DON'T LET YOUR RECYCLING GO TO WASTE

HOW TO PREVENT CONTAMINATION



WHY Tontaminating

recycling bin can have serious negative effects on our recycling program. When too many contaminants are found in a recycling load providers are forced to take the load to the landfill instead, sometimes wasting multiple tons of recycling. Contaminants can also cause damage to recycling machinery and be safety hazards for workers.





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(STEEL AND ALUMINUM)



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