Greenwood County Recycling

Greenwood County owns two recycling trailers, multiple cardboard bins and glass containers that can be utilized at any of the three locations on various days of the week.

**Eureka** – Wednesday and Thursday of each week from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. located at the Greenwood County Road and Bridge Shop ~ 510 S. Jefferson St

**Hamilton** – Full time location west of the fire barn ~ 12 Main St

**Severy** – Thursday at 9:00 a.m. all weekend until Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. located across the street from the City Hall ~ 100 N Kansas Ave

Currently, all Greenwood County Recycling is being taken to The Recycling Center in Emporia ~ 3100 W. South Ave. The City of Emporia takes all recycling as “mixed”, meaning all papers, plastics, glass, and aluminum can be placed in any of our available bins. Cardboard must be kept separate however, and a detached cage can be found at all of our locations.

**A separate bin for aluminum cans can be found at the Eureka location only. We do ask that you separate aluminum out at this site because we do sell the aluminum to offset the cost of hauling the recycling**

**Accepted Items for the Recycle Trailers**

- Newspaper
- Junk Mail
- Small Magazines
- Phone Books
- Office Waste
- Shredded Paper
- Cardboard
- Paper Feed sacks (not plastic on or inside)
- Plastic Containers (plastic pop/water bottles, colored plastic like laundry detergent bottles, opaque in color like milk and vinegar jugs [ALL MUST BE RINSED OUT]).
- Aluminum cans [MUST BE FLATTENED]
- Steel cans [MUST BE MAGNETIC AND RINSED OUT]
- Glass bottles and jars of any color

**Items NOT Accepted for the Recycle Trailer**

- Plastic Bags [EVEN THOSE USED TO STORE RECYCLING]
- Waxed Cardboard
- Light bulbs, windshields, mirrors, and pottery
- Batteries
- Styrofoam, packing peanuts, and bubble rap
- Napkins, Paper Towels, Kleenexes, & Paper Plates
- Tissue Paper & Wrapping paper
- Tin foil, Pie pans, and any cans that aren’t magnetic
- Candy Wrappers, Lids from soft drinks
- Ink Cartridges

If you have any questions concerning the recycling program please call (620)583-8111.