



STEEL CANS



A NRRA Cooperative Recycling Program



Although Steel Cans are a small portion of the waste stream (approximately 2%), they are easily recycled and are a valuable commodity! Starting a Steel Can recycling program helps save thousands of dollars in avoided disposal costs, conserves limited landfill and incinerator space and helps conserve natural resources!

PROGRAM DETAILS

- ♻️ Contact NRRA at (603) 736-4401 to sign up for the Steel Can recycling program and receive current pricing information
- ♻️ Choose how the Steel Cans will be collected, stored (i.e., in a roll-off container or storage bunker) and processed (i.e., loose or baled)



Roll Off Container



Baler

- ♻️ Contact NRRA to coordinate pick-up or delivery of the Steel Cans

What happens to the Steel Cans recycled through NRRA?

Steel Cans have the potential to be recycled over and over again into new steel products, such as new steel for coils and plate, automobiles, appliances, construction materials, tools and toys. Steel's magnetic attraction allows steel to be magnetically separated from other recyclables, or from the municipal solid waste stream.

Your Non-Profit Recycling Cooperative:

Partnering to make recycling strong through economic and environmentally sound solutions

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Steel Can Recycling

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS	All steel food cans, <u>empty</u> paint and aerosol cans, aluminum foil, aluminum pie plates, and pet food cans
UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS	No UBC's (aluminum used beverage cans), steel cans containing liquid or that have had previously contained hazardous liquids such as pesticides, etc. or small propane cylinders.
HINTS	Rinse cans. Labels do not need to be removed. It's helpful to flatten cans to maximize space.

Steel Cans Picked Up At Member Facilities Or Delivered Directly To "Market"

BALED	<p>Collect steel cans from residents to be baled in either a vertical (downstroke) or horizontal baler. Bale steel cans with a minimum of five wires running in the same direction.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: left;"><u>BALER TYPE</u></td> <td style="text-align: right;"><u>AVERAGE. WEIGHTS / BALE</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Vertical/Downstroke Baler:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">750 lbs.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Horizontal Baler:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1,200 lbs.</td> </tr> </table> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>MINIMUM WEIGHT FOR COLLECTION</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Full Trailer Load - 40,000 lbs (20 tons); Approx. 40-44 bales 1/2 Trailer Load - 20,000 lbs (10 tons); Approx. 20-22 bales</p>	<u>BALER TYPE</u>	<u>AVERAGE. WEIGHTS / BALE</u>	Vertical/Downstroke Baler:	750 lbs.	Horizontal Baler:	1,200 lbs.		
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**Revenue pricing for steel cans is paid by the GROSS TON (2,240 lbs),
not by the STRAIGHT TON (2,000 lbs) and is based on
CURRENT MARKET CONDITIONS!**

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