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## Press Release

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City: Plastic grocery bags are not recyclable

The City of Newton would like to remind citizens that plastic grocery bags are not recyclable. Even if the bag has a #1 or #2 recycling code, it should not be included in your recycling bin. The only plastic items the County and City will accept for recycling are #1 and #2 bottles and jugs.

These bags can be returned to Dillons or Wal-Mart stores. Dillons will accept used Dillons bags, and Wal-Mart will accept any plastic bags.

Citizens with questions about whether an item is recyclable should call the City Sanitation Division at 284-6070 or visit [www.newtonkansas.com](http://www.newtonkansas.com).

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