



MWR NANTUCKET HOUSE

NANTUCKET RECYCLING/TRASH REQUIREMENTS

Nantucket has very strict trash/recycling laws. Nantucket's **mandatory recycling** program was established in July of 1996. All residential and commercial property owners or occupants are required to recycle. During your stay in the Nantucket House, you are required to follow proper procedures for disposing of your trash/recyclables. You will find some guidance from the Town of Nantucket website below. Failure to comply will result in an excessive cleaning charge.

If you are staying in the house Thursday night, please bring the trash barrels to the end of the driveway for pickup Friday morning. The recyclable items are also picked up on Friday. Please place next to the garbage cans.

I have read and understand the rules regarding trash/recyclables disposal on Nantucket, and understand the requirements for disposing of garbage during my stay.

RECYCLING INFORMATION WHAT NOT TO RECYCLE



- Egg cartons
- Pizza boxes
- Waxed containers such as milk or juice containers



WHAT TO RECYCLE

- Glass
 - Clear, green, brown bottles and jars; such as mason jars, glass juice bottles, spaghetti sauce jars, mason jars, glass and mirrors (frames must be removed) etc.
 - Rinse them clean, remove lids, collars, neck rings, corks, etc.; labels may be left on.
 - Do not include – other glass items, such as any dishes, plates, cups, Pyrex, ceramics, light bulbs.
- Metal
 - Aluminum / tin / steel cans and lids.
 - Non-deposit and deposit beverage cans.
 - Aluminum foil or pie plates.
 - Rinse cans, and flatten if possible (not absolutely necessary); labels may be left on.
 - No paint or aerosol cans, these may be put in the metal bin if empty.
 - No cans containing hazardous waste.
 - No other metal items.
- Paper
 - Newspaper with inserts / paper bags.
 - Magazines, catalogs, phone books.
 - All cardboard.
 - Paper must be clean and dry. Place newspaper, mixed paper and corrugated cardboard in separate bins. Keep paper materials separate. Flatten cardboard boxes.
 - No soiled paper or cardboard such as pizza boxes.
 - No waxed paper or waxed cardboard.
- Plastics
 - All plastic bottles, jars, tubes, containers labeled 1 to 7.
 - Rinse clean, remove lids and neck rings, may flatten or crush.
 - No plastic bags.
 - No motor oil / chemical containers.
 - No plastic other than those listed.