

# Onslow Material Recovery Facility

## MATERIALS ACCEPTED

- All paper, junkmail, paperback books (no food residue)
- Glass, tin, metals, aluminum (no scrap)
- Plastic containers free of hazardous materials and food contamination
- NEW: Rigid plastics made of HDPE must be < 2 feet in length and 40 lbs.

## MATERIALS NOT ACCEPTED

- NO hardback books, foil coated, food contaminated or moisture-resistant boxes
- NO paint cans, motor oil or hazardous waste
- NO glass cookware/ dishes or lightbulbs
- NO plastic bags, styrofoam, lids or caps

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Sonoco Recycling, one of the largest packaging recyclers in North America, has been awarded a 10-year contract to operate the Onslow County, N.C., materials recovery facility (MRF). That means residents of Coastal North Carolina will now have access to expanded, single-stream (or commingled) recycling, increasing the types of materials they are able to recycle.

Sonoco Recycling is planning to invest \$1 million in facility upgrades, including an education center at the County's MRF. Committed to the development of recycling education in and around Onslow County, Sonoco Recycling is also planning public education programs at the facility and partnerships with local schools.



As a recycling leader with locations and expertise worldwide, Sonoco Recycling provides secure, reliable and innovative recycling solutions to residential and commercial customers. The Company also provides recycling programs that identify waste reduction opportunities and reduce operating expenses for many of the largest consumer product companies.

Sonoco Recycling annually collects more than 3 million tons of old corrugated containers, various grades of paper, metals and plastics. With the addition of the Onslow MRF, Sonoco Recycling now operates six MRFs and serves more than 125 communities where curbside-collected residential and commercial materials are processed.



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