waxed cardboard
- ✗ Textiles
- ✗ Pens and pencils
- ✗ Ceramics

**Call: 530-542-8368**  
*for items listed below*

## Hazardous Waste

- ✗ Paint
- ✗ Light bulbs  
Flourescent bulbs/  
CFL's
- ✗ Solvents
- ✗ Motor oil
- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Electronics

### Apartment Residents

Place blue bags in the receptacle for your building



530-541-5105  
southtahoerefuse.com  
1-800-RECYCLE  
bottlesandcans.com

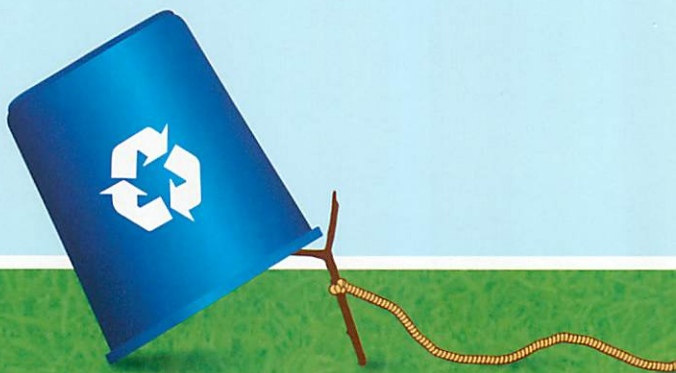
## FACTS:



- Each ton of recycled paper can save 17 trees, 380 gallons of oil, three cubic yards of landfill space, 4,000 kilowatts of energy and 7,000 gallons of water!
- Glass never wears out -- it can be recycled forever. We save over a ton of resources for every ton of glass recycled - 1,330 pounds of sand, 433 pounds of soda ash, 433 pounds of limestone, and 151 pounds of feldspar.
- Making cans from recycled aluminum cuts related air pollution by 95%. Americans throw away enough aluminum every three months to rebuild our entire commercial air fleet. A quarter of all aluminum goes into packaging.

Watch for  
Residential Yard Waste  
Recycling Routes starting  
Spring 2009

**Let's capture some carbon.**



**Recycle.**  
It's in your hands.

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