

# RECYCLE GUIDE

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**Cardboard:** Corrugated & Boxboard Boxes from cereal, crackers, pasta, cake mix, toothpaste, toiletries etc. (remove the plastic liners and flatten). Shoe boxes, gift boxes and electronics boxes. Please flatten all Corrugated cardboard



**Media:** Newspaper, Newsprint including glossy inserts. Magazines, Phonebooks, Catalogs, soft cover books.



**Glass:** Clear glass bottles and jars - rinse. Recycle metal lids.



Clear Glass Jars Only

**Metals:** Aerosol cans. Metal food cans. Aluminum trays, and foil (rinsed, no need to remove labels)



**Styrofoam:**

♦ **NO CURBSIDE OR DEPOT drop**

Bring to the Material Recovery Facility

♦ **No Packing "Peanuts"**

♦ **No Insulation Board**

♦ We take large packing pieces made up of "TINY BEADS"  
We also take Styrofoam: meat trays, egg cartons & take out containers — Make sure they are clean of all food.



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**Paper:** White & Color. Mail, office, school papers, including envelopes—please remove plastic window, sticky notes, and card stocks—no need to remove tape or staples. File folders and note books— no need to remove the metal spirals. For Curbside, please place all paper in a "see-through" Bag. At the MRF, shredded paper should be contained in a "see-through bag".



**Plastic:** Plastics 1 thru 7 are accepted.

NO plastic bags or plastic film (#4's) of any kind.

Plastic bottles with a neck, including: soda bottles, milk, water jugs, and laundry product containers (throw away pumps, rinse and flatten).

Buckets—please, remove Metal handle.



## Not Recyclable at MRF or Curbside



No Light Bulbs



No Brown, Green or Blue glass



No batteries of any kind



No Drink Cartons



No Wrapping paper



No Plastic Bags or film type plastic (#4) of any Kind (with the exception of a "see-through bag" to contain shredded paper—see above referring to paper.)

## MRF Hours of Operation

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MON thru FRI 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM; SAT 8:00 AM to 1:30 PM

MRF Gates promptly close at 5:00 PM Weekdays and 1:30 Saturdays. Please allow enough time to Unload Recyclables

### For a Fee: Additional Items taken at the ICMRF

**Out of County Residents – \$2.00 per trip –**

**Please Note:** The ICMRF is not able to take oil, anti-freeze, yard waste, brush or tires from out of county residents.

**Oil and Anti-Freeze – \$1.50 per Gallon (less than a gallon, \$1.50)**

**Oil Filters – \$1.50 per Filter**

### **Tires                                      Off Rim                                      On Rim**

Car or truck 18" or less                                      \$7.50                                      \$8.50

Car or truck 19" or more                                      \$14.50                                      \$15.50

Note: The Conservation District of Isabella County has tire and household hazardous waste collection twice a year at the fairgrounds, no cost to residents. To get current dates visit their website:

**[www.isabellaconservationdistrict.org](http://www.isabellaconservationdistrict.org)**

### **Yard Waste**

#### **Grass Clippings & Leaves**

\$2.50 per 30 Gallon Container, less than 30-gallon container, \$2.50.

\$4.50 per 50 Gallon container.

\*\*\* Yard waste and branches must be less than 6 inches in diameter. Yard waste and brush need to be at the MRF minimally 15 minutes prior to closing to allow enough time to pay and unload. Gates close promptly at 5:00 weekdays, 1:30 Saturdays

Loose yard waste and Brush is based on a 3' X 3' X 3' CUBIC YARD. See table below.

| Example                       | L X W X H | CYD      | Price will be: |
|-------------------------------|-----------|----------|----------------|
| \$18.00 a cubic yard          | 3' 3' 3'  | 1.00 CYD | \$18.00        |
| If Length increased by 1 ft   | 4' 3' 3'  | 1.33 CYD | \$23.94        |
| If Width increased by 1 ft    | 3' 4' 3'  |          |                |
| If Height increased by 1 ft   | 3' 3' 4'  |          |                |
| If all 3 dimensions increased | 4' 4' 4'  | 2.37 CYD | \$42.66        |
| If Height was 12 inches       | 3' 3' 12" | .33 CYD  | \$5.94         |
| If Height increased 4 inches  | 3' 3' 16" | .44 CYD  | \$7.92         |

**\*YARD WASTE IN BAGS MUST BE EMPTIED \*\*\* Thank You!**

**Plastic Bags – Take with you** (We do not recycle plastic bags of any kind)

**X-MAS trees - \$5.00 per tree**

## **Isabella County Depots**

**Blanchard County Road  
Commission Garage**  
11278 West Blanchard Rd.  
Blanchard, MI 49310  
Hours: Always Open

**Broomfield Depot**  
2889 South Rolland Rd.,  
Remus, MI 49340  
Hours: 3rd Saturday of the month, 9:00 AM – Noon

**Saginaw Chippewa Depot**  
Tribal Operations  
2591 S. Leaton Rd.  
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
Hours: Always Open

**Gilmore Township Hall**  
Reds Repair LLC  
7972 N. Winn Rd.  
Farwell, MI 48622  
Hours: Always Open

**Lincoln Township Hall**  
8500 S. Crawford Rd.  
Shepherd, MI 48883  
Hours: Always Open

**Shepherd/Coe Twp. Depot**  
DPW – 208 W. Boulevard Ave  
Shepherd, MI 48883  
Hours: Always Open

**Weidman Depot**  
(Old Fire Hall)  
NW Corner of Main & 2nd St. 2803  
Weidman, MI 48893  
Hours: Always Open

**Lake Isabella DPW**  
201 S. Coldwater Rd.  
Lake Isabella, MI 48893  
Hours: Always Open

**Wise Township Depot**  
Pere Market and Antiques  
4990 Pere Marquette Rd.  
Clare, MI 43617

**Winn Village/Fremont  
Township Depot**  
West Blanchard Rd.  
Winn, MI 48886  
Hours: Always Open

**Rosebush Depot**  
Isabella Township Park  
West Locust St.  
Rosebush, MI 48878