

Curbside Recycling at El Parque

~ *Revised Guidelines* - Sept. 16, 2025 ~

Recycling pickup every Thursday Nov-March; every other Thursday May-Oct

Leave the following recyclables by 8:30am in front of your casa, *with 20-40 pesos clipped to one of the 4 receptacles listed below*

Must separate into 4 different tubs, boxes or bags:

1. SOLID CONTAINERS:

- Clean **GLASS BOTTLES** and JARS only – AND
- Rinsed-out **METAL CANS** (aluminum, tin). Crush aluminum cans
- Include **LIDS** (removed, but in same container)

2. FLEXIBLE CONTAINERS:

- Clean, crushed **PLASTIC BOTTLES** (milk bottles must be rinsed)
- Include **CAPS** (removed, but in same container)
- Tall berry containers (though berry vendors can also reuse them)
- **NO clam shells • NO solid-color plastic containers • NO pill bottles**
- **NO thin or squishy plastic** (e.g. grocery store or bakery food containers, even if they contain recycling symbol)

3. TETRA PAKS:

- Crushed **TETRA PAKS** (waxed cartons for juice, milk and soup)
MUST say “Tetra Pak” on bottom; rinse clean, include lid or cap.

4. CARDBOARD AND PAPER

- Flatten cardboard & separate it from paper (no soiled pizza boxes)

Containers and bags will be emptied and left in front of your casa.

**If you use a cardboard box to put recyclables into, we will leave it in front of your casa with the other containers so you can reuse it.*

BATTERIES / ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT: Bring to Lakeside Compushop & Repair, just before Pancho's Market in Riberas

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