

The **Recycle Brigade** is now a part of the **Environmental Stewardship Committee!** In addition to collecting Styrofoam and film plastic and bags, we will soon begin collecting the following hard-to-recycle items on a regular basis, so keep on saving! Collections will be on months with a **fifth Sunday**, with the next one on Sunday, May 30/31.

- **Brita® dispensers, Brita® Bottles, Brita® Bottle Filters, Brita® Standard Filters, Brita® Stream Filters, Brita® Longlast Filters, Brita® filter packaging, Brita® faucet filtration systems, and Brita® pitchers).**
- **All brands of blades and razors (systems and disposable units, and replaceable-blade cartridge units), rigid plastic packaging, and flexible plastic bag packaging.**
- **Toothpaste tubes and caps, toothbrushes, toothpaste cartons, toothbrush outer packaging, and floss containers. Please make sure all excess product has been removed (i.e. leftover toothpaste or floss.**
- **All non-aerosol Opella Consumer Healthcare ACT®, Allegra®, Arthritis Hot®, Aspercreme®, Capzasin®, Cortizone-10®, Dulcolax®, Gold Bond®, Icy Hot®, Nasacort®, Selsun Blue®, Sportscreme®, Unisom®, Xyzal®, and Zantac 360® hard-to-recycle packaging such as tubes and caps, sticks and caps, roll-ons and caps, and pump tops. Please make sure all excess product has been removed. Bottles can be recycled curbside).**
- **Herbal Essences caps, pumps, spray bottles and caps, tubes and caps. No aerosols! Please make sure all excess product has been removed. Bottles can be recycled curbside.**
- **All brands of squeezable snack plastic pouches and caps (like GoGo Squeez). You do not need to clean the packaging before dropping it off, but please remove as much of the remaining product as possible.**

These items are recycled through **Terracycle**. If you would like to learn more about how they are **Eliminating the Idea of Waste®** visit them at www.terracycle.com. Please contact Kathy Pawlicki with any questions at kpawlicki1@comcast.net. Remember, **Recycling Solutions, Dexter** collects Styrofoam and film plastic and bags at the Dexter Mill every Sunday noon-2pm, weather permitting!



Recycle the unrecyclable with TerraCycle®

How TerraCycle is Eliminating the Idea of Waste®

At TerraCycle, we're on a mission to eliminate the idea of waste. Together with the businesses, communities, and individuals we've partnered with for over 20 years across 20+ countries, we're on a journey to [move the world from a linear economy to a circular one](#).

What exactly do we do? We create first-of-their-kind solutions in recycling, recycled content, and reuse:

- **Recycling:** Our first recommendation is always that manufacturers design their products or packaging to be locally recyclable. If that is not possible, we partner with brands to create [free recycling programs](#), scaling each program to whatever level the sponsor is interested in. Alternatively, businesses, organizations, or individuals may purchase the recycling solution for any given waste stream by reviewing our available [paid recycling solutions](#).
- **Recycled content:** Another step in the journey towards a circular economy is to work with manufacturers to help [make their products or packaging from waste](#). This generates demand for recycled content, which, along with recycling, creates a recycling-based circular economy.
- **Reuse:** We also help companies "tighten the circle" by moving from recycling to reuse. Through [Loop](#), our reuse platform, we allow brands to develop reusable packaging for their products which are made available to consumers at major retailers.

We're focused on continued innovation as we work to fulfill our mission of Eliminating the Idea of Waste®. TerraCycle offers the following ways to recycle:

Free recycling programs: Explore our free recycling programs to recycle hard-to-recycle trash from popular brands.

Zero Waste Box™: It's easy to #RecycleEverything with our paid recycling solutions.

TerraCycle Made: Shop products made from the trash we've recycled together.

Loop: A new way to shop, waste-free. Get the products you love in reusable packaging.