



## PLEASE

**NO PLASTIC BAGS** (plastic bags are not placed with single-stream materials. Look for the brown containers located at each convenience center labeled: "Plastic Bag Recycling")

- **NO UNMARKED PLASTIC** (laundry baskets, toys, chairs, etc.)
- **NO LIGHT BULBS**
- **NO FOAM PACKAGING** or **STYROFOAM**
- **NO MOTOR OIL CONTAINERS**
- **NO AEROSOL CANS** (including paint, hair-spray, and household cleaners)

*For additional information about events or how and where to recycle, please contact:*



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General Services Department  
P.O. Box 80  
Isle of Wight, VA 23397  
(757) 365-1652

Or visit us at:  
[www.co.Isle-of-Wight.va.us](http://www.co.Isle-of-Wight.va.us)  
[www.IsleBeGreen.com](http://www.IsleBeGreen.com)



## County Convenience Centers Hours of Operation

**Open: Monday – Sunday (7am – 7pm)**

*With the Exception of:*

**Camptown Convenience Center**  
Open: Monday, Wednesday, Friday &  
Saturday (7am – 7pm)  
Sunday (1pm – 7pm)  
(Closed: Tuesdays & Thursdays)

### LOCATIONS:

**Camptown Convenience Center**  
34010 Carver Road  
Franklin, VA 23851

**Carroll Bridge Convenience Center**  
17634 Carroll Bridge Road  
Windsor, VA 23487

**Carrsville Convenience Center**  
6135 Carrsville Highway  
Carrsville, VA 23315

**Crocker's Convenience Center**  
9421 Whispering Pines Trail  
Windsor, VA 23487

**Jones Creek Convenience Center**  
21203 Boundary Road  
Smithfield, VA 23430

**Stave Mill Convenience Center**  
23254 Stave Mill Road  
Windsor, VA 23487

**Walters Convenience Center**  
3403 Burdette Road  
Carrsville, VA 23315

**Wren's Mill Convenience Center**  
4196 Old Stage Highway  
Smithfield, VA 23430



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## SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING PROGRAM



## What Is Single-Stream Recycling?

*Single-stream recycling* is a process in which materials are collected all *mixed together* with no sorting required by individual recyclers.

**Cans and bottles can now be recycled together with newspaper, cardboard, and other materials!**

## What Are Potential Advantages To Single-Stream Collection?

- Single-streaming makes collection easy and convenient for residents, which typically means increased participation and more material diverted from the landfill.
- Single-streaming reduces collection costs by decreasing the number of trips made to the recycling center.
- Single-streaming allows for more paper grades; such as junk mail, telephone books and mixed residential paper.
- Single-stream recycling will also help offset the rising cost of waste disposal.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

- Recycling aluminum cans saves **95%** of the energy required to make aluminum cans from scratch.
- Manufacturers can make one extra-large T-shirt out of only five recycled two-liter plastic soda bottles.
- By recycling one ton of paper, we save: **17 trees, 7,000 gallons of water, 380 gallons of oil, 3 cubic yards of landfill space**, and enough energy to heat an average size home for **6 months!**

## No Sorting Required



Residents can now bring all recyclable materials to any Convenience Center located throughout the County. Residents no longer have to spend time sorting their recyclable materials into separate containers. Now, all recyclable items can be placed in the same container for easy collection...

### **EXCEPT:**

- **Plastic Bags**
- **Electronic Equipment**
- **Scrap Metal**
- **Appliances**
- **Motor Oil**
- **Cooking Oil**
- **Yard Waste (leaves, sticks, and limbs 6" in diameter and no more than 6' in length.)**

These materials have special containers that are labeled for your convenience.

Please place the following acceptable materials into the **“GREEN” Recycling Containers** now located at all County Convenience Centers:

- Newspapers, Magazines, Catalogs
- Cardboard (*please break down boxes*)
- Paperboard (*cereal, tissue, shoe boxes, etc.; please flatten and remove all plastic*)
- Telephone and Soft Cover Books
- Junk Mail and Envelopes (*all types*)
- Paper (*all colors - please remove rubber bands and plastic wrap.*)
- Milk and Juice Cartons
- Plastic bottles (*marked #1 - #7*)
- Soda, Juice, and Water Bottles (*glass or plastic*)
- Food Containers (*cottage cheese, margarine, etc.*)
- Glass Bottles and Jars (*any color*)
- Aluminum (*pie plates, trays, foil, etc.*)
- Metal Cans (*tin, steel, aluminum*)
- Milk Jugs, Bleach, Detergent, and Shampoo Bottles

