

Plastic Film Recycling Program Continues

The Town of Friday Harbor will continue to accept plastic film as a part of its residential curbside recycling program. Friday Harbor residents can recycle clean and dry plastic bags, plastic storage bags such as Ziploc® brand bags, dry cleaning bags, and other flexible plastic film by using their 'Plastic Film Only' recycling bin.

Eligible Residences: Single-Family and some Multi-Family residences within Town limits only

Schedule: the fourth Wednesday of every month ~ **2022-2025 Cost:** Free – No Limit

How to Participate



Put clean and dry plastic bags and plastic film inside a plastic bag.



When it is about the size of a soccer ball, tie the top of the outer bag in a knot.



Put your bag of bags in your provided plastic film recycling bin or other labeled container.



Place your provided plastic film recycling bin next to your curbside pick-up location.

Materials Accepted in Your 'Plastic Film Only' Program (Clean & Dry Items Only)



Bread bags



Single-use grocery bags



Dry cleaning bags



Produce bags



Plastic newspaper wrapping



Food storage bags (including Ziploc®)



Plastic wraps (around multi-packs of drink bottles, paper towels, diapers, etc.)



Bubble wrap/air pillows (popped)



Plastic lining from cereal boxes



Plastic shipping envelopes (remove labeling)

NOT Accepted Materials

- Multi-layer film (chip bags, pet food bags, etc.)
- Waxed paper containers
- Paper towels and napkins
- Diapers
- Pre-washed salad mix bags
- Aerosol Cans
- Polystyrene or foam containers
- Food-soiled paper and cardboard
- Feminine Products
- Candy wrappers
- Biodegradable or compostable bags

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Do I need to bag my plastics?

A: Yes, please. Being bagged prevents plastics from flying around our streets on windy days.

Q: Can I put more than 1 bucket out on pickup day?

A: Absolutely, if it is bagged and secured in a bin/can, there is no limit to how much a residence can put out.

Q: Can I get another bucket?

A: Buckets are no longer available. You may utilize any other container that is labeled "Plastics" or secure your bagged plastics next to your regular trash bins where they won't blow away.