

OTHER RECYCLING OPPORTUNITIES 2025

Selinsgrove Borough is mandated by Act 101 of the State of Pennsylvania to require its residential, commercial, municipal, and institutional establishments to recycle items. A recycling fee is included with your quarterly water/sewer bill to support the Recycling Program and the Annual Spring Clean-Up. The Selinsgrove Borough Recycling program and its equipment are partially funded by PA DEP ACT 101-902 and 904 recycling grants. We encourage all Selinsgrove Borough residents to fully utilize these services.

Selinsgrove Borough Compost Yard, Drop-Off South End of Strawberry Alley

Weekdays (excluding holidays) from 7:30AM—3:00PM

1st and 3rd Saturday (excluding holidays) from 8:00AM—NOON

This change is necessary to help prevent illegal dumping by non-residents. Violations of illegal dumping at the compost site have increased, which is increasing the fees to grind the debris dropped off; fees which are paid by Selinsgrove Borough residents. Any recycling/compostable debris brought to a Selinsgrove Borough collection facility is only allowed from Selinsgrove Borough residences and Selinsgrove Borough businesses. For those who own property in Selinsgrove Borough but do not LIVE in Selinsgrove Borough, your composting from the outside municipality should remain in that municipality.

If you have a business outside the Borough doing work for you that contains compost items, they may take the compostable material to the site on your behalf. The resident and/or business should call to let us know this is happening since the site is monitored. We need to know the name of the company, make/model of the vehicle, and the license plate to avoid the business receiving a violation letter/fine for illegal dumping.

Garden Residue, Brush, & Leaves ONLY!

Place at locations noted by signs in the yard area.

NO GRASS CLIPPINGS.

NO BAGS.

NO DEMOLITION MATERIAL OR FILL.

ONLY Selinsgrove Borough residents can bring the compostable items listed above, but the resulting mulch is available to anyone.

Selinsgrove Borough Recycling Drop-Off, 219 West Sassafras Street

Open Every Thursday, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

First & Third Saturday of each month, 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

(Closed on holidays— NO makeup days)

1. **Tin/Steel Cans:** (RINSED CANS ONLY) NO scrap metal, paint, or aerosol cans.
2. **Aluminum:** Beverage Cans (RINSED CANS ONLY). NO foil, paint, aerosol cans or scrap metal.
3. **Glass:** Clear, Brown, and Green: (RINSE AND REMOVE CAPS) Jar and bottle form only. NO plate glass, mirrors, auto glass, ceramics, window glass, TV picture tubes, fiberglass, China dishes, earthenware, pottery, Pyrex cooking glass, drinking glasses, or candle jars. Do not break the glass. Any Blue glass may be recycled with green glass.
4. **Plastics:** No's 1—PETE and 2—HDPE ONLY—Bottle shaped; mouth smaller than body of bottle. NO motor oil, brake fluid, antifreeze, or chemical containers.
5. **Corrugated Cardboard (Breakdown) and Paperboard:** NO waxed cardboard. Examples of paperboard are as follows—toilet paper/paper towel rolls, soda boxes, cereal boxes, shoe boxes, tissue boxes, junk mail including window envelopes, cardboard style egg cartons.
6. **Hi-Grade Office Paper:** Full sheets or shredded and placed in bags. NO plastic window envelopes, oak tag paper, paperback books, or hard cover books.
7. **Newspapers:** Must be clean, dry, and not tied or in bags. Remove ALL GLOSSY INSERTS and put them with magazines.
8. **Magazines, Books, Catalogs, & Phone Books:** Must be clean, dry, and not tied or in bags.
9. **Plastics:** Co-mingled— (RINSED) All plastics #4-7 (except 1 & 2 which is covered above in #4) Examples include: clamshells, buckets (without the metal handles), yogurt cups, butter cups, lids, medicine bottles, hard plastics, PVC and industrial plastic, etc.

Just because a # is on the product does not make it applicable—NO Styrofoam or Polystyrene.

NO GIFT WRAP. NO PLASTIC GROCERY BAGS.

NOTE: NO drop-off prior to or after scheduled times. Violators will be prosecuted.

Residents must separate recyclables and deposit items in appropriate containers provided.

ELECTRONIC RECYCLING: SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025—8:00 AM TO NOON

219 W. SASSAFRAS STREET

Hand Up Foundation and Selinsgrove Borough (partnering since April 2017)

They will NOT take any paper products such as books, magazines, etc., ink cartridges/toner cartridges, glass, or paint of any kind.

Freon Products: Air Conditioner/water cooler/dehumidifier \$15; Refrigerator/Freezer \$20

Other Products with a Fee: Computer towers, laptops, printer, vacuum, shampooer/small electronic (radio, hair dryer, mixer, microwave, etc.) \$5; Stove, dishwasher, washer & dryer \$8; LCD Flat Screen Television (ONLY) \$15 up to 25" and \$30 over 25" (CRT TVs no longer accepted—large back with the large tube backs)

Items with NO Fee: Textiles—clothing, shoes, purses, backpacks, belts, hats, blankets, sheets, towels, linens

Paper products—corrugated cardboard

Electronics—cell phones

Metals—copper, insulated copper, stainless steel, brass, aluminum cans, scrap metal, scrap aluminum, filing cabinets, lawn mowers, motors, water heaters

Styrofoam—ridged Styrofoam ONLY, no packing peanuts

Misc.—car batteries