

Keep Haralson Beautiful's

RECYCLE 411

We're glad you're thinking about recycling!

Reusing items helps keep Haralson county free from litter and makes our world a better place to live, work and play. Here's a few tips about how to recycle or dispose of a few common household items. Feel free to visit our website at **keepharalsonbeautiful.org** for more ideas and for opportunities to volunteer!

Styrofoam and Plastic Bags

- * All Styrofoam may be recycled in the receptacles outside of Publix Supermarket
- * Plastic bags may be recycled at Publix, Kroger, Ingles or Wal-Mart

Motor Oil

- * Do not spill any oil on the ground.
- * Put your used motor oil in a clean plastic container with a tight lid. Never store used oil in a container that once held chemicals, food, or beverages.
- * Do not mix the oil with anything else, such as antifreeze, solvent, or paint.
- * Take used motor oil to a auto parts distributor, service station or other location that collects used motor oil for recycling. (epa.gov)

Ammunition, Gun Powder and Explosives

- * Ammunition and gun powder can usually be donated to a local gun store
- * If you're out at the shooting range, don't trash your casings! Many metal recyclers welcome brass casings from bullets. Make sure that there's no powder or primer remaining inside.
- * Brass ammunition casings can also be reloaded. Websites such as eBay are great places to start if you wish to sell your empty casings to reloaders.
- * Do not put any explosive substances in your curbside recycling or garbage bin. Doing so could cause a dangerous situation for both yourself and the people processing your recycling.
- * An explosive user's license is required for anyone wishing to dispose of unwanted explosives. Prior training and knowledge regarding disposal methods are necessary.
- * If you have doubts about how to properly dispose of any explosive materials, contact your local fire or police department by dialing 311 (in most states, for non-emergency situations). (Earth911.com)



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Pharmaceuticals or Expired Over the Counter Medicine

- *These can be put in a drop box 24 hours a day/7 days a week at the Haralson County Jail lobbies and in Bremen and Tallapoosa Police Departments with no questions
 - or paperwork requirements.
- * Radioactive materials and bio-infectious material
- * Contact the Environmental Protection Agency (epa.gov)
- * For a search of local facilities that recycle various other items visit: