

# HOLIDAY RECYCLING REMINDER

**Happy Holidays!** Thank you for your recycling efforts over the past year. Following are some guidelines for recycling during the holiday months and all year long:

Please **DO** include the following items in your paper recycling mix:

# YES

- ✓ corrugated cardboard boxes
- ✓ paperboard gift boxes
- ✓ greeting cards (except those with foil, metallic inks, or glitter)
- ✓ wrapping paper, gift bags, tissue wrap (except those with foil, metallic inks, or glitter)
- ✓ paper shopping bags (any type of handle is okay)
- ✓ catalogs and calendars



TIP: Keep a recycle bin or paper bag near gift wrapping and unwrapping.

Please **DO NOT** include the following items in your recycling mix:

# NO

- ribbons, bows, and tinsel (reusable from year to year)
- packing peanuts and Styrofoam (accepted for reuse at Greenfield UPS Store)
- holiday lights (WtE scrap metal recycler in Greenfield pays .20/lb. for light strings)
- plastic bags (clean, dry plastic bags marked #2 or #4 recyclable at some retailers)
- blister packaging (formed plastic package used to hold toys and electronics)
- photographs

Questions about recycling? Please contact Franklin County Solid Waste Management District at (413) 772-2438; [info@franklincountywastedistrict.org](mailto:info@franklincountywastedistrict.org), or visit [www.franklincountywastedistrict.org](http://www.franklincountywastedistrict.org).  
MA Relay for the hearing impaired: 711 or 1-800-439-2370 (TTY/TDD).