





WASTE LESS, RECYCLE MORE.

DPW MAKES IT EASY FOR RESIDENTS TO DISPOSE OF SPECIAL WASTE

Fort Totten Transfer Station

 4900 John F. McCormack Dr., NE
Washington, D.C. 20011

 Every Saturday 8am - 3pm
(except holidays) & Thursday
preceding the first Saturday of the
month (1pm - 5pm)

 Document shredding is available on
the first Saturday of each month.

Unsure about which items can be
recycled? Visit zerowaste.dc.gov and
use the “What Goes Where?” tool.

Need to schedule a bulk collection?
Call 3-1-1

To reach 311 from outside the city, dial (202) 737-4404.

Electronics Recycling



Electronics are banned from trash.
Please recycle by dropping off at
Fort Totten or visit our website
below to find other drop-off
options.

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)



HHW materials should not be put
in trash or recycling bins. Safely
dispose of HHW at Fort Totten.

Return Plastic Bags to Retailers



Plastic bags, wrap and film are no
longer acceptable in your Blue Bin.
To find drop-off locations, please
visit plasticfilmrecycling.org.

Paint



Paint can be dropped off at Fort
Totten. Additional drop off options
can be found on PaintCare's
website: paintcare.org.

Document Shredding



Residents may bring up to 5
medium-sized boxes of personal
documents to Fort Totten on
the first Saturday of the month
between 8am - 3pm.

Visit zerowaste.dc.gov
for more information

For more information about recycling in the District, visit:
zerowaste.dc.gov

For general information about the Department of Public Works, visit:
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If you need information about trash or recycling in Spanish, Chinese, Vietnamese, Korean, Amharic or French, please call (202) 673-6833.



Accepted Items

PAPER

- Cups & Containers
- Flattened Cardboard
- Milk, Juice & Soup Cartons
- Newspapers/Magazines
- Books/Phone Books
- Junk Mail & Office Paper
- (all items clean & empty)
- *No Tissues



PLASTIC

- Cups & Containers
- Bottles & Lids
- Bulky Items
- (all items clean & empty)
- *No Plastic Bags
- *No Foam Polystyrene
- *No Straws or Utensils



METAL

- Steel & Aluminum
- Bottles/Cans/Containers
- (all items clean & empty)
- *No Paint Cans



GLASS

- Glass Bottles /Jars
- (all items clean & empty)
- *No Windows or Ceramics



How to Prepare Your Recyclables

- ✓ Recyclables should be clean & empty.
- ✓ Do not bag recyclables. Leave items loose.
- ✓ Empty & flatten cardboard boxes.
- ✓ Keep out: Plastic bags, clothing, tangles (cables & cords), electronics & batteries.

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