## Dear Community Member,

Waste Management is excited to have been selected by your community to provide solid waste and recycling removal services to residents.

We are honored to be given the opportunity to service you and your neighbors that reside in the Greater Pittsburgh area. Our team in western Pennsylvania takes pride in providing our customers complete satisfaction and we are certain you will be satisfied with the services you receive.

As you might already know, the recycling industry is changing, and we would like to make you aware of some program changes that will be coming in 2019. To have a viable market for the materials we are collecting, we must eliminate contamination at the curb.

To be a good recycler, we would like you to begin making these recycling changes immediately. Beginning in January, we will no longer accept recyclables at the curb containing heavy contamination:

- Waste Management will no longer accept recyclables in any type of plastic bags. Materials must be placed loose in your recycling bin. Plastic retail bags should be taken to your local retailer to recycle.
- Only recycle plastic bottles, jars and jugs labeled as #1 PET or #2 HDPE plastic in your curbside recycling bin. If it is not a bottle, jar or jug it must go in the trash.
- Glass will no longer be accepted for recycling.

Residents will receive a 2019 calendar containing additional service information, including your service day, at the end of December. Until then, help keep our region clean and green by recycling right! Follow the instructions on the front of this postcard for good recycling practices or visit **www.RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com**.

We look forward to providing you with your waste and recycling removal services.

## Thank you!



Name Address City State Zip Follow these simple rules to ensure you are putting the right items in your recycling cart or bin.









Recycle all empty plastic bottles, cans and paper.





Keep foods and liquids out of recycling.





Keep plastic bags out of recycling. NO BAGGED RECYCLABLES.

Take plastic bags back to your grocer.

## Help keep your community clean and green by recycling right!

Your recyclables should be emptied directly into your recycling cart or bin - don't bag your recyclables.

Take any loose plastic bags to a local retailer to recycle.





