



Food+ Compostables

WHY WASTE A GOOD THING?

Food



Food-soiled Paper & Compostable Containers



Uncoated paper plates

Approved Compostable Packaging



Plant Waste



NO Metal. NO Glass.

Collection Tips

- Collect food scraps and food-soiled paper in paper or approved compostable bags, or a washable, lidded container.
- Compostable packaging must be approved.

For more information and tips, visit www.seattle.gov/util/foodwaste

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Recycling

RECYCLE. IT'S NOT GARBAGE ANYMORE!

Cans, Bottles & Jars



Empty Cups



Clean Containers & Lids



Lids (wider than 3 in.)

Paper & Empty Cartons



Paper food containers must be rinsed clean

NO Food. NO Liquids.

Empty & Clean Recyclables Only

- Put all recyclables loose in the recycling bin.
- All recyclable food containers must be rinsed clean.

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Garbage

PURCHASE LESS ... WASTE LESS



NO Recyclables. NO Compostables.



THINK



Packaging Must be Clean to be Recyclable

Recyclable

Garbage



Clean!



Dirty!

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