

PLASTIC BAG RECYCLING GUIDE

PLASTIC BAG RECYCLING: AT STORES AND SELECTED TRANSFER STATIONS ONLY!

***NEVER PUT PLASTIC BAGS IN THE
REGULAR RECYCLING CONTAINERS, OR
PUT RECYCLABLES IN PLASTIC BAGS!***

Plastic bags in recycling bins cause safety hazards at the recycling facility, and bags are not recyclable in regular recycling programs.

YES: DO RECYCLE:

- **Only bags that are empty, clean and dry. Remove receipts, coins, and trash.**
- Grocery bags (all colors OK)
- Plastic newspaper bags (empty)
- Dry cleaning bags (no receipts)
- **CLEANED** sandwich/ ziploc bags
- Any plastic bags labeled with:



HDPE

, “HDPE”, “PE-HD”



LDPE

, “LDPE”, “PE-LD”

or “LLDPE”

(some produce bags are labeled 2 or 4)

NO: DO NOT RECYCLE:

- **NO** bag with food in or on it
- **NO** garbage bags
- **NO** food or cling wrap (Saran)
- **NO** bread bags
- **NO** prepackaged food bags such as frozen food or prewashed salad bags
- **NO** chip bags or wrappers
- **NO wood pellet bags** or other heavy duty bags (salt, sand, soil)
- **NO** bags with paint or glue
- **NO** compostable plastic bags
- **NO** bag with a recycling symbol or # other than those described in the “yes” column