

## Guide to Recycling on Fort Riley



We want you to recycle on Fort Riley. We offer several opportunities for you to recycle where you live and work. Our hope is that you find our programs convenient. If you have suggestions we encourage you to share your ideas with us. Recycling works for you.

### At Home — Curbside Collection



Picerne Military Housing provides every resident with a toter (cart) for convenient curbside recycling. Residents place recycle toters at the curb on regularly scheduled trash collection days. Toters designated for recycling should be used ONLY for recyclables. The contracted refuse collection hauler collects the recyclables from the curb and delivers these to the Fort Riley Recycle Center.

### At Work—Administrative Area Collection Program

The Fort Riley Recycling Program provides recycle collection services for administrative areas (primarily civilian-operated facilities) on the installation. Each building and/or facility must assign a point of contact who is responsible for maintaining a consolidated collection point in the facility. Ensure recyclables are collected in bags or bins provided by the recycle program. Recyclables are picked up weekly or as needed by Recycle Center personnel. Receptacles (bins or bags) designated for collection of beverage containers MUST be lined with plastic trash bags provided by the CUSTOMER. To schedule a pickup or to set up a new program at your facility, please call the Recycle Center at 239-2094.

### 24-hour Recycle Drop-off Point

The Fort Riley Recycle Center staff provide three drop-off points, located on G Street, next to the Recycle Center (Bldg. 1980) and at the old PX, Bldg. 6914 & at the new PX

Recycling starts with you.  
Start here. Start today.

## Fort Riley Recycles

Fort Riley Recycle Center  
Bldg 1980, 4th St Camp Funston  
Fort Riley, KS 66442

Phone: 785-239-2094/2385  
Fax: 785-239-8535

Environmental Waste Management Center  
Bldg 1945, 4th St Camp Funston  
Fort Riley, KS 66442  
Phone: 785-239-6797

### Troop Incentive Program (TIP)

The Fort Riley Recycle Program provides monetary awards to units that recycle the most pounds per soldier, every quarter, based on the assigned strength of the unit. Quarterly awards are deposited into unit MWR accounts. Specific details about the TIP can be found in the Troop Incentive Program Users Guide available at the Recycle Center or call 239-2094/2385.

## Recycling is easy—check the lists below before you throw!

### Recycle Center (Bldg. 1980) Accepts:

**Aluminum cans, foil, pie plates**

**White Styro-Foam, clean**

**Plastic bottles, jugs, and jars**

Please remove caps, lids, and spray pumps, and rinse out food residue. No oil containers or filters.

**Glass food and beverage bottles and jars**

All colors of glass bottles and jars. Please remove caps and lids, and rinse out food residue.

**Steel (tin) food and beverage cans**

Rinse food residue. Item will not be accepted if it has not been cleaned.

**Cardboard**

Corrugated cardboard only, to include brown paper grocery bags. Box's must be broken down and flattened.

**Paper**

Includes white notebook paper, copier and computer paper, pastel-colored paper, and shredded paper (long cut only, pulverized shred is not acceptable); Paper should be free of contaminants such as paper clips, binders, covers and glued bindings.

*The Recycling Center does NOT accept Personally Identifiable Information and other Sensitive Material. For questions on what to do with PII and Sensitive Material contact DHR at 240-0360 or 239-2941.*

**Mixed Paper**

This consists of colored paper, manila folders, Envelopes, catalogs, magazines, phone books, Pressboard (cereal boxes), and glue bounds. Please continue to segregate these Commodities.

**Newspaper**

**Toner Cartridges**

Does not include inkjet cartridges

**Wooden Pallets**

Please sort by size and stack neatly

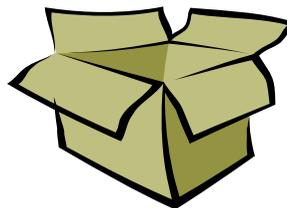
**Items Not Accepted**

Items we DO NOT take include electronic waste, plastic bags, light bulbs, ceramics, disposable diapers, and compact disks. No medical supplies.



### Cleanliness Counts.

Rinsing food residue from your recyclable food containers such as glass jars and canned goods will help reduce odors and not attract pests while your material is stored for collection.



### Storage is Important.

Storing paper products such as boxes and newspaper out of the weather makes them easier to process.



### THE FACTS ABOUT PLASTIC:

We take #1 thru #7 plastics. Examples listed below, please rinse out.

#1 plastic = soft drinks, water, juice, sports drinks, beer, mouthwash, catsup and salad dressing; also food jars for peanut butter, jelly, jam, and pickles, etc.



#2 plastic = milk jugs, juice, cosmetics, shampoo, detergents, and many household cleaners.



### Environmental Waste Management Center (Bldg. 1945) Accepts:

**TURN IN BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**  
**PLEASE CALL (785) 239-6797**

**Scrap Metal**

**Petroleum, Oil, and Lubricant (POL) Containers** Only empty metal cans and drums are accepted.

**Fuel/Oil Filters**

**Off-specification fuel**

**POL-contaminated Soils**

Soils excavated from spills and washrack sediment from military vehicle washracks is placed at the facility for remediation.

**Yard Waste**

Leaves, grass clippings, and horse manure from both residential and non-residential areas are accepted for composting.

**Compost is available for use free-of-charge.**

**Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)**

Only items purchased for use in a personal residence are allowed to be turned in to the HHW facility, and only Fort Riley residents may turn in items. Any Department of Defense ID card holder may pick up items for reuse. Items accepted at the HHW facility include:

- Abrasive cleaners or powders;
- Paint;
- Ammonia-based cleaners;
- Motor oil;
- Mothballs;
- Disinfectants;
- Household cleaners (drain, oven, etc.);
- Photographic chemicals; and
- Pesticides (roach and ant killers).