

# Plastic Film Recycling

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## These items don't go in your recycling bin!

Put them in participating store grocery recycling bins in your community:



Grocery bags



Produce bags



Newspaper bags



Ziploc bags



Dry cleaning bags



Case wrap



Shipping envelopes

*Cut off paper labels*



Bread bags



Stretchy product wrap



Air pillows & bubble wrap



Stretch wrap & plastic wrap



Cereal bags



Pellet bags

*Cut off ends and turn inside out to remove residue*



Salt bags



Ice bags



Items with these labels (#2 or #4 plastic films)

**Film collected by groceries stores and local community collection programs is recycled into Trex® decking material!**

# Not Accepted

The following plastic bags & films cannot be recycled in this program and should be discarded in the trash:

✗ “Crinkly” and stiff plastic bags and film that **do not stretch**

✗ Most **food packaging**, especially:

- Resealable **pouches**
- Grape bags (& similar)
- **Snack food** bags
- **Meat & cheese** packaging
- Pre-washed salad mix bags
- **Chip** bags
- **Shiny/metallic** foil-lined plastic
- Candy and granola bar wrappers
- Mesh bags
- **Frozen food** packaging
- Vacuum seal bags



✗ Bags that are **dirty, wet**, or have **paper labels** (cut out paper labels from plastic shipping envelopes and other recyclable bags)

✗ **Paper** envelopes lined with bubble wrap

✗ Anything labeled with a **number other than 2 or 4** (such as 5 or 7) or with strike-through labels:



✗ **Pet food & bird seed** bags

✗ **Woven** grain & feed bags

✗ Cellophane & “**crinkly**” plastic

✗ **Biodegradable**, degradable, or compostable plastic

✗ **Mulch & soil** bags, agricultural plastic

✗ Six-pack rings

A complete listing of participating Vermont retailers is [here](https://recycle.trex.com/view/programs). Visit:

<https://recycle.trex.com/view/programs> for information about their recycling program.

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