

Collection of classified plastic packs and wraps starts in April 2019

PLA-MARK indicates the target plastics



Two times a month



Plastic packs and wraps should be recycled



Plastics with PLA-MARK and without stains are collected.



Egg packschool



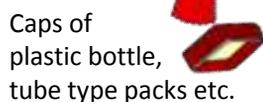
Sacks of cake, bread and frozen foods



Cups of the cup noodle
Cup type boxes for custard pudding etc.



Boxes for tofu etc.



Caps of plastic bottle, tube type packs etc.



Cushioning net to wrap vegetables, etc.



Food trays



Wet tissue container
Wet tissue bag



Cover films of plastic bottle etc



Foaming polystyrol etc

How to put out plastic packs and wraps for collection

① Remove metals and papers, wash slightly, and dry.

② Please put out plastics using transparent or semi-transparent vinyl bags

Those which can be cleaned by washing simply with water are acceptable.

These plastics should be classified as burnable garbage

【Plastics with stains】



Tubes for mayonnaise, tooth paste, kneaded wasabi etc.



Food packs with stains hard to remove



Packs for retort foods



Packs for natto



Plastics without PLA-MARK】



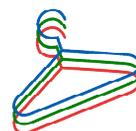
CD, DVD etc.



Toothbrushes, Buckets, Washbowls



Plastic-made toys and stationaries



Coat hangers

If you are unsure about sorting, please put out with burnable garbage

What kinds of plastics are targeted for the new garbage sorting/collection system?

Plastic and vinyl made packs and wraps have a PLA-MARK for the convenience of the consumers for sorting and putting out garbage.

The plastics with this mark should be sorted and put out from April 2019.



Why should the plastics be sorted out?

Resource recycling to make full use of the limited resources and to reuse whatever materials as far as possible is being promoted as a priority policy of the city. The aim of this new system of sorting and collection of plastics is to contribute to establishing a recycling-oriented society, and to reduce the volume of garbage by recycling.

The collected plastics will be reused as resin resource, solid fuel, and other commodities after the intermediate processing at the Recycling Center currently under construction at the site of the Clean Center.

What is Recycling Center?

Recycling Center is a facility for intermediate processing of recyclable waste such as cans, bottles etc. It will start operation in April 2019. The recycling capacity will be 26t/day with 5 hours operation for bulky and non-burnable garbage; 34t/day with 5 hours operation for recyclable waste. More effective recycling is expected in the future.



For the full use of the capacity, however, sorting and putting out of garbage strictly following the rule after commencement of the operation is essential. Cooperation of citizens is highly appreciated.