

Recycling Procedures for Housing units of Mackinac State Historic Parks

All employees living in housing units are to follow these recycling procedures. Recyclable material must not be placed into trash containers. Marked containers are provided for recyclable. Each housing unit will have a designated location to store recyclables until the scheduled "pick-up-day".

Recycling

Anything not able to be completely rinsed out needs to go into the landfill.

Glass Bottles and Jars

Wash, remove metal or plastic rings and caps. Place green, brown or clear bottles in larked containers.

Steel and Tin cans

Wash, place in appropriate containers.

Aluminum

Wash, remove labels (examples include: aluminum pie pans, TV dinner trays, aluminum foil, out-of-state pop cans, etc.)

Plastic Bottles and Jars (With recycle code #1 or2)

Wash, remove caps and lids, (place caps, lids, plastic wrap, etc., in container marked "Landfill"). The recycle code is found on the bottom of most plastic containers. (Examples include: milk, juice and distilled water jugs, detergents, bleaches, cleaning products, shampoos, etc.)

Styrofoam (Polystyrene with recycle code #6

Wash, remove labels and place in appropriate containers. (Examples include: meat, produce and deli trays, Styrofoam cartons and cups, plates and food trays.) No packaged material. No peanuts. No insulation.

Newspapers Magazines & Cardboard

Newspapers are to be bundled in brown paper bags or tied into bundles (with non-plastic string only). Place all glossy newspaper inserts in the container marked "Landfill".

Magazines are to be bundles in brown paper bags or tied into bundles (with non-plastic string only). No phone books, newspaper inserts or junk mail.

Carboard is to be broken down and put beside the trash and recycle containers.

Batteries

All types and sizes, including the button types from cameras and watches, must be turned into the Park Manager or the Assistant Park Manager at the Field Office.

- **For MISST 127, the adults will be collecting all used batteries, bring them to the adult room.**

Compost or Landfill

All other non-recyclable items can be put in the containers marked "**COMPOST-BEIGE BAG**" or "**LANDFILL-BLUE BAG**".

Phone books and other organic items such as foo scraps can be put in "**COMPOST-BEIGE BAG**"

MISST 127 Additional Rules:

2 Cans will be setup at the back of the barracks and in the restroom. 1 will be marked Landfill and 1 will be marked Compost.

- Landfill will be as described above and the small (Dixie style) drinking cups - due to the coating on the cup, these must go into the landfill.
- Compost will be food, paper towel and napkins

If you are unsure or have questions about which items should be recycled, landfilled or composted contact an adult.

Note(s):

- Any changes or updates will be communicated to the Scouts from the Adults or Scout Coordinator.
- **If it is found the recycling, landfill and composting directions are not being followed, it will be the responsibility of the Scouts to go back and separate items into their correct containers.**