

# Did you know?

**One piece of garbage in a recycling container makes it all garbage.**

**Most recycling in the City of Sulphur is going to the landfill due to the high rate of contamination in the recycling bins.**

**We are asking you, the consumer, to help us keep the Recycling Program going by:**

- Making sure recyclables are clean
- Placing only Acceptable Recyclables in bins

## **Common Materials being found in bins that are **NOT** Recyclable:**

- Food Waste
- Styrofoam
- Wood
- Restroom Waste
- Plastic Bags
- Electronics

## **Acceptable Recyclable Items**

- Paper
- Cardboard (free of residue)
- Beverage Containers (free of residue)
- Plastics #1-7 (free of residue)
  - \* Soft drink and soda bottles
  - \* Laundry detergent bottles
  - \* Salad Dressing Containers
  - \* Butter or Margarine tubs
- Aluminum (free of residue)
- Tin & Steel

## **Can you spot what is wrong?**

In each picture there is non acceptable recyclable items. Can you find the items ?



- A) Plastic Bags
- B) Cardboard Boxes
- C) Wood
- D) Electronics



- A) Plastic Bags
- B) Cardboard Boxes
- C) Terra Cotta Pot
- D) Both A and C



- A) Saw Horse
- B) Cardboard Boxes
- C) Plastic Bags
- D) Both A and C