

# Town of Steilacoom - 2012 Residential Recycling Collection Schedule

Your Regular Collection Day is Thursday - Except as Noted



For Service Assistance Please Call LeMays @ 537-8687



## SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLE

## YARDWASTE RECYCLING

### GRAY TOTER

January	5	19	
February	2	16	
March	1	15	29
April	12	26	
May	10	24	
June	7	21	
July	5	19	
August	2	16	30
September	13	27	
October	11	25	
November	8	*23	(*note the 23rd is a Friday)
December	6	20	

### BLUE TOTER

January	12	26	
February	9	23	
March	8	22	
April	5	19	
May	3	17	31
June	14	28	
July	12	26	
August	9	23	
September	6	20	
October	4	18	
November	1	15	29
December	13	27	

Please have items at the curb ready for pickup by 6:00 a.m. on the assigned collection day

**Items ACCEPTED** in your **YARDWASTE** container include: Grass clippings, leaves, weeds, brush, branches smaller than four inches in diameter, and Christmas trees in season.

**Items NOT ACCEPTED** in **YARDWASTE** containers include: Trash, stumps, lumber, bricks, glass, metal, metal, food, plastics, rocks or excessive amounts of dirt. All yardwaste must fit in the container with the lid closed. Call your hauler for assistance if you have more yardwaste than will fit in the container. NEVER set out yardwaste in a plastic bag. All yardwaste collected through the curbside program will be composted at the County-owned Purdy Compost Facility.

**Items ACCEPTED** in the **SINGLE-STREAM** container include: Newspapers, magazines and junk mail, cardboard, tin and aluminum cans, paper-style milk cartons, shredded paper, paper bags, milk jugs, phone books, cereal boxes, frozen food boxes and plastic bottles (with necks smaller than the base).

**Items NOT ACCEPTED** in the **SINGLE-STREAM** container include: Glass of any sort, Styrofoam peanuts or containers, batteries, aerosol cans, toxic product containers, plastic lids, tubs, or bags, light bulbs, foil, frozen food or chip bags, pill boxes, juice boxes, metal hangers, or food-contaminated paper plates and napkins.

### WHAT TO DO ON RECYCLING DAY:

Carts should be at the curb by 6 a.m. on recycling day. The cart handles must face the house; the lid opening must face the street. Put the cart at curbside or within 3 feet of the traveled portion of the road. The cart should be at least 3 feet away from basketball hoops, trees, mailboxes and other containers. Place the cart 5 feet from cars. Allow 18 feet of space above the cart too, so the automated robotic "arm" on the collection truck has room to grasp the cart and operate most effectively. Do not block mailboxes. Please remove the empty cart from the curb as soon as possible. If you have **questions** about either of the curbside recycling programs, please call LeMays at 537-8687. Thank You