

## **Brookings Regional Landfill Changes Effective September 2, 2008**

**Collection Service Change** - Monday and Tuesday will continue to be normal garbage service, but starting September 2, 2008 the City of Brookings Collection Department will be picking up tree branches on Monday and Tuesday, and yard waste pick-up has been moved to Thursday and Friday.

### **MONDAY GARBAGE PICK-UP =**

Monday tree branch pick-up  
Thursday yard waste and recycling

### **TUESDAY GARBAGE PICK-UP =**

Tuesday tree branch pick-up  
Friday yard waste and recycling

**Single Stream Recycling** - Effective September 2, 2008, the City of Brookings will change its recycling program to a single stream system. All recycling items can be placed in the same bag or bin. You are not required to sort your recycling! The new system will also accept glass.

#### **• Paper Recyclable Products**

Newspaper, office paper, junk mail, magazines, phone books, light colored paper, cardboard boxes, wax coated cardboard (cereal & pop boxes) & corrugated cardboard.

Only clean, dry paper accepted. Do not bind and remove all packing materials.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** paper towels, facial tissues, sticky notes, bright colored paper, wax paper, photographs, tissue paper or gift wrap.

#### **• Aluminum/Steel/Tin Recyclable Products**

Drink cans, food cans, clean tin foil and baking trays.

Rinse cans and containers and remove labels.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** batteries, pesticide or herbicide containers, contaminated foil, aerosol or paint cans.

#### **• Plastic Recyclable Products**

#1 – Soda & water bottles

#2 – Milk jugs, cleaning bottles, plastic shopping bags

#3 – Plastic food wrap, vegetable oil bottles

#4 – Squeezable food bottles, bread & frozen food bags

#5 – Yogurt/margarine containers, medicine bottles, aerosol caps, drinking straws

#6 – CD cases, egg cartons, aspirin bottles, bubble wrap

#7 – Some food containers & Tupperware

Rinse bottles and containers and remove labels.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** Lids, pesticide caps, antifreeze or motor oil containers, toys, flower pots & Styrofoam products.

#### **• Glass Recyclable Products**

Clear, amber or green glass.

Rinse jars & bottles and remove labels.

**NOT ACCEPTED:** Fluorescent light bulbs.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Brookings Regional Landfill at (605) 693-3667.

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