When should I put the container out for pick up?

Have your recycling container at curbside by 7:00 AM on collection day. Pickup times may vary. Consider putting your can out the night before the scheduled pick up to avoid being missed. Please remove your container from the street by the end of the day it was emptied. Containers are only emptied once every other week see map & calendar for your areas schedule.

Where should I put the container on collection day to be emptied?

Roll the container out to the street next to the curb and position it facing the street with the handles towards the house. The container must have 4 feet clearance on all sides from any cars, mailboxes, or other containers. If cars or obstructions are too near the container, the truck will not be able to get close enough to empty it. The driver must have a clear access to safely empty the containers.

What kind of recyclables can I put into the container?

Household papers, tin cans, plastic bottles, and cardboard boxes which have been cut to fit properly into container with the lid closed completely. No green waste, food, or wet items. See the Bountiful City website for a complete list.

How full may I fill the container?

You may fill the container completely full if the lid will completely close, and you are able to roll the can to the street. Collection trucks lifting arms have a weight limit of approx. 150 LBS. Containers that are over-filled may not dump correctly and spill recyclables. Spills caused by over-filled containers are the resident's responsibility to clean up. Please cut long items into short pieces so they will fit into the container and the lid will close completely. If you need additional containers, please call Bountiful Utilities (801-298-6100) to order and for rates. Extra containers must be kept for 6 months minimum.

What kind of materials are prohibited?

Please see Bountiful City Website Recycling for a more in-depth list of what is not accepted for recycling.

Who owns the containers?

The containers belong to Bountiful City Recycling. Residents are issued a container with a serial number assigned to the service address. Care should be taken to retrieve your assigned container especially after a wind event. Bountiful City Recycling will repair or replace containers as needed due to normal wear and tear. Residents could be charged for damaged containers due to abuse or negligence. Please do not deface or disfigure the container in any way.