Where does ACI take the Recyclables collected from the blue carts and bins?



What happens to your Recyclables?







Trucks pick up Recyclables and transport to our Material Recovery Facility (MRF for short).



Once off the truck, the material is loaded onto our conveyer belt. Workers sort the materials by hand and machine.



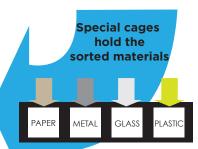




Materials are transformed into new products and packaging, and the cycle begins again...







DID YOU KNOW?

- Recycling aluminum uses only 5% of the energy required to create aluminum from bauxite.
 Source: http://alcoa.c2es.org/AluminumRecycling
- Every ton of glass recycled saves over a ton of natural resources. Source: http://www.gpi.org/recycling/glass-recycling-facts
- Recycling plastic uses only 12% of the energy required to make plastics from raw materials. Source: http://www.napcor.com/PET/landing_petrecycling.html
- When new products are made from recycled paper instead of virgin wood pulp: Energy use is reduced by 64%. Water use is reduced by 50%. Air pollution is reduced by 74%. 17 trees are saved. 5 times more jobs are created.



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We are proud to be your service provider for **Recyclables, Organics** & **Garbage.**