



Northeast Resource Recovery Association









"Partnering to make recycling strong through economic and environmentally sound solutions"

NORTHEAST RESOURCE RECOVERY ASSOCIATION

CONGRATULATIONS FOR BEING SUCH ACTIVE RECYCLERS!

Recycling isn't just good for your wallet, it's great for the environment, saving energy and resources.

NRRA – your recycling nonprofit – helped your community move the recyclable materials listed below to market to be processed into raw materials, ready to be remanufactured into new products!

RECYCLABLE MATERIAL	2023 RECYCLED AMOUNTS	ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT! Here is just one benefit of recycling materials, rather than manufacturing new products from virgin resources.
ALUMINUM	699,088 LBS	 You saved enough energy to run a TV for 40,547,104 hours!
PLASTICS	1,661,170 LBS	 You saved 87,286 gallons of gasoline!
ELECTRONICS	1,201,929 LBS	 You saved enough energy to power 33,791 homes for 1 day!
GLASS	9,786,795 LBS	 You saved about 58,591 trash bags from ending up in a landfill!
SCRAP METAL	21,436,038 LBS	 You saved 31,939,697 pounds of iron ore!
PAPER &/OR CARDBOARD	22,451,788 LBS	 You saved 190,840 trees!
STEEL CANS	568,395 LBS	 You saved enough energy to swap 19,711 incandescent lightbulbs for LEDs!
TIRES	2,703,150 LBS	 You saved 64,314 gallons of oil!

AVOIDED EMISSIONS



Recycling uses much less energy than making products from virgin resources, and using less energy means fewer greenhouse gases emitted into the atmosphere.

By recycling the materials above, you avoided about **201,676,470 lbs. of carbon dioxide emissions**. This is equivalent to removing **20,399 passenger cars** from the road for an entire year!

***The above data was calculated using the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Waste Reduction Model (WARM).*

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