

# How you & your neighbors can Reduce, Reuse, & Recycle!

By following a few simple substantiality tips, you can make a big impact on the community and our environment. Your efforts help to save raw materials, energy and space in landfills.

**Together we can reduce the trash collected and sent to the landfill and increase our community's recycling rate!**

## REDUCE

**35**

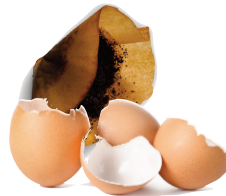
**MILLION TONS**  
food waste goes to  
landfills annually

### Compost to reduce waste to landfills.

Composting can be a fun family project that helps reduce your waste and can improve the soil quality in your landscape and garden.



Vegetable &  
Fruit Scraps



Organic Food Waste  
Coffee Grounds, Tea Bags  
& Egg Shells



Yard Waste &  
Plant Trimmings

## REUSE

**18**

**POUNDS PER DAY**  
trash the American  
family produces

### Use & reuse household items.

Give products new life by selling or donating, creating craft projects, and buying reusable products.



Donate or Sell  
Gently Used Items



Reuse Containers & Jars  
to Store Household  
& Office Items



Opt for Reusable Bags,  
Containers & Bottles

## RECYCLE

**2.5**

**MILLION BOTTLES**  
plastic bottles thrown  
away each year

### Household items to always recycle.

Always recycle plastic bottles/containers, metal cans, paper and cardboard. Make recycling in your home easy by keeping a recycling bin next to your garbage can in the kitchen.



Metal Beverage  
& Food Cans



Plastic Beverage Bottles  
& Food Containers



Cardboard  
& Paperboard



Paper, Newspaper,  
Magazines & Catalogs