

Unitarian Universalist Church of Vancouver, 4505 E 18th St.  
 Open **Sundays, 10:15 AM - 1:00 PM**, except holidays

# BEYOND CURBSIDE

## What We Take

We accept & distribute only the materials listed on this flyer.  
 All materials must be clean.

### PLASTIC BY THE NUMBERS

The rules change often where plastic is concerned—a frustration for us all! To make the best of it, please follow these steps closely:

1. **ALWAYS** recycle all the plastic you can into Big Blue first
2. **WASH** (or **TOSS**) any plastic with food residue or other soil
3. **CIRCLE** the recycle number (resin code) with a marker
4. **SORT** into paper grocery bags or other convenient containers by these categories:

- #1 clear plastic (No #1 colored plastic at this time)
- #2 & #4 plastics (mostly lids and small tubs under 6 oz.)
- #5 plastics with a visible symbol
- #6 (PS-polystyrene, styrofoam: block foam & styrofoam food trays, beverage and condiment cups and lids)
- Plastic screw caps, utensils, and straws (no symbol required)
- **NEW!** Unnumbered rigid plastic smaller than your fist

5. **INCLUDE** a small donation, which will be used to cover the processing charges from James Neighborhood Recycling, which charges \$3/bag. Any leftover donations will be used for project expenses.

**See reverse side for many more accepted items**

If your item is not listed on either page, please **trash** it or hold onto it until the rules change. (We know they will.) **Thank you!**

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## OTHER MATERIALS WE TAKE

MATERIAL/ITEMS	BENEFICIARY/RECYCLER
Egg cartons	Clark County Food Bank
Paper bags	FISH (or SCRAP)
Newspaper plastic sleeves	Various
Corks	SCRAP, Ridwell
Eyeglasses & Hearing aids	Lions Clubs International
Garden plant pots (intact)	Local horticulture classes
Packing materials	Local vendors
Cell phones	YWCA SafeChoice
Printer cartridges	Office Depot → UUCV
Light bulbs (but <b>not</b> tubes)	Ridwell ( <b>Broken CFLs</b> must be bagged and sealed)
<b>NEW!</b> Miscellaneous metals	Habitat for Humanity
<b>NEW!</b> Miscellaneous items, craft and art supplies listed on <a href="http://SCRAPpdx.org">SCRAPpdx.org</a>	SCRAP in Portland sells donated materials for creative reuse by teachers, artists and the public.

“Beyond Curbside” is a project of the UUCV Green Team.  
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