

## RECYCLING TIPS



- Use separate disposal bags for recyclables and garbage whenever possible.
- Some municipalities have a mobile waste app that you can use on the go to find out what items should be recycled versus put in the garbage – check with your local municipality and download the app in advance if available!
- Keep hazardous waste separate from garbage and recycling. Hazardous waste includes batteries, aerosol containers, fluorescent tubes, compact fluorescent lamps (CFLs), helium and propane tanks/cylinders. Remember safety first! You can always leave certain items as you found them, note down the item and the location, and after your cleanup contact your local waste management department to make them aware. Examples of hazardous waste include:
  - syringes (don't touch!)
  - batteries
  - aerosol containers
  - fluorescent tubes and compact florescent lamps (CFLs)
  - helium and propane/BBQ tanks/cylinders

## CLEANUP SITE IDEAS



- trails
- common play areas in your community
- a public park
- the sidewalks along a neighborhood street
- vacant lots or parking lots (ensure you have owner's permission)