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UPDATE REGARDING PROPER RECYCLING AND TRASH DISPOSAL

All recyclable items must be placed within a proper bin for recycling pickup. This is either a city provided blue bin, a RubberMaid container, a 5-gallon bucket or a cardboard box. **NOTHING** placed inside of trash bags will be picked up! Residents are limited to two bins of recyclable items per location, per week. Also, all items must be rinsed and have labels/lids removed. Cardboard boxes that have not been crushed or broken down will be left in your recycling bin. If any item is left in a bin following pickup, that is to let you know the recycling plant no longer accepts those items.

(Please see the list on the back of this letter regarding recyclable and nonrecyclable items)

As a reminder- please place your trash carts by the street on the night BEFORE your scheduled day of pickup. Then, please remove your trash cart once it has been dumped.

If you have any further questions about recycling or trash disposal, please contact City Hall at 417-967-3348 option 1.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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EXAMPLES OF WHAT **CAN** BE RECYCLED

- Plastic #1 & #2 (water & soda bottles, laundry & dishwashing detergent containers, condiment bottles)
- Aluminum, Steel & Tin Cans (human, dog & cat food cans "cleaned")
- Magazines, Paper & Newspapers
- Cereal Boxes and All Cardboard
- Glass Bottles (all sizes and colors)

EXAMPLES OF WHAT **CANNOT** BE RECYCLED

- Plastic #5
- Plastic Bags
- Ensure Bottles
- NO cottage cheese, butter, yogurt, frozen entrée containers or McDonald's cups