

# BANGOR BOROUGH SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING

Single-stream recycling allows residents to place all recyclables: cans, bottles and plastics together with newspapers, cardboard, etc. in one container. There is no need to separate items since the "single stream" recycling process used allows all recyclables to be mixed together.

## How Bangor Residents Benefit from Recycling?

The PADEP awards every municipality annually with grant money for every ton of recycling that is collected. The money received from this annual grant are used towards payment of the Borough's trash and recycling expenses which helps to keep garbage service rates down. Recycling is a simple way each of us can make the earth a better place to live. Ordinances will be enforced so please take the time to recycle.

### What Can I Recycle?

- Aluminum Cans & Clean Foil
- Glass Containers
- Plastics #1 thru #7
- Paper & Newsprint
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Leaf & Yard Waste

#### What is **NOT** Recyclable?

- No Food Tainted Items
- No Styrofoam
- No Hazardous Chemical Containers
- No Wax Coated Cartons
- No Mirrors or Window Glass

The Borough has drop off containers for corrugated cardboard (please break down), aluminum, glass, plastics, phone books, newspapers (junk mail, shredded paper) located at the Bangor Borough Authority's Administration Office, 58 Market Street and the Borough's Administration Office, 197 Pennsylvania Avenue.

**RULES FOR RECYCLING ELECTRONIC DEVICES**: The PADEP enacted the PA Covered Device Recycling Act that prohibits the disposal of covered devices (computers, laptops, monitors and TV's) with residential trash. Bangor Borough Residents will no longer be able to put these devices out at curbside. More information is available at www.dep.state.pa.us. Please use the facilities listed below:

#### TV's and E-cycling:

Northampton County

Freecycle 1120 S. 25th Street Easton, PA 18042 Phone: 484-866-0927 Freecyclellc.com

#### **Computer Equipment—NO TV's**

Borked PC 52 Broadway Bangor, PA 18013

**BEST BUY** will also recycle some appliances and electronics. Please visit www.bestbuy.com for a list of what items

Recycling containers are available at the Bangor Borough Authority Administrative office for \$5.00 each. For more information about recycling call (610) 588-2089 or visit www.earth911.com.