

Recycle More, Sort Less!

It is our responsibility to make an investment in the future of our Mother Earth by making a conscious effort to save our environment. The easiest way to start, is to recycle! With the new dual stream system in Emmet County, it is easier than ever to recycle! We are committed to giving you the resources you need to be successful. If you have questions, concerns, or suggestions, do not hesitate to get in touch with us!

Why Should I Recycle?

- To Save Energy
- To Prevent Air , Water and Land Pollution
- To Save \$\$\$
- To DO THE RIGHT THING!



"The Earth does not belong to us, We belong to the Earth." - Chief Seattle

Mixed Containers

- **Plastic Bottles, Jugs, and Jars**

NOW ALL NUMBERS ACCEPTED!!

NO Styrofoam

NO Motor Oil Jugs

NO Durable Dishes,
Buckets, etc.

NO "Biodegradable" Plastics

- **Juice Boxes, Milk Cartons, and Paper Cups**

NO Juice Pouches or Straws

- **Metal Cans, Foil, and Trays**

NO Aerosol Cans or
Propane Tanks

- **Glass Bottles and Jars**

Clear, green, brown, and blue

NO light bulbs, window
glass, or glass dishes



Please rinse all materials and flatten metal cans and milk cartons.

Paper, Boxes, and Bags

- **Cardboard and Paper Bags**

Frozen Food Boxes, Cereal
Boxes, Paper Towel Rolls, etc.

NO Styrofoam

NO Pet Food Bags

- **Plastic Grocery and Bread Bags**

NO Cling Wrap

NO Cereal Box Liner

NO "Crunchy" plastics–
cellophane, pretzel or
potato chip bags, etc.

- **Newspapers and Inserts**

NO wet newspapers

- **Magazines, Catalogs, and Books**

Hardcover, Paperback, and
Phone Books are okay.

- **Office Paper**

NO Construction Paper or
Bright Colored Copy
Paper

NO Padded or Plastic
Envelopes

How are we making an effort?

The Solid Waste Statute enacted by LTBB in January 2003 promotes the health, safety, and welfare of LTBB members and all within the LTBB's jurisdiction through the establishment of standards necessary to the sanitary and environmentally sound disposal of solid waste. With this Statute in place, all government departments and enterprises are required to participate in the recycling program. This includes all government offices, Mskiki Gumik, Odawa Casino Resort and Odawa Hotel, Biindigen, and all the housing developments. Please contact the Environmental Services Program to find out how you can recycle in your area.

Did you know?

- We each generate an average of 4.4 pounds of waste per day .
- One ton of recycled paper uses: 64% less energy, 50% less water, 74% less air pollution, saves 17 trees and creates 5x more jobs than one ton of paper products from virgin wood pulp!
- Motor oil never wears out, it just gets dirty-it can be recycled again & again!

Environmental Services Program

We also provide the following information:

- Hazardous Waste Recycling
- Electronic Recycling
- Appliance & Scrap Metal Recycling
- Pharmaceutical recycling and POD Drop-Off Boxes
- Composting
- General Recycling Questions

Please Contact:

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LTBB Odawa
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Reduce

Reuse

Recycle

Respect

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