what can be recycled?

Recycling centers are for Horry County residents ONLY. For more information, call (843) 347-1651 or visit www.SolidWasteAuthority.org.

ACCEPTED AT RECYCLING CONVENIENCE CENTERS and by CURBSIDE RECYCLING PROGRAMS:

- Aluminum and Steel Cans – Aluminum foil and trays also are accepted as well as empty aerosol cans.
- Cardboard – Please empty and flatten.
- Glass Bottles and Jars – Please rinse and discard lids.
- Newspaper, Magazines, Catalogs and Unwanted Mail – Please keep dry. 
  NOTE: Shred any personal information and place in a clear plastic bag.
- Paperboard – This material includes cereal, cracker and shoe boxes. Please keep dry and flatten.
- Plastic Bottles and Jugs – Containers marked with a #1 through #7 are accepted. Please rinse.

ALSO ACCEPTED AT RECYCLING CONVENIENCE CENTERS:

- Batteries – All types are accepted.
- Cooking Oil
- Household Electronics – Computers, laptops, monitors, printers and televisions are accepted. 
  NOTE: Erase all data.
- Scrap Metal
- Shoes
- Textiles
- Tires
- Used Motor Oil and Filters
- Yard Waste – No plastic bags.
don’t recycle these ...

- Glass Cookware and Ceramics
- Paper and Styrofoam Plates, Napkins and Plastic Utensils
- Plastic Bags – Recycle them at most local grocery stores.
- Styrofoam – This includes items such as egg cartons, packaging materials and disposable cups and plates.
- Light Bulbs

household hazardous waste (HHW) facility

Many hazardous products and chemicals require special handling to protect our environment. Horry County SWA has an HHW Facility – located at 1886 Hwy 90, Conway – that accepts these materials from county residents. Materials from businesses ARE NOT accepted.

The facility is open Tuesday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. (It is unstaffed weekdays, so call (843) 458-7191 for service.) The facility also is open Saturday, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. and is staffed at this time. Items accepted include acids, bases, antifreeze, batteries, brake fluid, corrosives, drain openers, flammables, fuel, furniture strippers, gasoline, household cleaners, kerosene, lighter fluid, oxidizers, paints and thinners, pesticides, photography chemicals, poisons, pool chemicals, weed killers and wood preservatives.

ACCEPTED AT HORRY COUNTY SWA’S HAZARDOUS HOUSEHOLD WASTE FACILITY:

- Chemicals – Keep chemicals in the original, labeled containers. Tighten lids.
- Cleaners – Keep household cleaners in the original, labeled containers. Tighten lids.
- Paint – Tightly seal lids. There is a 20-gallon per day volume limit for any type of paint brought to the facility by residents for disposal.

There is no charge for this service. Call (843) 347-1651 to make an appointment.