

Highland County has a New Recycling Bin Location

The Highland County Recycling program has a new recycling bin location, this time in the center of Lynchburg. The bin is in place and is available for use by the public. It can be accessed from Main Street (Route 134) and sits just north of Bobbitt Street near the Dollar General sign.

The following items can be placed in any of the county sponsored recycling bins: plastic bottles and jugs (with a BASE that is larger than it's opening), glass bottles and jars, aluminum cans, steel cans and lids, office paper and envelopes, junk mail, newspapers and inserts, magazines, telephone books, catalogs, FLATTENED paperboard and cardboard boxes. Rumpke collects all of the recyclables from the bins and sorts them at their facilities.

The following are the current bin locations in Highland County: In Lynchburg- Main St. near Bobbitt St.; near Dodsonville-Terry's Grocery/Marathon Station at 1505 US 50; in Greenfield- Sunoco at 950 N. Washington St.; in Hillsboro- Sunoco at 489 E. Main St., old CM Recycling Bldg. at 131 Catherine St., HI-TEC Center (by BMV) at 1575 N. High St., and Hillsboro Board of Education Office at 39 Willettsville Pike (corner of Routes 50 and 124); in Leesburg-Premier Grain at 116 S. Fairfield St.; in Marshall-Mini Mart/Marathon Station at 11070 SR 506 (at Route 124); in Mowrystown-Old Feed Mill at 106 W. Main St.; in New Market-Ameristop Food Mart/Gas Station at 5828 W. New Market Rd (at US 62); in Paint Township (Rocky Fork Lake Region)-Paint Twp. Buildings at 12470 US 50.

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Highland County is part of the Ross-Pickaway-Highland-Fayette Solid Waste District which provides funding for the county recycling program under the guidance of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency. The District has a board of directors and a policy committee who develop a plan of operation for the district that includes a recycling program. The District's funds allotted to each county are used to hire a Recycling Outreach Specialist to coordinate all the recycling activities in the county.

For general information on recycling go to www.rphfsolidwastedistrict.com or www.rumpke.com/recycling. You may also follow us on Facebook, @RPHF Solid Waste District.