

# Plastic Film Recycling Program Announcement for the Borough of Matawan

Beginning Tuesday, April 6, the Borough of Matawan will accept plastic bags, plastic film, and plastic wrap as a part of its residential curbside recycling program. On the **first Tuesday of every month**, Matawan residents can recycle **clean and dry plastic bags, plastic storage bags such as Ziploc® brand bags, dry cleaning bags, and other flexible plastic film** by using the 'Plastic Film Only' recycling bin.

**'Plastic Film' labeled recycling bins are available for free pick-up at:**

Matawan Municipal Community Complex  
201 Broad Street  
Matawan, NJ 07747

## Here's How to Participate:

- Put clean and dry plastic bags and plastic film inside a plastic bag.
- When it is about the size of a soccer ball, tie the top of the outer bag in a knot.
- Put your bag of bags in your provided plastic film recycling bin.
- Place your provided plastic film recycling bin next to your yard waste for curbside pick-up.

## Materials Accepted in Your 'Plastic Film Only' Bin

 Bread bags	 Grocery bags	 Dry cleaning bags	 Produce bags	 Plastic newspaper wrapping
 Food storage bags (including Ziploc®)	 Plastic wraps (around multi-packs of drink bottles, paper towels, diapers, etc.)	 Bubble wrap/air pillows (popped)	 Plastic lining from cereal boxes	 Plastic shipping envelopes (remove labeling)

## Not Accepted Materials

- Multi-layer film (chip bags, pet food bags, etc.)
- Waxed paper containers
- Paper towels and napkins
- Diapers
- Pre-washed salad mix bags
- Aerosol cans
- Polystyrene or foam containers
- Food soiled paper and cardboard
- Biodegradable or compostable bags
- Candy wrappers

▶▶ See flip side for plastic film curbside collection calendar ▶▶

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# Plastic Film Curbside Collection Calendar

*First Tuesday of every month*

## 2021

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**Thank you for doing your part to reduce plastic waste.**

For more information visit us at: [www.matawanborough.com/matawan](http://www.matawanborough.com/matawan)  
 Any questions? Contact us: (732)-566-3898 x600 Email: [Recycling@matawanborough.com](mailto:Recycling@matawanborough.com)

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